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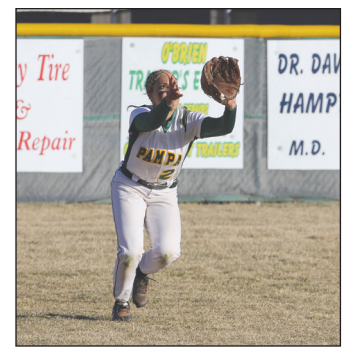
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Photos by Timothy P. Howsare

Above, Barbara Marshall, food service director at the Gray County Jail, prepares to serve lunch to the inmates Thursday. On the menu is green beans, turkey casserole, turkey slices in gravy and macaroni and cheese. Below, what the inmates have for breakfast — cereal, milk, fruit juice and a fruit cup.

A captive lunch crowd

■ Jail's food service director keeps inmates fed, sheriff happy.

By Timothy P. Howsare
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Some of their regulars say their food is the best in the Panhandle. But these connoisseurs of cuisine aren't comparing restaurants, they're comparing jails.

"Inmates tell us our food is the best," said Gray County Sheriff Don Copeland.

The woman in charge of feeding the inmates at the Gray County Jail is food service director Barbara Marshall, who has worked in the jail's kitchen for 13 years.

"I like working with my co-workers at the jail," she said.

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PHS Band recieves sweepstakes for third straight year

By Zachary Green
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The Pampa High School concert band traveled to Panhandle on Wednesday for the University Interscholastic League (UIL) concert and sight-reading contests.

The Pride of Pampa Band received ones, or the highest rating, in both categories. There are three judges each for the concert section and the sight-reading section. The average of all the judges ratings determines the overall rating. A one is superior, a two is excellent and a three is average. All three judges in both categories gave Pampa a one.

For the concert section, the band warms up, and then plays three prepared pieces. Immediately after that, the band

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Submitted photo

The PHS band in the sight-reading room following the band directors' instructions before they play their piece.



Spring ahead on Sunday

Staff Report

Remember to set your clocks ahead one hour before you go to sleep Saturday night, as Daylight Saving Time will be in effect, starting at 2 a.m., Sunday morning. The spring version of Daylight Saving Time will end at 2 a.m., Nov. 3.

According to Webexhibits.org, 2 a.m. was originally selected as the changeover time because it was practical and minimized disruption. The majority of Americans were at home at this time and 2 a.m. was the time when the fewest trains were running.

City commission meets Tuesday

By Sasha Heller
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The Pampa City Commission will meet at 4 p.m., Tuesday, to consider adopting, on second and final reading, an ordinance rezoning property located at 908 S. Wells from single-family-3 residential to commercial.

The Commission will also consider entering into a joint election agreement with the Pampa Independent School District for the May 11 General and Special elections.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., May 11, at the M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium, 1000 N. Sumner.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted jointly at Pampa City Hall,

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SEVERE WEATHER Awareness Week

NOAA Weather Radio and the Emergency Alert System

Staff Report

Severe Weather Awareness Week continues as today we will focus on NOAA Weather Radio and the Emergency Alert System.

NOAA Weather Radio is the voice of the National Weather Service. It provides continuous weather information 24 hours a day, every day of the year. The nationwide network of NOAA Weather Radio stations provides the public with the fastest most reliable source of up-to-date weather information directly from the National Weather Service.

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PAMPA FORECAST

Today	Sunday	Monday
High 59 Low 30	High 47 Low 25	High 56 Low 35

Saturday: Partly cloudy with a high of 59. Ten percent chance of rain. Wind southwest at 28 mph. Sunrise at 7:03 a.m.

Saturday night: Clear skies with a low of 30. No chance of rain. Wind northwest at 23 mph. Sunset at 6:46 p.m.

Sunday: Sunny with a high of 47. No chance of rain. Wind north at 22 mph. Sunrise at 8:01 a.m.

Sunday night; Clear skies with a low of 25. No chance of rain. Wind north at 10 mph. Sunset at 7:48 p.m.

Monday: Sunny with a high of 56. No chance of rain. Wind north northwest at 8 mph. Sunrise at 8:00 a.m.

Monday night: Clear skies with a low of 35. No chance of rain. Wind south southeast at 8 mph. Sunset at 7:48 p.m.

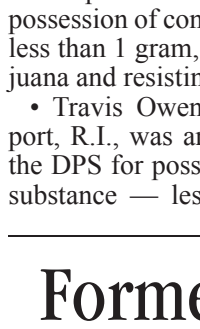
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Obituaries

Claudine Elizabeth Balch

Claudine Elizabeth Balch, 93, died March 3, 2013 in Creedmoor. Services will be at 2 p.m., Tuesday, March 12, 2013 at Mary Ellen & Harvester Church of Christ in Pampa, with Keith Feerer, minister, officiating.



Claudine Balch

Burial will follow in Memory Gardens Cemetery in Pampa, under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Balch was born June 5, 1919 in White Deer to Elmer and Alice Frashier. She married Elmer L. Balch on June 18, 1938 at Pampa. He preceded her in death on July 6, 1997. Claudine was an active member of Mary Ellen & Harvester Church of Christ and taught women's Bible classes. She was president of the Pampa Board of Realtors in 1986 and sat on most of the Board's committees.

That year, the Pampa Board was awarded more state prizes than any local Texas Board had ever won, and she traveled to the national convention in New York City that same year.

She had been a resident of Pampa until 2001 when she moved to Buda to be close to her sister. She was preceded in death by her daughter, Norma Jean Cook; a sister, Elgin; and a brother, Loyd Frashier.

Survivors include three sons, David Balch of Berkeley, Calif., Lloyd Balch and wife Brenda of Houston, and Gordon Balch and wife Frieda of Smithville, Okla.; a brother, Gordon Frashier and wife Joyce of Albuquerque, N.M.; a sister, Betty Epperson of Buda; 12 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 6-7:30 p.m., Monday, March 11, at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to a favorite charity.

Sign the online register at Carmichael-whatley.com.

Cleo Fredie Mikeal

Cleo Fredie Mikeal, 72, died March 6, 2013 of natural causes in Amarillo. C.F. was born Sept. 7, 1940, in Corpus Christi, to Fredie and Pearl Mikeal. He married Marie Woods on March 9, 1958.

He was the owner of C&M Auto Sales in Lubbock, Texas, for several years until his retirement in 1990 due to health problems. He retired and moved to Pampa in 1999.

Cleo was preceded in death by his loving wife, Marie, of 43 years who passed May 18, 2003.

He grew up in Corpus Christi and worked as a printing press operator for numerous newspapers before opening his own business in Lubbock.

Survivors include three daughters, Diana Garza and Amy Myers, both of Pampa and Janice Baker of Las Vegas, Nev.; a son, Fredie Mikeal of Las Vegas; a sister, Betty Coakley of Las Vegas, and Wanda Green of Corpus Christi; nine grandchildren, Mikeal, Matthew, Marc, Austin, Courtney, Jordan, Hanna, Jayden, Janaya; and six great-grandchildren, Molly, Zoe, Emma, Aubrie, Tucker and Tyler.

Cleo enjoyed time with his numerous grandchildren and frequent visits to Las Vegas.

He will be cremated and his ashes will be entombed in Robstown, Texas at a later date.

For the record

R.I. couple arrested for possession of controlled substance

• Nicole Marie Landry, 26, Newport, R.I., was arrested Thursday by the Department of Public Safety for possession of controlled substance — less than 1 gram, possession of marijuana and resisting arrest.

• Travis Owen Wright, 25, Newport, R.I., was arrested Thursday by the DPS for possession of controlled substance — less than 1 gram and possession of marijuana.

• Trevor Jay Graham, 35, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by the GCSO for possession of drug paraphernalia.

• Esteven Mathis, 57, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by the Pampa Police Department for public intoxication.

• Jesse James Garcia, 24, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by the Gray County Sheriff's Office for violation of probation — driving while intoxicated — second offense.

• Ryan Chase Holt, 19, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by the GCSO for possession of marijuana.

• Valerie Marie Vigil, 27, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by the PPD for capias pro fine — possession of drug paraphernalia.

Former Rick Perry aide got $162,000 bonus

THE TEXAS TRIBUNE

Ann Bishop was already the highest paid executive officer in state government as director of the Employees Retirement System of Texas, according to a state auditor's report.



Rick Perry

But shortly before Gov. Rick Perry announced she would become his chief of staff late last year — a post she held only briefly before returning to ERS — agency records indicate she received something of a parting gift: a $162,500 bonus.

Now two legislators who are examining high executive salaries in state government are raising questions about the timing and size of the payments.

"This is something you see in the private sector, not state government," state Rep. Carol Alvarado, D-Houston, co-chairwoman of the House Committee on Transparency in State Agency Operations, told the Texas Tribune. Alvarado said such payments should come to an end.

Another member of the committee, Rep. Trey Martinez Fischer, (D-San Antonio) also criticized the payment.

"Clearly I think the timing of the bonus, the amount of the bonus and the transitional period of the recipient, sort of in my view raises a few flags," he said. "It's very difficult to justify large escalations in salaries and bonuses when we are struggling to come up with a nominal increase in the pay of state employees."

A call to the office of the GOP co-chairman of the committee, Rep. Dan Flynn (R-Canton) was not immediately returned.

ERS spokeswoman Mary Jane Wardlow said the agency's board of trustees approved the merit-based bonus, along with a salary increase, on September 26.

"The ERS awarded the merit payment in consideration of her management and oversight of ERS, its five retirement programs, and accomplishments in 2012 in the areas of strategy and leadership, the interim benefits study, and her skills as a member of the internal investments committee," Wardlow said in a written statement.

For her part, Bishop said in a written statement that she welcomed any scrutiny from the Legislature.

"All of the actions of the ERS board have been in the public record for several months," she said. "As always, we welcome anyone to share their concerns and will make sure the board is fully aware of them."

Perry announced on Nov. 27 that Bishop, director of ERS since 2004, would become his chief of staff effective Dec. 3. The state auditor's report from August 2012 showed she was earning an annual salary of $312,000 as of mid-year 2012, making her the highest paid executive officer among all the state agencies. The 2012 report noted she was also paid a "one-time bonus" of $26,000 in 2011.

But Wardlow said her records showed a bonus of $15,600 in 2011, and one for $34,650 in 2007. The 2012 payment was her largest bonus so far. She also got a 4.2 percent raise at the late September meeting, boosting her salary to $325,000 a year.

According to information compiled by the office of State Auditor John Keel, the 2012 bonus was paid to Bishop in November, the same month she took the job with Perry. Wardlow said the bonus payment was made on Nov. 1.

Bishop did not stay at the governor's office for very long. She returned to her old job, which had been left open for her, late last month.

ERS had posted an undated news release explaining that Bishop had merely taken a temporary leave of absence to work for Perry — a "sabbatical" — and would return to her job after concluding her stint in Perry's office, according to a blog post by the Dallas Morning News.

The link to that news release was disabled after Bishop returned to the retirement agency, Wardlow said. She said it was posted on the ERS website after the Dec. 7 meeting, when trustees granted her the sabbatical.

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Band

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goes into the sight-reading room and is given pieces of music.

The director then has eight minutes to explain the piece to the band before they must play it. During those eight minutes, the band cannot play their instruments.

Band Director Joe Barrow said that when a band receives a one in marching, concert and sight-reading, it is called sweepstakes. "It is the highest award you can receive from UIL Band Competition. This is the third year in a row the band has received the sweepstakes award," Barrow said. "I am extremely proud of the band because they performed a very difficult program early in the semester and received the highest rating they could. We are very, very proud of them."

