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## HAPPY BIRTHDAY, U.S.A.



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Fireworks light up the sky at last year's Fourth of July fireworks display at Recreation Park. Pampa has seen many different Fourth of July celebrations over the years.

## Pampa recalls Fourths of July past

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The Fourth of July is a time for reflection. It is a time to remember years gone by, to remember those that sacrificed so much for today's generation and to remember those carefree days of summer that people knew in their youth.

"Mostly I remember we used to have a parade downtown," said Shirley Jernigan. "Then they had things out at Recreation Park."

She said that at that time, Recreation Park consisted of the lake and the rodeo grounds. In evening during the 1950s, there would be fireworks at the rodeo grounds on the Fourth of July.

Bob Marx said he would watch the fireworks there with his parents from their car parked on the road by the country club. "I remember the one year that Dad took us inside the rodeo

arena," Jernigan said. "They had ground fireworks in there before they set off the big ones." She said there were different activities going on at the rodeo grounds like bands playing.

Jernigan said she, too, liked the fireworks show at night.

Karan Cross said she remembers the Fourth of July celebration at the rodeo grounds when she was a kid in the 1950s and 1960s. "The rodeo grounds were absolutely packed," she said. "It's one of my best memories." The rodeo arena was full, she said. "It was almost like the Celebration of Lights today," Cross said. "It was fabulous for a little kid sitting up in the stands."

"The one thing I remember is they had this flag on the north end of the arena," Jernigan said. It was a flag laid out in fireworks on the ground.

"When they lit the fireworks, it was red, white and blue," Jernigan said. "It was a flag."

She said that was how they ended the fireworks display that night inside the arena.

In addition to the fireworks, there were family picnics and corporate picnics celebrating Independence Day.

That was both good and bad for her family, Cross laughed.

She admitted there was a downside to the Fourth of July for her family. Her father had Lake's Food Market on South Cuyler. There were family picnics and company picnics.

"It was a busy time for us," said Cross, who grew up working in the family business. "All we did was work."

**City of Pampa 2010 Fourth of July Fireworks Display**

When: Sunday at dusk  
Where: Recreation Park

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## Be safe this Fourth of July weekend

**ANDREW GLOVER**  
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Like putting up Christmas lights during Christmas time, shooting fireworks is a regular tradition associated with the Fourth of July.

Still, the holiday season