Barrow said that this completes the UIL competition season for the band but they will still perform concerts later on in the semester. They will work with the jazz band before its festival. On Thursday May 23, the band will have their spring festival with the junior high band at McNeely Fieldhouse.

Weather

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A special radio is needed to receive NOAA Weather Radio broadcasts. A radio that is capable of receiving signals in the very high frequency public service band.

Broadcasts may vary, but generally include area forecasts, present weather conditions, hazardous weather information, climatic data, river and lake stage forecasts and other specialized information. The broadcasts are updated continuously.

NOAA Weather Radio is useful anytime but it is most important when severe weather threatens. During periods of severe weather, routine programming is interrupted and the focus shifted to the local severe weather threat. In an emergency, a warning alarm tone is broadcast that activates specially designed receivers to turn on automatically or to produce a visual or audible alarm.

A primary source of weather information is the emergency alert system. EAS is a system of communications links that utilize data in a digital form. It is a reliable means of linking the National Weather Service, emergency management agencies and the radio and television broadcast media together. EAS helps participating radio and television stations receive and relay weather warnings and other emergency information in a timely manner.

In addition, the Federal Emergency Management Agency will now send Tornado Warnings and Flash Flood Warnings directly to wireless emergency alert capable cell phones. These alerts are similar to text messages but will instruct you that a Tornado Warning or Flash Flood Warning has been issued for your area and that you need to seek further information. If you have questions about whether your cell phone is wireless emergency alerts capable, contact your cell phone provider.

For more information on NOAA Weather Radio or any other dissemination information contact the National Weather Service Office in Amarillo at 806-335-1121.



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NOAA Weather Radios, much like this one, can be purchased at Radio Shack, Walmart and many other retailers for under $50. Weather radios are meant to help keep you safe with immediate alerts during severe weather events. Tornado sirens are not intended to be heard inside houses.

Pampa Fire Department log March 4-8

The Pampa Fire Department responded to these calls for the dates indicated.

One unit with three personnel responded to each call, unless otherwise indicated.

March 4

• At 7:35 a.m., medical assist in 900 block of Wheeler.

• At 7:45 a.m., two units, three personnel to minor motor vehicle accident in 2600 block of Evergreen.

• At 2:01 p.m., medical assist in 2200 block of Lynn.

• At 5:28 p.m., four units, eight personnel to a possible structure that turned out to be a legal burn in 600 block Roberta.

• At 8:12 p.m., two motor vehicle accident in 2200 block of Kentucky.

March 5

• At 8:10 a.m., to a minor vehicle accident at U.S. Highway 60 and Price Road.

March 6

• At 8:16 p.m., false alarm canceled en route.

• At 8:54 p.m., medical assist in 1000 block of Prairie.

March 7

• At 5:45 p.m., one unit, four personnel to medical assist in 1000 block of North Sumner.

• At 6:51 p.m., medical call assist in 500 block of Montagu.

March 8

• At 2:49 a.m., to medical assist in 1400 block of West Sommerville.

NEWS Briefs

All-you-can eat breakfast Sunday

STAFF REPORT

St. Vincent DePaul Catholic Church is hosting an all-you-can-eat breakfast from 10:45 a.m. to 2 p.m.on Sunday.

The breakfast will be held at the "old school," or Pastoral Education Center, on the same property where the church is located at 810 W. 23rd Ave.

The breakfast will include pancakes, bacon, sausage, coffee, juice and fruit.

The cost is $6 for adults, $4 for children ages 6-12 and children 5 and under eat free.

Takeouts will be available and there will also be door prizes. All proceeds go to benefit Lifeteen Ministries, which is the church's youth group. For more information, call 665-8833.

PHS Choir garage sale March 23

The Pampa High School Choir is holding a garage sale from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, March 23.

The sale will be held in the music rooms and outdoors at the old Pampa Junior High School off the Perryton Highway.

The sale is concurrent with the Garage & Trade Show that is being sponsored by Open Range Engineering.

All proceeds from the choir garage sale will go to the choir students' Italy trip.

The Choir Booster Club will be selling hamburgers, chips and water.

No choir performances are scheduled at this time, since several students will not be present because of other extracurricular events.

Bin Laden spokesman pleads not guilty in NYC

NEW YORK (AP) — A senior al-Qaida leader and son-in-law of Osama bin Laden, captured in Jordan a week ago, pleaded not guilty Friday in a heavily secured New York courtroom to plotting against Americans before and immediately after the Sept. 11 attacks in his role as the terror network's top spokesman.

Bearded and balding, Sulaiman Abu Ghaith was escorted into the largest courtroom at the federal courthouse in Manhattan, where he entered the plea through a lawyer to one count of conspiracy to kill Americans in a case that marks a legal victory for President Barack Obama's administration.

Assistant U.S. Attorney John P. Cronan revealed that Abu Ghaith gave an "extensive post-arrest statement" that totaled 22 pages after he was arrested overseas the night of Feb. 28 and arrived in the U.S. March 1. The prosecutor said nothing about the contents of Abu Ghaith's statement.

A law enforcement official with knowledge of the case said Abu Ghaith initially agreed to be interviewed without an attorney at the FBI office in lower Manhattan immediately after his arrival. Later in the day, he requested an attorney and was interviewed with an attorney present. The official spoke on condition of anonymity because he was not authorized to talk about the case.

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The Commission will also consider entering into a contract for election services with Gray County for all joint elections throughout 2013.

The Commission meets on the third floor of City Hall.

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Junk food science



TOM ROSSHIRT

Democrats and Republicans are split, and the sequestration is about to hit — but I'm going to write about something less depressing: strokes, heart attacks and death.

There were two important publishing events in the field of nutrition this past week. One was bad science about what is good for you; the other was good science about what is bad for you.

The New England Journal of Medicine published a study on diet and heart disease that found significant benefits to cardiovascular health from eating a "Mediterranean diet." The New York Times wrote, "About 30 percent of heart attacks, strokes and deaths from heart disease can be prevented in people at high risk if they switch to a Mediterranean diet." According to the Times article, "the magnitude of the diet's benefits startled experts."

(The Mediterranean diet groups ate the foods typically associated with that diet — e.g., fish, beans, peas, lentils, olive oil and wine — but also were allowed poultry and smaller quantities of red meat, soft drinks and baked goods. The control group was told to eat a low-fat diet, but the study reports the people pretty much just ate the diet they had been eating.)

One of the study's authors told The Washington Post he's going to begin another large study. In this one, everyone will eat the same Mediterranean diet — but the study will test the added effect of exercise, calorie restriction and body weight.

Hold on. The 30 percent reduction is good news. But what about the 70 percent who are sick and dying of heart disease while eating the Mediterranean diet? Doesn't anybody care about them?

In reality, even that 30 percent reduction is a bit of a distortion. The study said, "Only the comparison of stroke risk reached statistical significance." The Mediterranean dieters showed no significant reduction in heart attacks and deaths.

OK, that's depressing. So let's look just at the good news — the decline in stroke risk.

Clearly, when the researchers saw the greater number of strokes in the control group, they concluded that it must have been something the people ate. But the Mediterranean dieters had strokes, too (and heart attacks and deaths). So if the members of the control group got their strokes because of something they ate, maybe the Mediterranean dieters got their strokes because of something they ate. They just had fewer strokes because they ate less of what causes strokes. But then — what is it that causes strokes? And could we please not eat it?

Please, scientists: What is the best diet if I don't want to die?

They're not telling.

Why not? One of the study's authors said: "Usually, doctors tell you not to do pleasant things. But this is very tasty and easy to follow. You do not need to suffer for the Mediterranean diet."

This man seems torn between being a scientist and being a menu planner.

This has to be frustrating for Dr. Caldwell Esselstyn, the author of a landmark study showing that a plant-based diet with whole grains, fruits, vegetables, beans and nuts — with no meat, poultry, fish or fats — can reverse heart disease. The diet has worked in patients whose cardiologists told them they would not live out the year.

Disclosure: I'm a fan of Dr. Esselstyn's. I have introduced him to some Washington policymakers, and I tried to help him get in touch with Bill Clinton after the ex-president had surgery to reopen a clogged artery in 2010. We failed to reach Clinton — or thought we had, until Clinton mentioned Esselstyn on a CNN interview when he was describing the diet he adopted after his surgery.

Esselstyn's father had his first heart attack at 43 and died young. Esselstyn is 79 years old and looks like Zeus. He received his surgical training at the Cleveland Clinic, where he has been the president of the medical staff, a member of the board of governors, the chairman of the breast cancer task force and the head of thyroid and parathyroid surgery. He has served as president of the American Association of Endocrine Surgeons.

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Tween 12 & 20: Taking part in extracurricular activities is important



ROBERT WALLACE

DR. WALLACE: I'm 14 and a freshman in high school. I was an A student in junior high, and I'm also getting all A's now. My parents, who were born in Korea, consider my grades all-important, just as their parents did in Korea.

I love my parents dearly, but they put so much pressure on me to be a superior student that sometimes I feel like running away. If I were to get a final grade of B in one of my courses, my parents would collapse in horror. I've got to study three hours per evening on school days and five hours on Saturday and five hours on Sunday. I'm not allowed to participate in school activities. I'm not allowed to join clubs, go to athletic games or even see a school play. To them, these things might interfere with my making straight A's.

I would like to join a club and go to a football game, but the answer is always no. What can I do to convince them that I could still get excellent grades and enjoy being a total student, not just a "brain"? --Lu, San Diego, Calif.

LU: Your parents are so concerned about your academic success that they're pushing you to the breaking point and setting you up for failure. You are absolutely right that the best way to go through high school is as a total student, maintaining top grades and also fully partaking in extracurricular activities. You have a right to enjoy your life!

You need an ally. I suggest you talk with your counselor about the situation. Ask him or her to invite your parents to school for a conference so that this professional can discuss with them the value of participation in non-academic programs. Indeed, most colleges look for more than just superb grades. They like to see that a student has a broad range of extracurricular interests as well.

Do you wonder why people smoke?

TEENS: If your best friend smokes, will you eventually become a smoker? If your parents or brothers and sisters smoke, will you join in and participate in this nasty habit? Everyone knows how evil smoking is, and there are times you may wonder why anyone smokes at all. It's the company you keep.

A study of 12- to 18-year-olds conducted by the Los Angeles-based National Center for Health Statistics found that a teen was twice as likely to smoke if an older brother or sister did. They were three times more likely to smoke if their parents did, too. And half of the teen with two best friends who smoked were smokers themselves. If none of their best friends smoked, they almost never smoked. Twenty percent of teenagers smoke and more than half think they'll probably give it up within a year. The reality: Three out of four of them have already tried to quit at least once -- and failed.

Dr. Robert Wallace welcomes questions from readers. Although he is unable to reply to all of them individually, he will answer as many as possible in this column. Email him at rwallace@galesburg.net.



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10 reasons I wish George Washington were still alive: Part 3



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In the previous two columns, I highlighted the first seven of the top 10 reasons I wish George Washington were still alive:

10) Washington was a role model for many, even as a youth.

9) Washington epitomized courage.

8) Washington wasn't afraid of public opinion or challenging the status quo.

7) Washington was a man of integrity and character yet just as human as the rest of us.

6) Washington was a first-class servant leader who walked what he talked.

5) Washington didn't allow personal obstacles to stop his service to God, his family and his country.

4) Washington was a devoted family man.

Here are the remaining three reasons I wish he were still alive and why I believe the model of his life is still worthy to shadow today. (These are also the reasons I cited in my New York Times best-seller "Black Belt Patriotism," which has an expanded paperback edition.)

3) Washington revered God and religion, often elevating their irreplaceable and invaluable roles in our republic. For example, in 1789, during the same time when the First Amendment was written, then-President Washington signed into law the Northwest Ordinance, which states, "Religion, Morality and knowledge being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, Schools and the means of education shall be forever encouraged."

On Oct. 3, 1789, Washington issued the first presidential Thanksgiving proclamation to God: "a day of public thanksgiving and prayer to be observed by acknowledging, with grateful hearts, the many signal favors of Almighty God."

A must-see at Washington's estate at Mount Vernon is his museum's exhibition display and video (set up within a mini chapel setting) of how the general of the Revolutionary War and the first president of our nation esteemed God and religion — not exactly what you might read in textbooks or hear in classrooms today about Washington.

2) Washington led our nation with frugality and self-sacrifice. Throughout the Revolutionary War as commander in chief of the Continental Army, Washington refused to accept any pay, though he was reimbursed by Congress for expenses accrued during the war. He was reluctant even to be paid as president but was convinced by others that it would not be a good precedent for future presidents. So Congress gave Washington $25,000 a year, the largest salary in the U.S. for personal service at the time (2 percent of the national budget).

It should be noted, however, that being president then didn't have the thousands of perks that come with the position today, including a free mansion in which to live. For example, after staying for 16 months in New York, Washington and his wife, Martha, rented a mansion in Philadelphia (the nation's capital before D.C.), where they lived from 1790-97.

Washington had to use his salary both for official duties and to maintain his personal affairs. It was an amount that even he complained was scarcely enough.

Because Washington conducted presidential business from that residence, as well, he supported a robust staff, in addition to his family. Ushistory.org notes, "In November (1790), when the presidential household moved in, there were up to thirty people living on the premises: Washington, his wife, Martha, and her grandchildren, Nelly and G.W. Parke Custis; Chief Secretary Tobias Lear, his wife, and the three male secretaries; eight enslaved Africans from Mount Vernon; and about fifteen white servants."

Much is made today of Washington's financial fortune (USA Today labeled him "the big daddy of presidential wealth"), but most overlook that his wealth was largely amassed in the Mount Vernon estate, which he inherited from his elder half brother in 1761, and in Martha's land and slaves, inherited from her former husband.

1) The No. 1 reason I wish George Washington were still alive is that his character and leadership are so rare and desperately needed in our nation's capital today, as much as, if not even more so than, it was in our republic's formation.

Lent devotionals through March 13

Day 22 – Saturday

Scripture: Lk 23:8-12

When Herod saw Jesus, he was greatly pleased, because for a long time he had been wanting to see him. From what he had heard about him, he hoped to see him perform some miracle. He plied him with many questions, but Jesus gave him no answer. The chief priests and the teachers of the law were standing there, vehemently accusing him. Then Herod and his soldiers ridiculed and mocked him. Dressing him in an elegant robe, they sent him back to Pilate. That day Herod and Pilate became friends - before this they had been enemies. (The Gospels Interwoven,)



Mike Sublett

Devotional:

This robe was not a common item at all, far from it. In fact, it was a garment worthy of a King's wardrobe. Either Herod or someone in his administration or maybe even one of his soldiers came up with the comedic idea of dressing this lowly criminal in the most regal garment they could find. It turned out to be this robe. They did it for the sake of their own entertainment, for the hilarity they might experience as they teased.

Little did they know, but it made more sense than anything else that happened that day. Oh, not their mocking and belittling of this King of the Jews, but the royal message that this stately robe proclaimed. Jesus' response to all of this mockery? "… but Jesus gave him no answer."

If I dress up Jesus with my Kingly words, but then bail out on Him with my actions, is it possible that I am acting just like Herod? Do I ever fail to give Him His due honor by my life? Am I ever a "fake robe"? Or worse yet, am I ever a cheap garage sale robe on the back of the King of kings? I want my life to match the reverence that I feel for Jesus in my heart. I don't want to be a fake robe or a cheap robe on His back. I want to be the most regal of robes for my King to wear. But in my own strength this will never happen. Only by His power and might can this weakly human be transformed into a royal garment for the King to wear every day in this world. I submit, Lord. I submit to Your transformation again.

Prayer: I know there have been times when You put me on as Your garment for the day and people looked confused at You. My life didn't match You, it didn't put You on display. I don't want those times any more. I know I can't be You, but by Your strength I can at least "fit"; make sense to lost onlookers as one of Your disciples. I need to do that; I need to be that for You. Help me. Amen.

4th Sunday - Praise The Lord!

Get your celebratory devotional at church. And if you weren't planning on going, then there is still time to repent and GO! God bless. Day 23 – Monday Scripture: Mt. 26:19 While Pilate was sitting on the judge's seat, his wife sent him this message: "Don't have anything to do with that innocent man, for I have suffered a great deal today in a dream; because of him." (The Gospels Interwoven,) Devotional:

Since most people of Jesus' day were uneducated and could neither read nor write, a piece of paper like this note was actually rather uncommon. Pilate's wife may have been educated, knowing all about reading and writing, but she failed to know the only important thing: JESUS. God reached out to her the previous night in a dream; even to Pilate through her. Oh, we don't know the details of the dream, but she sure got its meaning. The next day as the events began to unfold she knew what she must do. She scribbled a note to her husband. The message from God was simple: LEAVE MY SON ALONE. Pilate had his hands full with round 2 of this Jesus vs the Jewish leaders mess. He had tried to pass the buck to Herod, but it wasn't Herod's first camel race. He played ping pong with Pilate and bounced Jesus right back into the governor's court. Just about then the note arrived. Pilate was looking for a way out and just like any husband, he wanted to make his wife happy. (happy wife, happy life was just as true back then) But he didn't see any way out the public commotion releasing Jesus would cause if he followed his wife's bidding, so he disregarded the note. What he didn't realize is that meant that he was turning his back on God's warning and therefore on God.

I wonder how many notes I have received from God? Not the kind written on paper, but the ones from a dream or that small still voice or just a prompting from God. How often has He tried to share His wisdom with me at a critical moment only to find me daydreaming? The really sad consideration though is: how many times has He sent the next steps of His plan for me, only to watch me tear up the note and plunge headlong into my own plan for me?

I need more discernment when it comes to "notes" from God. I don't want to ignore any of them. I sure enough don't want to tear one of them up right in His face.

Prayer:

So knowing me like I do, God, I'm going to need Your help. Sometimes I will need a thump from You when I'm slow to listen. At other times when I'm considering not paying any attention to what I clearly heard You say, I may even need a few licks with my dad's old cowboy belt. And Lord, there may even come a time (I hope not) when I hear you speak and I just tear the note up right in Your face. If that time ever comes, please, love me enough to squash me like a bug and wake me up and save my soul. Do anything and everything it takes to keep me on Your course for my life. That's what I'm begging You to do, Father. Amen.

Day 24 – Tuesday

Scripture: Mt 27:24-31; Mk 15:15-20; Lk 23:23-25; Jn 19:1-16 Wanting to satisfy the crowd, Pilate released Barabbas to them. Then Pilate took Jesus and had him flogged. The soldiers led Jesus away into the palace (that is, the Praetorium) and called together the whole company of soldiers around him. They stripped him and put a purple robe on him, and then twisted together a crown of thorns and set it on his head. They put a staff in his right hand. "Hail, O king of the Jews!" they began to call out to him. Falling on their knees in front of him, they worshiped him and mocked him. They spit on him, and took the staff and struck him on the head and face again and again. (The Gospels Interwoven,)

Devotional:

It was a Roman whip for flogging. A simple device: a handle, several leather cords and bits of metal or rock tied on to each cord. Its purpose was also simple: rip the body of a criminal into bloody bits and pieces, but not kill him.

One day I watched a caning of a criminal in Singapore; 25 strikes on the buttocks with a 3 ft. long cane about the thickness of my little finger. It was excruciating to watch. No blood broke through the skin until the 24th strike.

There is absolutely no comparison between a 36" cane and a Roman whip. From the first lash of the Roman whip there was blood. Each strike ripped gashes beneath the skin, into the muscles, eventually all the way to the bone. I cannot watch the flogging scene in Passion of the Christ without sobbing. And as vivid as those visual images are, they are nothing compared to what actually happened that day.

Isaiah was right, "Surely he took up our pain and bore our suffering, yet we considered him punished by God, stricken by him, and afflicted. 5 But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed. 53:4-5

Prayer:

Sacrificial Lamb, without a doubt I am not worthy of what You did, who You are and what You gave. I won't ever be. But with Your help the depth of my appreciation for the suffering created by each and every lash can grow. Don't let me ever become desensitized. Keep my emotions near the surface, my tear ducts free flowing. Keep my heart as tender as freshly tilled garden soil. Thank You so much for what You went through that day for me. Amen.

Day 25 – Wednesday

Scripture: Mt 27:24-31; Mk 15:15-20; Lk 23:23-25; Jn 19:1-16 Wanting to satisfy the crowd, Pilate released Barabbas to them. Then Pilate took Jesus and had him flogged. The soldiers led Jesus away into the palace (that is, the Praetorium) and called together the whole company of soldiers around him. They stripped him and put a purple robe on him, and then twisted together a crown of thorns and set it on his head. They put a staff in his right hand. "Hail, O king of the Jews!" they began to call out to him. Falling on their knees in front of him, they worshiped him and mocked him. They spit on him, and took the staff and struck him on the head and face again and again. (The Gospels Interwoven,)

Devotional:

The actual plant that the thorny vine/limb was taken from is unnamed in the Gospels. The 5 most likely candidates are: 1- Christ thorn, 2-Thorny or Spiny Burnet, 3- Syrian Christ thorn, 4- Buckthorn, 5- White thorn. Whichever plant the crown was constructed from, it was first dried so as to harden it thereby making it much more useful for producing suffering. Now that Jesus was back under Pilate's thumb and the flogging was completed, the governor's soldiers mimicked the actions of the soldiers at Herod's palace. They clothed Jesus in a royal purple robe and the crown of thorns. The robe was nothing new, but He surely ached as it moved back and forth across His torn back and at times even stuck to the bloody flesh. However, the crown of thorns was a new kind of pain. And the soldiers weren't content with setting the crown on His head; they had to drive it into place so it wouldn't fall off. As each thorn plunged through the scalp and only stopped when it hit the skull, the blood started to flow profusely. All this happened to the one who really was the King, deserving of a solid gold crown; one who could have stopped it all, but didn't.

I wonder how often my sins have been like a thorn to Jesus? I know that when I hear something particularly disappointing about the behavior of someone I love, that it hurts; especially if I was a mentor, teacher or parent to them. How often are my actions a disappointment to Him, painful to Him? It's no fun to think about that one. I need to be more careful, think more about how my actions affect other people and Jesus.

Prayer:

Jesus, I know that my sins put You on that cross as surely as anyone's. But I hadn't thought of my sins continuing to cause You suffering and pain. So for that I am sorry. Help me be more careful. I don't want You to suffer one more moment for me. You already did that on Calvary. Amen.

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Texas unemployment rate for January up slightly

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas unemployment rate for January rose slightly to 6.3 percent. The Texas Workforce Commission on Friday announced the higher jobless rate compares to a seasonally adjusted 6.2 percent in December and 7.2 percent in January 2012. Nationwide unemployment for January was 7.9 percent and slipped to 7.7 percent in February. Workforce officials say Texas employers continued to expand their payrolls in January with the addition of 10,400 total nonfarm jobs for a total of 310,900 jobs added during 2012. Chairman Andres Alcantar says the Texas economy continues to add jobs and create opportunity with growth in all 11 major industries over the last year.

Midland had the lowest statewide unemployment in January at 3.4 percent. The McAllen-Edinburg-Mission area had the state's highest jobless rate at 11.6 percent.

sunday horoscope

A baby born today has a Sun and Moon in Pisces.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Sunday, March 10, 2013:

This year you break down barriers by implementing many of your ideas. Explain your reasoning, and be willing to respond to inquiries. A slow but steady course will take you where you want to go. If you are single, decide what type of bond you desire. Summer holds several romantic possibilities. There is a strong likelihood that you will meet the right person at that time. If you are attached, as a couple you might decide to make one of your long-term desires a reality. The result will be a stronger bond between you. A fellow PISCES might act differently, but he or she has similar issues.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★ You have been so busy lately that you might need some extra R and R. Take the time now, and you will feel much better. You could find it difficult to say "no" to those around you who call or invite you out. Don't question your actions. Tonight: Kick back and relax.

This Week: If you can take off Monday, do. By Tuesday, you become nearly unstoppable.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★★ Others want to be a part of your day. Fielding calls could be a full-time job; instead, make plans and head out the door. You have a tendency to overindulge others. Laugh and relax with your friends. Tonight: Favorite dinner, favorite place.

This Week: Monday and Tuesday, take action while you can.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★ Check in with an older loved one before making plans. Once you take care of your responsibilities, you could be taken aback by all of your options. Right now, you are a force to be dealt with; you're not exactly willing to be pushed into any corners. Tonight: Out for dinner.

This Week: By Thursday, you'll want to cocoon. Get a lot done before then.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Reach out to those within your circle of family and friends who might not be around you on a regular basis. Listening to them will help you escape from the here and now. You could gain a new perspective as a result. Tonight: Think "vacation."

This Week: Explore different ideas, then get feedback.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ One person wants you and does not want to share! Hopefully, you feel the same way. If not, you probably need to be clearer about your desires. Crowds are less pleasing than usual; you will enjoy one-on-one interactions much more. Tonight: Celebrate.

This Week: Work with others and open your mind.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★★ Popularity is nice, especially when it enables you to choose your plans and the people involved. Nevertheless, you might need to respond to a friend or parent. This person might be demanding, but he or she gives a lot in return. Tonight: Touch base with a neighbor.

This Week: Defer to others.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★ Work with someone directly. You will feel better with this person if you are spontaneous. News from a distance makes you very happy -- you even might have some difficulty focusing. Use good sense with financial decisions. Tonight: Surround yourself with great music.

This Week: Dive into a project Monday, before your popularity interferes.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Act on a creative idea that might involve a partner. You can't restrain your imagination, nor should you. Just go with the flow. Expressing yourself freely might not be easy, but it is a necessity for your overall well-being. Tonight: Go for something adventurous or frisky.

This Week: Your creativity emerges as a strong force.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ Slow down, and spend some quality time with a family member. You have a lot of people seeking you out. When you are thinking of someone in particular, oddly enough, he or she seems to appear. Work through a negative situation in your mind. Tonight: Order in.

This Week: Stay close to home.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ Catch up on friends' news. Your perspective could change dramatically as the day goes on. Opt for a spontaneous get-together at your place, and bring different friends and loved ones together. You are changing right in front of someone's eyes. Tonight: At a favorite haunt.

This Week: Expect a hectic Monday; it will define the remainder of the week.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★ You might be living as if there is no tomorrow. Your happier side emerges when shopping and indulging others. You might want to give someone a gift that implies a change to that person's life. Be careful, as you could get a negative reaction. Tonight: Your treat.

This Week: A money discussion could be critical Monday.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ As you weigh the pros and cons of a change on the homefront, others will give you their opinions. You might not agree at first, but these people are coming from a point of view that you might need to take into consideration. Tonight: You call the shots.

This Week: Roll into Monday a force to be dealt with.

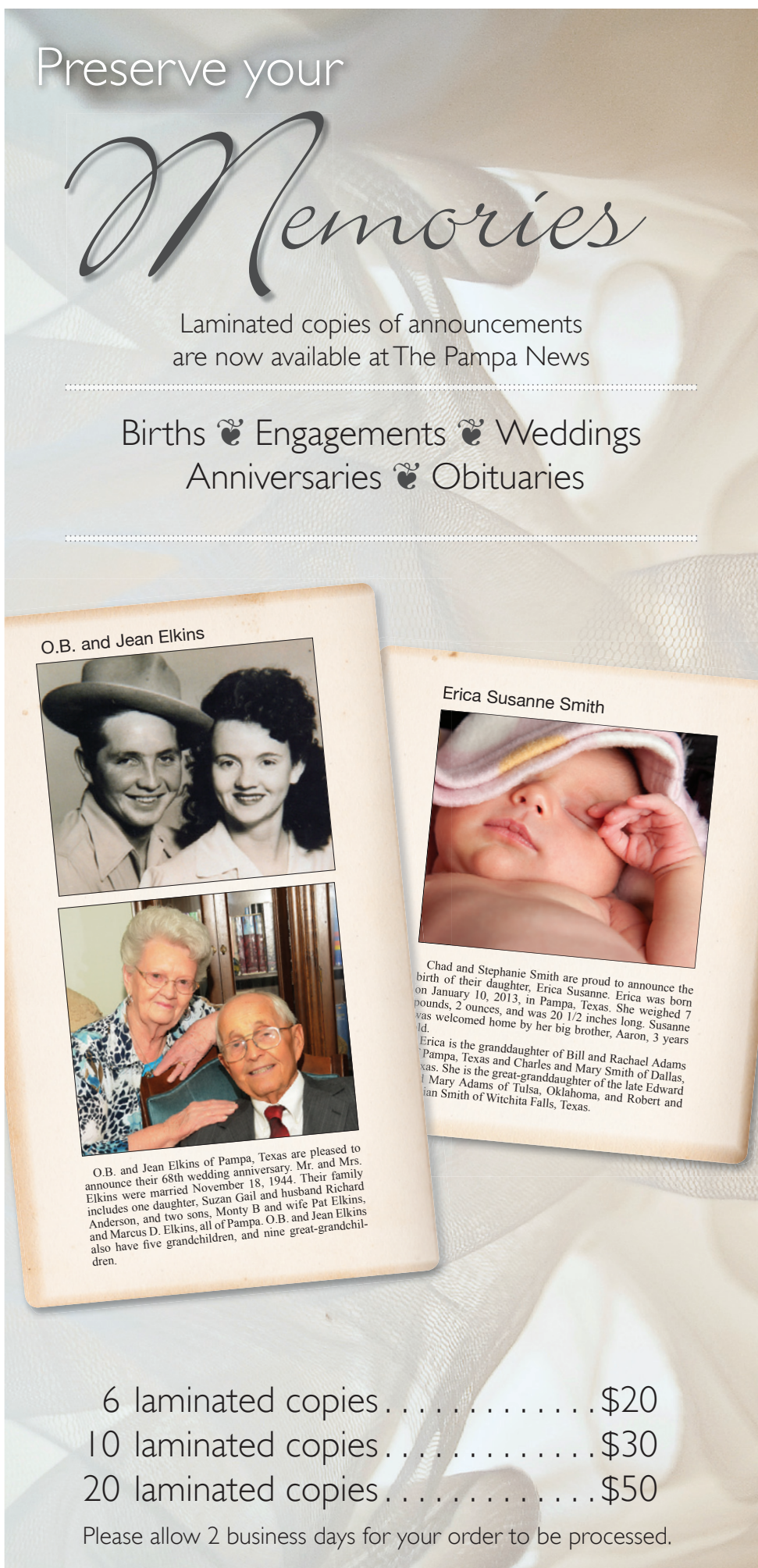
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Actor Chuck Norris (1940), singer Carrie Underwood (1983), actress Sharon Stone (1958)













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Food

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On a typical day, the jail serves three meals a day to between 65-70 inmates.

Breakfast is served around 6 a.m. and consists of a pint of milk, a 4-ounce carton of fruit juice, a individual-sized box of cereal, 4 ounces of fruit — fresh or canned, and coffee if the inmate wants it.

Since nothing needs to be cooked for breakfast, it is served by the jailers, Marshall said.

She comes in around 8:30 to begin preparing for lunch at 11:45 a.m. and then supper at 4:45 p.m.

Menus for lunch and supper vary from day to day, she said.

"For lunch they can have anything from sandwiches and chips, fresh vegetables or chicken strips," she said.

Supper items can include lasagna, Italian vegetables, salads, roast beef, vegetables and mashed potatoes and gravy.

There is no coffee served during lunch or supper, but inmates can have tea.

On Wednesdays and Sundays, the inmates are given desserts.

The jail food service doesn't provide snacks to the inmates, but inmates can buy them in the jail commissary.

"It's good food," Marshall said. "For supper, there's usually two vegetables, meat and salad."

For many inmates, the food they eat while in jail is much better than what they'd eat on the outside.

Copeland said he's seen inmates come in as skinny as a rail, only to be in a much better state of health when they leave.

Unlike what you see in the movies, the inmates do not eat in a big dining room or mess hall.

They eat in what are called "day rooms," common areas where they are allowed to spend time while out of their cells.

"Some of the inmates call the day rooms their houses," Marshall said.

The jail must abide by nutritional guidelines set by the state, and a dietician from the kitchen's food service company, Sysco, works with Marshall to meet those guidelines.

There are special meals for inmates who are diabetic or have food allergies.

"Inmates who are vegetarians won't get meat and just eat vegetables," she said. "We had an inmate once who couldn't eat beef, so he ate turkey instead."

Currently, Marshall doesn't have any full-time employees working under her, but does have two part-timers.

Most of her help, however, comes from four trustee inmates.

"The trustees do most of the prep and help serve," she said. "They enjoy helping."

Copeland praised Marshall for how well she runs her operation.

"Barb has been a good, faithful employee," he said. "She follows all the rules and regulations from the health department and is a good overall employee."



Photo by Timothy P. Howsare

A dry marker board used for daily meal planning.

Pole taken to hospital with screwdriver in head

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — Polish doctors say a 25-year-old man has undergone a three-hour operation to remove a screwdriver lodged about five centimeters (two inches) into his head.

Dr. Jan Kochanowicz, one of the doctors who treated the man in the Polish city of Bialystok, said the man apparently fell and lost consciousness, but does not remember that.

When he regained consciousness he was at first aware only of pain in a hand before realizing something else was wrong. He walked to his car, looked in a mirror and noticed the screwdriver, penetrating his forehead just above his right eye.

Kochanowicz told the station TVN24 the man smoked a cigarette before calling a neighbor who got him to the hospital.

The screwdriver did not damage the man's eyes or brain.

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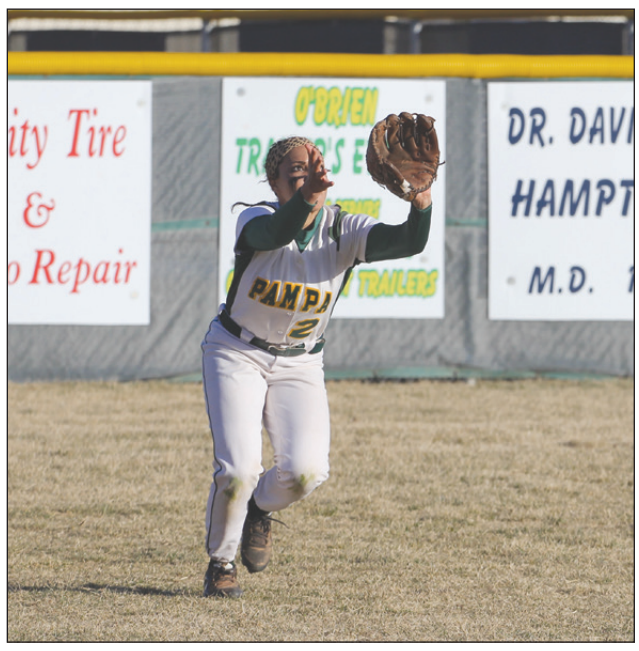
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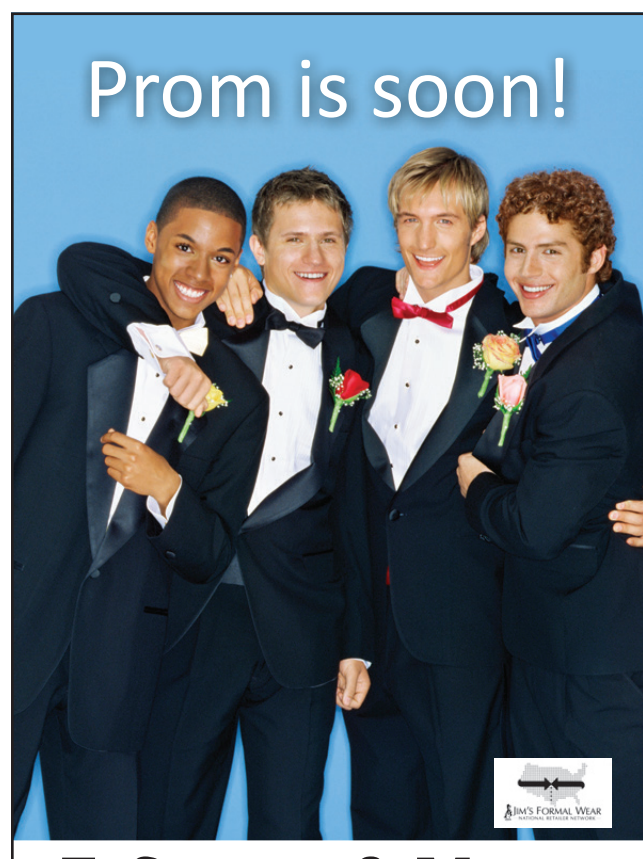
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Above left, Jessie Dixon streches out to attempt to catch the ball and force a Plainview out before the runner tags first base. Above center, Martecia Alexander gets into position in the outfield to prepare to make a catch. Above right, Bailey Dixon catches a pitch in her mitt after the Plainview batter swlngs and misses. Below left, Kassie Jerome slides back to first base while the Lady Bulldog first baseman looks to see if the umpire called Jerome safe or out. Below right, Brittney Gonzalez slides safely into second base as the tag was not applied in time. Pampa defeated Plainview 3-2 on Tuesday afternoon.





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2012-13 ALL-DISTRICT 1-3A TEAMS



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FIRST TEAM. Senior Derrek Pollard made the All-District 1-3A first team.



FIRST TEAM. Senior Ty Hutto earned All-District 1-3A first team honors.



FIRST TEAM AND NEWCOMER. Freshman Cade Engle made the All-District 1-3A first team and was named Newcomer of the Year for the district.



HONORARY. Senior Jon Cox was All-District 1-3A honorable mention.



HONORARY. Senior Tyler Powell was All-District 1-3A honorable mention.



NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR. Sophomore Taylor Eubank was named Newcomer of the Year for District 1-3A.



FIRST TEAM. Sophomore Madison Brown made the All-District 1-3A first team.



FIRST TEAM. Junior Hayley Burnett earned All-District 1-3A first team recognition.

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2013 NASCAR Sprint Cup standings as of March 3

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Driver standings through March 3

1. Jimmie Johnson, 90.
2. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 82.
3. Brad Keselowski, 82.
4. Denny Hamlin, 72.
5. Clint Bowyer, 72.
6. Greg Biffle, 66.
7. Mark Martin, 65.
8. Jeff Gordon, 60.
9. Ricky Stenhouse Jr., 60.
10. Aric Almirola, 60.
11. Carl Edwards, 59.
12. Marcos Ambrose, 52.
13. J.J. Yeley, 50.
14. Bobby Labonte, 49.
15. Jeff Burton, 48.
16. David Reutimann, 48.
17. Paul Menard, 48.
18. Matt Kenseth, 46.
19. Casey Mears, 45.
20. Ryan Newman, 44.
21. Joey Logano, 44.

Wrestling body to meet in Moscow to elect leader

BY STEPHEN WILSON
AP Sports Writer



Nenad Lalovic

LONDON (AP) — Wrestling's governing body will meet in Moscow in May to elect a new leader and adopt changes to the sport's rules as it seeks to regain its place on the Olympic program.

Acting FILA president Nenad Lalovic tells The Associated Press the federation will hold an extraordinary congress in Moscow on May 18, just 10 days before the IOC executive board meets in St. Petersburg, Russia, to discuss the program for the 2020 Games.

Lalovic says he will run for the presidency to lead the sport's bid to overturn last month's decision by the IOC board to cut wrestling from the 2020 list.

The Serbian official says "we have to make changes to modernize our sport."

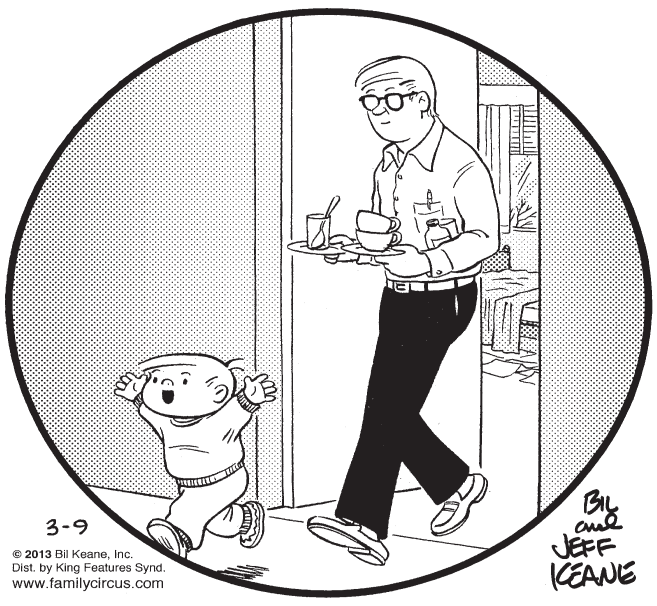
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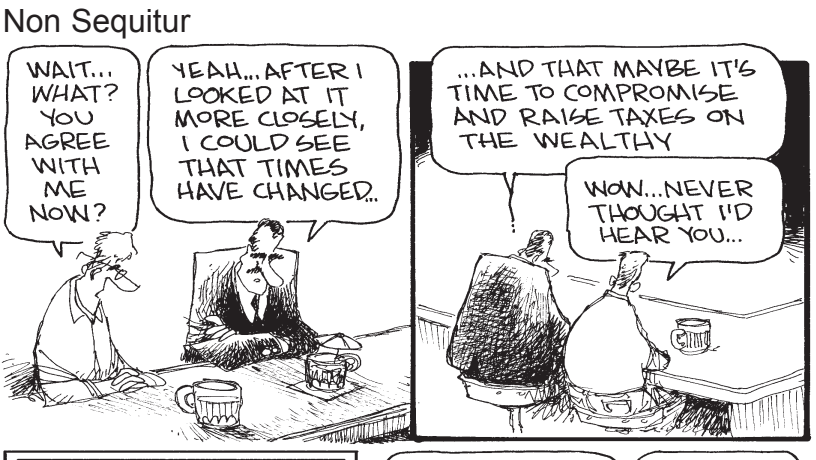
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THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane

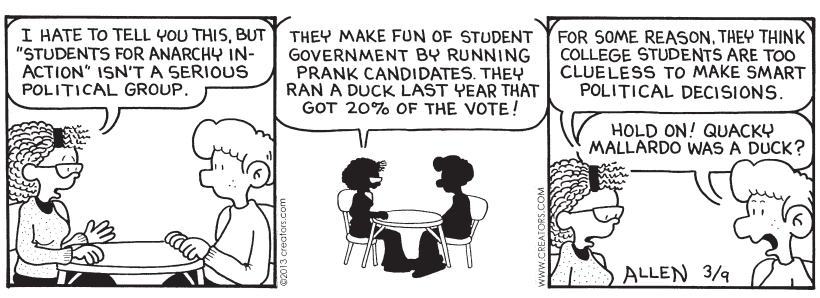


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Nest Heads



daily horoscope

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Monday, March 11, 2013:

This year your creativity flourishes and evolves. Others look to you for resolutions to their problems. Your dynamic mental perspective translates into high energy. Choose where you would like to focus your emotional and intellectual assets. You have a lot going for you, and many people admire your style. If you are single, you can afford to be discriminating when it comes to romantic suitors. If you are attached, your passion comes through in many ways, especially toward your sweetie. PISCES always wants to help or be helped.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★ Take some time to reflect on an important decision. You might have mixed feelings when someone comes to you and shares a personal matter. Think carefully before you react. You are about to greet a new beginning in your life; embrace it positively. Tonight: Get some zzz's.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★★ A meeting could indirectly trigger a decision that points to a new path. You might find that others seem unusually supportive. Don't be surprised if you receive a touching compliment or two. Conversations will go in the direction you choose. Tonight: Meet up with pals.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ A long-desired fresh start finally becomes possible. You might care a lot about a superior or a parent and want to share your feelings with this person. Opportunities will arise -- most likely involving your work -- because of your positive energy. Tonight: Burn the midnight oil.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Listen to your sixth sense when dealing with a friend or loved one. Talk to someone you respect to get feedback about a decision. The more information you have, the surer you will be about the course you want to take. Tonight: Let your imagination lead the way.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ Deal with others directly on matters involving money and/or relationships. New beginnings become possible when brainstorming with others. You even might reverse a stance and approach a matter quite differently as a result. Tonight: Togetherness is the theme.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ Others come forward and have a lot to share. Don't think that someone's decision is a given, if it involves you. Lighten up about a change. A new beginning will become possible if you do. Indulge a loved one -- he or she will appreciate the attention. Tonight: Go with the moment.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★ Recognize that a loved one might have a lot going on right now. Do your best to chip in and help, yet honor your limits. Be clear about what you expect from someone. If you want to proceed with some offbeat diet, check in with your doctor first. Tonight: Time to relax.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Your solutions, though perhaps dynamic and workable, might evoke trepidation in someone. You have the ability to help this person work through his or her fear of risk-taking. He or she will be grateful for your efforts. Tonight: Let your imagination rock and roll.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★ Stay close to home if possible. You might want to instrument a change in your household, or maybe you just need some more downtime. Someone genuinely admires your work ethic. You can't replace this person's appreciation for your efforts. Tonight: Happy at home.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★★ Verbalize your wishes in such a way that others will "get" your message. You might decide to take a workshop to improve your communication style -- not because you have a problem, but because you care about others. Tonight: Chat over a meal and clear up a problem.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ Follow a suggestion involving your budget. Buy a token of affection or a card for a loved one. You don't need a reason. Be open to approaching a financial situation in a new way, especially if what you are doing now is not working. Tonight: Hold off on making a purchase.

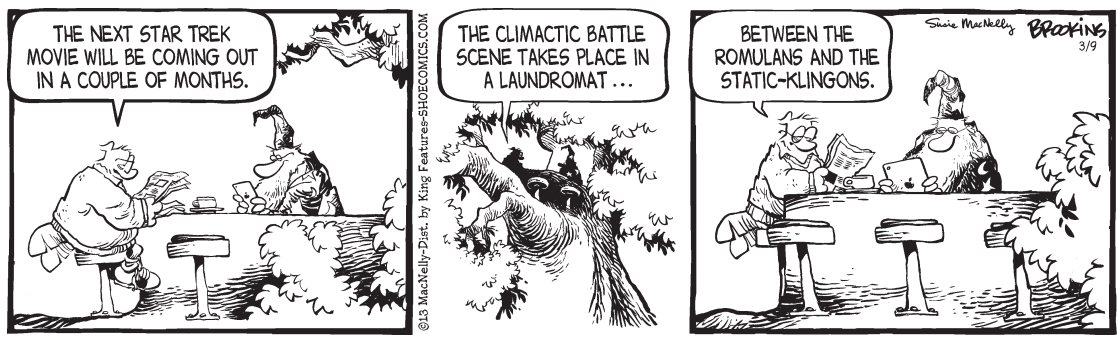
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★★ You express unusual grace and caring. Use this gift well to clear up an awkward situation. Resolutions and commitments made today are likely to succeed. Start a diet, or choose a different area that you would like to transform. Tonight: Respond to a friend's request for help.

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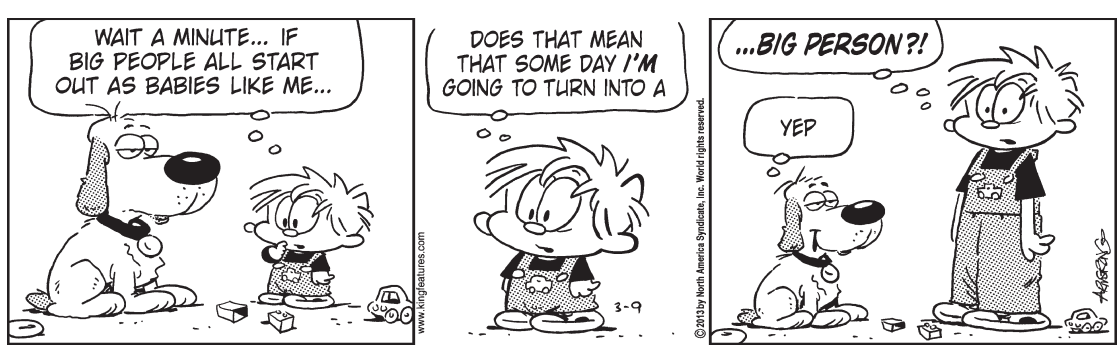
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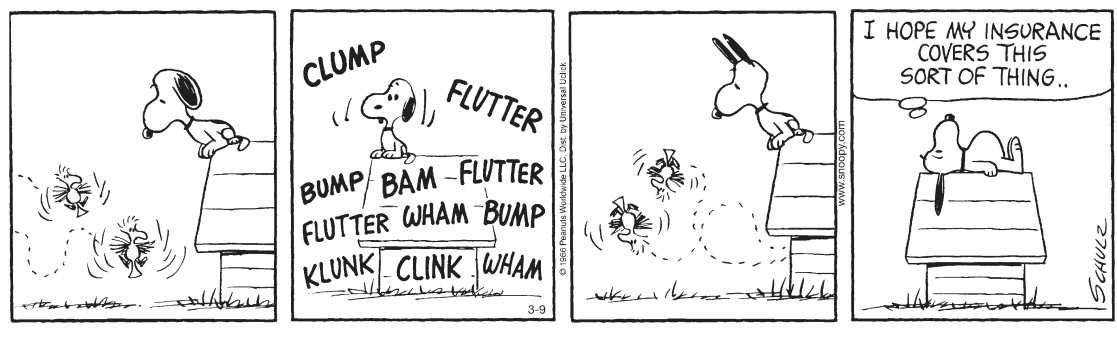
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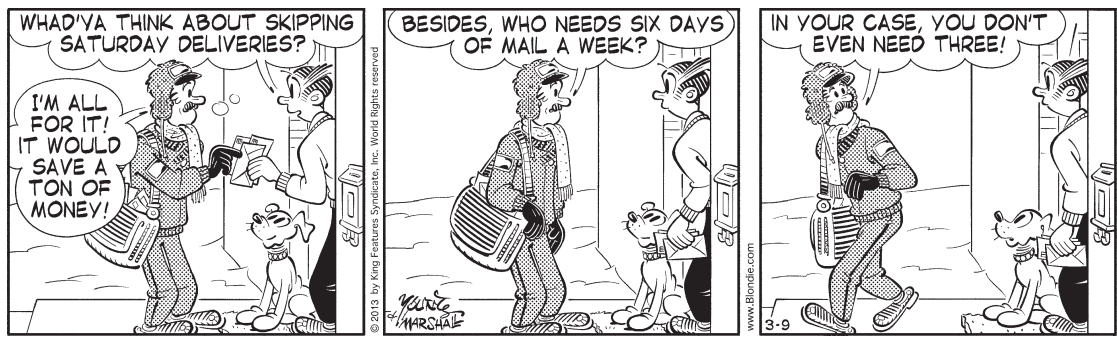
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Peanuts



Blondie



Golf thought of the week: Get golf ready



Tim Stadler

Spring is here and it is time to Get Golf Ready! As Play Golf America's featured introductory program, "Get Golf Ready" is aimed at bringing adults into the game in a fast, fun and affordable way. This program is available to the Pampa Country Club Membership and their guests for the low cost of $100 for 5 lessons. The groups will be made up of 5-8 students and will last 45 minutes to one hour each lesson. The students are not required to bring golf clubs. Daniel Williams or I will supply golf equipment for the students.

This program is designed to teach new students in five lessons and prepare them to get onto the golf course with confidence.

Offering "play" experiences is what makes this program unique as each lesson is designed to include on-course activities and transition students to regular play. Contact the Pro Shop to schedule you or your group today 665-8432.

Put your hips into it

Ben Hogan, regarded by many golf brains as the finest ever striker of a golf ball, used to speak about his shoulders, arms and hands getting a 'free ride' at the start of the golf swing. The winner of nine Major Championships in the 1940s and '50s was talking about a fundamental element of technique in almost all sports: the kinetic chain.

It's useful to think about the tennis serve for comparison. Where the golf swing has a downswing, the serve generates its power with an upward explosion of the body. Imagine a tennis player beginning that explosion with his arms. Having coiled the entire body, beginning the forward swing with the arms would make no sense.

The chain begins with the legs uncoiling the body and thrusting it upwards and forwards. It's a flowing movement through the legs, hips, torso and finally arms and racquet.

Many club golfers begin the downswing in the wrong order. Often there is too much arm and shoulder movement too early. Ben Hogan had a distinct swing, and it certainly wouldn't work for everyone, but his emphasis on the hips is a useful tool. Hogan began the downswing with his hips — the 'Hogan hip slide' — giving his arms a 'free ride'; if only momentarily.

I wouldn't advise you take much of the detail from Hogan's distinctive swing. My point is that he had some fundamentals that really work.

Just like he adjusted his swing after severe injury in a car accident in 1949, you will have your own physical restraints to work around.

Your hips may not be as supple as they once were, so aiming at swinging like a Tour Pro doesn't make sense.

But come and visit me for a lesson and I'll analyze your swing, especially the downswing and hip movement, and help you make it work better for you.

Call to book your lesson now.

Regards,
Tim Stadler Head Golf Professional
Pampa Country Club

The Pampa News Sports Briefs

For the full schedule and latest updates visit Pampaisd.net, then click on "District" and then click on "Athletics Department. Changes can be and sometimes are made after the Sports Briefs are published. To keep up to date with the latest information visit the website.

TODAY, MARCH 9
- Baseball @ Altus Tournament.
- JV Baseball v. Woodward Doubleheader 11 a.m.
- Softball @ Snyder Tournament.
- Boys and Girls golf in Pampa.

MONDAY, MARCH 11
- Boys soccer v. Dumas 7 p.m.
- Girls soccer v. Dumas 5 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12
- Softball @ Lubbock Monterey 3 p.m. & 5:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13
- Baseball v. Childress 1 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 14
- Softball @ Canyon 4 p.m. & 6 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 15
- Baseball @ Guymon 5 p.m.
- JV softball @ West Texas High 1 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 16
- Softball v. Perryton noon & 2 p.m.

GO HARVESTERS!

2013 NASCAR Sprint Cup upcoming schedule

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March 10 — Kobalt Tools 400, Las Vegas
March 17 — Food City 500, Bristol, Tenn.
March 24 — Auto Club 400, Fontana, Calif.
April 7 — STP Gas Booster 500, Ridgeway, Va.
April 13 — Texas 500, Fort Worth, Texas
April 21 — STP 400, Kansas City, Kan.
April 27 — Toyota Owners 400, Richmond, Va.
May 5 — Aaron's 499, Talladega, Ala.
May 11 — Bojangles' Southern 500, Darlington, S.C.
May 18 — x-Sprint Showdown, Concord, N.C.
May 18 — x-NASCAR Sprint All-Star Race, Concord, N.C.
May 26 — Coca-Cola 600, Concord, N.C.
June 2 — Dover 400, Dover, Del.
June 9 — Pocono 400, Long Pond, Pa.
June 16 — Quicken Loans 400, Brooklyn, Mich.
June 23 — Toyota/Save Mart 350, Sonoma, Calif.
June 29 — Quaker State 400, Sparta, Ky.
July 6 — Coke Zero 400 powered by Coca-Cola, Daytona Beach, Fla.
July 14 — New Hampshire 300, Loudon, N.H.
July 28 — Crown Royal Presents The Your Hero's Name Here 400 at The Brickyard, Indianapolis
Aug. 4 — Pennsylvania 400, Long Pond, Pa.
Aug. 11 — Cheez-It 355 at The Glen, Watkins Glen, N.Y.
Aug. 18 — Pure Michigan 400, Brooklyn, Mich.
Aug. 24 — Irwin Tools Night Race, Bristol, Tenn.
Sept. 1 — AdvoCare 500 at Atlanta, Hampton, Ga.
Sept. 7 — Federated Auto Parts 400, Richmond, Va.
Sept. 15 — GEICO 400, Joliet, Ill.
Sept. 22 — Sylvania 300, Loudon, N.H.
Sept. 29 — AAA 400, Dover, Del.
Oct. 6 — Hollywood Casino 400, Kansas City, Kan.
Oct. 12 — Bank of America 500, Concord, N.C.
Oct. 20 — Camping World RV Sales 500, Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 27 — Goody's Fast Relief 500, Ridgeway, Va.
Nov. 3 — AAA Texas 500, Fort Worth, Texas
Nov. 10 — AdvoCare 500, Avondale, Ariz.
Nov. 17 — Ford EcoBoost 400, Homestead, Fla.

Slow-pitch softball tournament

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Pampa Recreation is hosting a slow-pitch softball tournament on March 16 at Recreation Park.

The entry fee is $200 and the deadline to register is 5 p.m., March 13. Those who wish to play must be 16 years of age or older.

For more information contact Autumn Schaub at 806-669-1044, 806-292-1912 or by email pamparecreation@gmail.com.

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Weekly Menus

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TUESDAY, March 12
Baked tilapia/garden bend rice or smothered steak, steak fries, California blend, cream corn, pinto beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, carrot cake, butterscotch pie, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread
WEDNESDAY, March 13
Roast beef brisket/brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, fried squash, green beans, butter beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, black forest cake, peach cobbler, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread
THURSDAY, March 14
Chicken strips or pork roast/dressing, Au Gratin potatoes, fried okra, carrots, pinto beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, french vanilla cake, chocolate pie, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread
FRIDAY, March 15
Cod fish filet/hushpuppies or lasagna, potato wedges, broccoli casserole, beans, brownies, rice pudding, fruit cup, garlic bread, hot roll, cornbread

Pampa Meals on Wheels

MONDAY, March 11
Beef stroganoff, lima beans, broccoli/carrots, peaches
TUESDAY, March 12
B.b.q. sandwiches, potato salad, baked beans, pineapple
WEDNESDAY, March 13
Meatloaf, scalloped potatoes, peas, pears
THURSDAY, March 14
Stew, cornbread, mixed fruit
FRIDAY, March 15
Tuna salad, pickled beets, cottage cheese, apricots



Company rewards workers with Beer Cart Friday

PORT ORANGE, Fla. (AP) — Employees at a Florida health care company are allowed to drink on the company's tab, on company time, thanks to a perk known as "Beer Cart Fridays."

Advance Medical CEO Jennifer Fuicelli told the Daytona Beach News-Journal she's been rolling out the beer cart for two years as part of an "unorthodox corporate culture" that rewards employees for hard work.

She says the company began in 2005 with four employees and now has 350 workers in two locations — Port Orange, Fla., and Broomfield, Colo.

The company also hosts costume days for Halloween, barbecues on the clock and a birthday "get out of jail free" card, which can be used for a paid day off.

Employees are restricted to one beer, which Fuicelli says is a small price that "pays huge dividends."

NY town OKs booing ban at board meetings

RIVERHEAD, N.Y. (AP) — Cheers? Yes. Jeers? Not so much.

Officials in the New York town of Riverhead, in eastern Long Island, have adopted a code of public behavior for town hall meetings that bans booing.

Newsday reports the Riverhead Town Board voted 4-1 to approve the proposal earlier this week. Councilman James Wooten was the lone dissenter.

The town council deleted a measure that also would have banned applause.

There are no penalties for violators.

NEW LIONS CLUB MEMBERS



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The Lions Club swears in two new members. Left, Dr. David Young, PISD superintendent, and Drew Potter, an employee at Coronado Healthcare Center.



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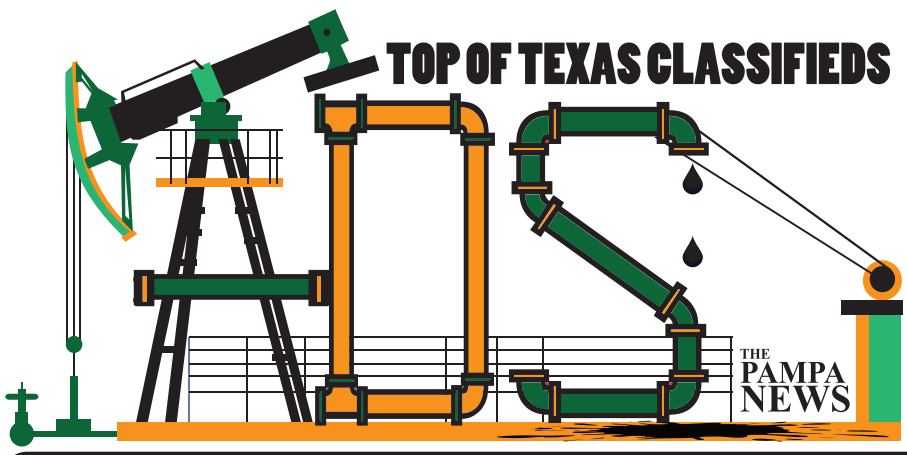
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Phillips 66 Borger Refinery
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We have opportunities at our Phillips 66 Borger Refinery in Borger, Texas as a Pump & Engine Mechanic (Millwright/Machinist). A Pump & Engine Mechanic will maintain various types of rotating equipment and will be responsible for troubleshooting and repair of various pumps, steam turbines, gear boxes, fans, blowers, mixers, reciprocating engines and compressors and ensures proper installation of equipment to industry standards. The entry level rate of pay for a qualified Pump & Engine Mechanic is $32.13/hr with an increase after 12 months to $33.53/hr. The Borger Refinery provides extensive training to employees, both classroom and on-the-job. Below are some of the basic requirements as well as some job specific requirements for this position.

- Must have one of the following: High school diploma or GED equivalent with a minimum of 2 years experience working with pumps, compressors or engines as an Pump and Engine Mechanic, Machinist, or Compressor Mechanic; **OR** an Associates Degree in Industrial Machinery Maintenance
- Minimum of 2 years of continuous recent full-time work experience
- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Must have a valid driver's license
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  - To maintain your face daily so that a respirator/face mask can seal properly (some examples include being free of facial hair and/or clean shaven)
  - To perform fire fighting duties
  - To work outside in harsh weather conditions
  - To work with petroleum products that are under high pressure and heat
  - To read technical procedures and materials in English
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For consideration and more information on the specific qualifications for each of these positions, apply online at: **www.phillips66.com/EN/careers** and click on "enter" in the Phillips 66 Careers section, then on "search" in the Job Search area. You can search by job titles or job requisition numbers. This job is called Pump & Engine Mechanic – Borger Refinery Requisition #00GXW.

All applications must be submitted electronically via the Phillips 66 website by April 7, 2013. An electronic resume must be attached to your electronic application. To seek computer help with the on-line application visit your local area Workforce Commission office. Job ID #4914041

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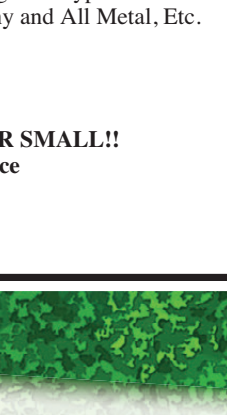
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AUSTIN SCHOOL DISTRICT — North and Northeast

1101 Christine St	$415,000	4/3/2 - 4278 SF/GCAD
2417 Navajo Rd	$138,500	3/1.75/1 - 2100 SF/Owner
2537 Mary Ellen St	$99,000	3/1.75/2 - 1348 SF/GCAD
2705 Navajo Rd	$89,900	3/1.75/1 - 1125 SF/GCAD
2145 Dogwood Ln	$89,000	3/2/2 - 1346 SF/GCAD
1313 Mary Ellen St	$65,000	3/1/1 - 1286 SF/GCAD
1510 Williston St	$65,000	4/1.5/1 - 1404 SF/GCAD

LAMAR SCHOOL DISTRICT — Southwest

310 West St	$81,000	4/1.75/2 - 1917 SF/GCAD
409 N Nelson St	$40,000	3/1/1 - 1008 SF/GCAD
1107 Finley St	$25,000	3/1.5/1 - 1244 SF/GCAD

TRAVIS SCHOOL DISTRICT — West and Northwest

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1048-1050 N Dwight St.	$115,900	2407 SF/GCAD Duplex
2128 N Dwight St	$59,500	3/1/1 - 1064 SF/GCAD
1510 N. Wells	$112,900	3/1.75/2 - 1544 SF/GCAD

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601 Magnolia St	$35,000	2/1/0 - 873 SF/GCAD
1132 Starkweather	$58,500	3/1.75/1 - 1365 SF/GCAD

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612 Ware Av, Groom	$130,000	3/1.75/4 - 1637 SF/CCAD
423 Overland, Fritch	$81,900	3/2/2 - 1444 SF/HCAD
16853 E-I40, Shamrock	$52,500	3/2/2 1684 SF/WCAD
1106 Hedgecoke Dr, Borger	$24,000	3/1/2 - 1120 SF/HCAD
411 Commerce St, McLean	$20,000	2/1/0 - 762 SF/GCAD

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30th & Charles St	$1,400,000	45.9 acres of land N of Walmart
30th & Charles	$653,400	5 acres-$3 sqft
FM 14 Rd, Lefors	$530,000	530 acres w/water well
500 W Harvester Av	$350,000	Lots south of United
302-308 W Foster	$309,900	4 Retail Outlets 10,874 SF/GCAD
854 S Hobart/900 Wilks St.	$175,000	4 Lots + 10' on north
420 W Foster Av	$165,000	Houston Lumb & Gas Station
Harvester St	$150,000	60 x 110 Bldg Lots
1421 N Hobart St	$137,500	1,816 SF/GCAD Smokehouse
1435 Alcock St	$135,000	2 Bldg. 3,200 SF/GCAD; 1,020 SF/GCAD
523 W Foster Av	$105,000	7,598 SF/GCAD
301 & 305 W Foster Av	$75,000	3,500 SF/GCAD each
Chaumont Addition	$35,000	Lots 1 & 2 Block 2
Dogwood Ln.	$22,000	Lots 15-17 & 40' of 18
27th Ave	$10,000	Lot 8, Blk 71 Fraser Annex
Dogwood Ln	$9,000	Lot 2 & 40.35' of Lot 1
Jupiter St	$9,000	Lot 3 Blk 4 Country Club Heights
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Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I have a problem. Basically, I don't like me. I am self-conscious about my weight, my face, my personality. I'm not pretty. I have heard so many times I should "just be myself" that I am sick of it! I don't want to be myself because I don't like myself.

All of my friends are either beautiful, witty, kind or whatever. And I am not, I guess. Please tell me what to do about it. — COMING UP SHORT IN OREGON

DEAR COMING UP SHORT: I do have a few suggestions, and the first is to stop being your own worst enemy. The more you dwell on what you think you lack, the more you will amplify those things. Find one thing you like about yourself and build from there.

Because you're self-conscious about your weight, do something about it by adopting a healthy eating and exercise plan. While you may not be a cover girl, you can be well-groomed. More important than being "witty" is to be a good listener. Remember that, and people will think you are a great conversationalist.

The more you brood about yourself, the lonelier you will become. The more you think about helping others, the less time you will have to think about yourself.

DEAR ABBY: My wife and I are in our mid-40s and have four beautiful daughters. A boy who dated one of them has become a family friend over the past few years.

"Brett" is a nice young man and has always been helpful with our family. The problem is, Brett texts and calls my wife on a daily basis. The conversation is benign, but I can tell he has a crush on her.

I have asked my wife to stop communicating with him so often, but she insists it's "just a friendship" and nothing is going on. My point is that there IS something going on — from his side — even though she may not realize it.

We have gone round and round about this to the point of exhaustion. Should I let this go or continue to insist that their relationship be redefined? — UNEASY IN FLORIDA

DEAR UNEASY: Looking from the outside in, I suspect that your wife is enjoying all the attention she's receiving from this young man. She's in her mid-40s and it has to be flattering. This is not to imply that the communications will lead to anything more. So step back, find your sense of humor and try to be less heavy-handed until this blows over. Because it will.

DEAR ABBY: My stepfather died recently. I found out when I saw his obituary in the newspaper. It described him as a "loving husband and father," and while I know that's a fairly generic epitaph, nothing about it is true. He was an alcoholic who had several affairs while married to my mother. He also abused me and my stepsiblings physically and sexually.

It's bad enough that he died without having to face the consequences of his actions, but it kills me to know that "loving husband and father" is how our community and history will remember him now that he's gone. Is there anything I can do to get some form of the truth out there? — ANGRY IN TENNESSEE

DEAR ANGRY: Yes, there is. Just keep talking and the word will get around.

DEAR READERS: To those of you living where daylight saving time is observed, I'm offering this gentle reminder: Turn your clocks forward one hour at bedtime tonight. Daylight saving time begins at 2 a.m. tomorrow, and you know what that means — spring is on the way!

A X Y D L B A A X R
is L O N G F E L L O W

One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

3-11 CRYPTOQUOTE

P J I N I N A W A P K L Z F M S A Q

W A P Q I O A W E I N L W K W A P

I N M T E N I Q . — A U A L W M O

O M M Q A H A U I

Saturday's Cryptoquote: WE MAKE THE WORLD WE LIVE IN AND SHAPE OUR OWN ENVIRONMENT. — ORISON SWETT MARDEN

Sudoku

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

8	2	6	4	1	7	3	9	5
7	5	9	2	8	3	1	4	6
3	1	4	9	6	5	8	7	2
6	3	2	5	4	8	9	1	7
9	8	1	3	7	2	6	5	4
5	4	7	1	9	6	2	3	8
2	9	5	8	3	4	7	6	1
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		6	2					5
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1				4		6		8

Level: Advanced

Sudoku

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

2	5	1	3	8	7	4	6	9
3	4	9	1	5	6	7	8	2
6	8	7	4	9	2	1	5	3
8	3	4	5	6	9	2	1	7
5	9	2	8	7	1	3	4	6
7	1	6	2	3	4	8	9	5
9	6	8	7	1	3	5	2	4
4	7	5	6	2	8	9	3	1
1	2	3	9	4	5	6	7	8

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5	7		1	3				9
	6				3	8		
	5			1	4			
7		1	9	8				
8		5		4	9	6	3	
	9	4					7	
3			8			9		5

Level: Beginner

BANANAGRAMS!

LEVEL

For each of the three words below, change one letter to a U, and then rearrange the letters to spell something you wear.

F O R T R E S S

W A N D E R E R S

E L B O W S

Yesterday's Answer: AMBROSIA, GRANDSON, FILAMENT

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LEVEL

Each of the following seven-letter sets can be rearranged to spell out a common word that starts with A N T or E N T and/or ends with I N E or I O N.

A E G I I M N

C I N O S T U

E E I N N T W

A A C D I N T

Yesterday's Answer: COAUTHOR, MANIFOLD

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CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

1 Arm art
7 Yard divisions
11 Acropolis setting
12 Car bar
13 Ethics concern
14 Like a dime
15 Rival
16 Trounces
17 Puts in stitches
18 Caron of "Gigi"
19 Hover crafts?
21 Twisty turn
22 Warhol, for one
25 Take the title
26 Sweeping
27 Fridge, formerly
29 Organ part
33 Nymph chaser
34 Masked hero
35 Do magazine work
36 Musical handicap
37 Big book
38 Cell resident
39 Mineral sources
40 Ranked, in tennis

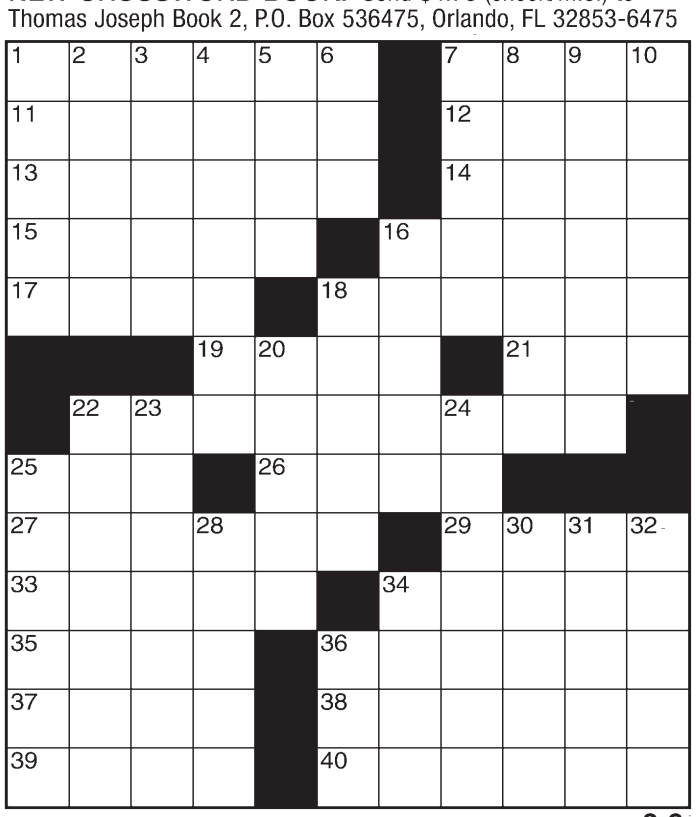
DOWN

1 Breaks, perhaps
2 Make amends
3 Deliberately lost
4 Joins forces
5 Just
6 CIA forerunner
7 Trio of myth
8 Breathes out
9 Snobby sort
10 Past, present and future
16 Outdoes
18 Dr. Seuss' environmental hero
20 Smile upon
22 Bullfighter with a lance
23 Former
24 Treater's words
25 Aware of
28 Memory units
30 Sneaker feature
31 Make speeches
32 Studied (over)
34 Fan publication
36 Frank McCourt book

P	A	C	K	S	■	R	A	W	L	S
A	C	H	I	P	■	E	L	I	O	T
S	C	E	N	E	■	M	E	N	S	A
H	E	R	■	A	M	I	■	K	E	G
A	P	R	■	K	I	T	■	L	I	E
S	T	Y	L	E	S	■	S	E	T	S
■	■	P	A	R	S	N	I	P	■	■
S	W	I	M	■	T	O	P	I	C	S
P	I	C	■	P	E	T	■	C	H	E
A	S	K	■	E	P	A	■	K	A	N
R	E	E	V	E	■	B	L	E	N	D
T	U	R	I	N	■	L	A	R	G	O
A	P	S	E	S	■	E	B	S	E	N

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CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

1 Chorus voice
5 Word separator
10 Caution
11 Adds up
13 Surrounded by
14 Natural in craps
15 Magazine extension
17 Freud topic
18 Serio-comic show
19 Disfigure
20 Horace's "— Poetica"
21 Crazy talk
22 Be penitent
25 Searches
26 Manor head
27 Was inactive
28 Pot part
29 Like much of Africa
33 Quarterback Manning
34 Crimson Tide's home
35 Swiss city
37 Birds, to biologists
38 Made blank
39 Nice fellow
40 Winter gliders
41 Opie's dad

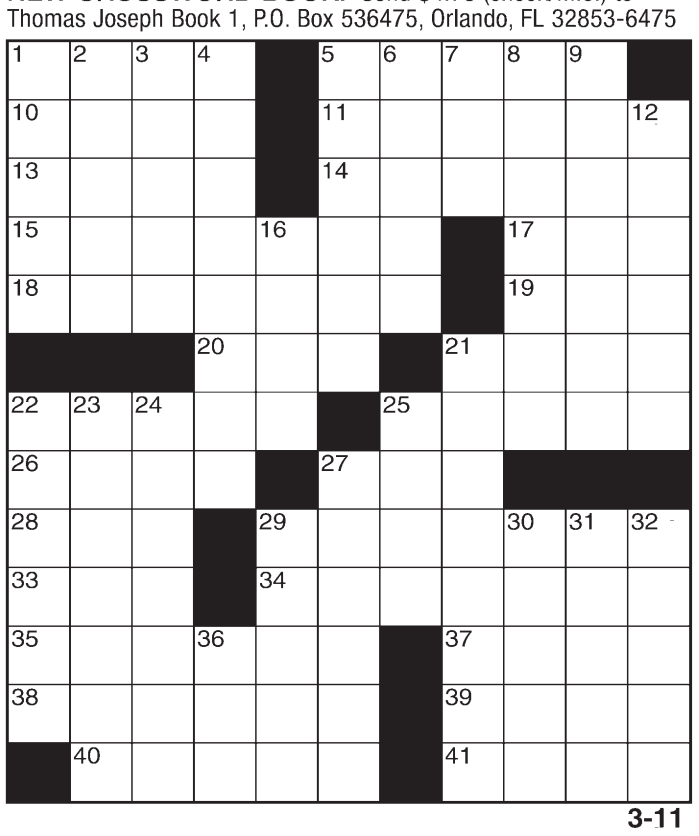
DOWN

1 Tony or Oscar
2 Debussy work
3 "I Remember Mama" aunt
4 Like some cable movie viewing
5 Places
6 Common parrot name
7 Had lunch
8 Early hunter
9 Posh
12 Derisive sounds
16 Used to be
21 Yellow vegetable
22 State without proof
23 Hard workers
24 Number type
25 Joke response
27 Light lunches
29 Rescued
30 Black bird
31 Improve, in a way
32 Mean
36 Jargon suffix

T	A	T	T	O	O	■	F	E	E	T
A	T	H	E	N	S	■	A	X	L	E
M	O	R	A	L	S	■	T	H	I	N
E	N	E	M	Y	■	B	E	A	T	S
S	E	W	S	■	L	E	S	L	I	E
■	■	■	U	F	O	S	■	E	S	S
■	P	O	P	A	R	T	I	S	T	■
W	I	N	■	V	A	S	T	■	■	■
I	C	E	B	O	X	■	S	T	O	P
S	A	T	Y	R	■	Z	O	R	R	O
E	D	I	T	■	T	I	N	E	A	R
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Lifestyles

'BUGZ' TAKE OVER AUSTIN



Photo by ReDonn Woods

Austin Elementary's first-grade class performed "Bugz" on March 5. The performance featured a variety of musical numbers and provided bellyfulls of laughter for the family and friends in the audience. The cast of characters included: Monarch butterflies, yellow jackets, ladybugs, grasshoppers, fireflies, army ants, honeybees and centipedes.

NORTH TO ALASKA



Submitted photo

A group of 19 went on an Alaskan cruise this summer. Pictured above are Delbert and Shirley Barker, Jimmy and Lori Barker, Roy Don and Gloria Stephens, Lonnie, Ann, Shannon and Trent Loter. They are standing in front of the train in Skagway, Alaska. The trip was to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversaries of Delbert and Shirley, Roy Don and Gloria and Lonnie and Ann.

Cholesterol screenings given at Altrusa International meeting

Submitted

Beth Bagwell, pharmacist at United Supermarket, performs a cholesterol screening for Kerrick Horton at the latest meeting for Altrusa International Inc. of Pampa. Bagwell gave the program on Heart Health for women and did screeinngs for members who wanted the blood test.

Other business included presentation of the nominating committee report and sign up sheets for committees on the upcoming "Taste of Pampa " fundraiser. In drawings, the door prize was awarded to Kathryn Green and the perfect attendance for the quarter, including free meals for the next quarter, went to Melodie Dosch.



Submitted photo

Monday night dance club

Submitted

Monday night dance club in the Pampa Chamber of Commerce building on the corner of Ballard and Kingsmill is held every Monday night from 7 to 9 p.m. Admission is $3. Cold drinks and coffee are offered. Country music from the 1940s, '50s, '60s and '70s is played. For more information, call Della at 665-2858.

Heritage Art Club holds March meeting

Submitted

Heritage Art Club met on March 4 at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center.

The group appointed the nominating committee for election of officers for the 2013-14 year. Appointees are Barbara Pipkin, Nola Moore and Catrina Howell.

Theresa Maness taught a class on the medium of pen and ink. Sunflowers were drawn and attached to a painted wooden frame.

Vanessia Vick served as hostess.

At the club's next meeting, Barbara Pipkin will teach a class creating a spring/summer wreath or small arrangement.

The next meeting will be at 9:30 a.m., April 1, at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Frances Ave.

Garage and Trade Show is March 23

Submitted

Open Range Engineering is hosting the "Welcome Home" Garage & Trade Show.

The event is designed to showcase the new development of The Edwin Park Subdivision at 2401 Charles (the old middle school).

The Garage & Trade Show will be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. with the groundbreaking following immediately after.

There is still plenty of booth space available for venders, crafters, homemade items, and even the service industry.

This is also wonderful opportunity to advertise your business, to showcase items or discuss the services your businesses has to offer.

For more information, call Stephanie Nelson with Open Range Engineering at 806-665-1115, Ext. 20.



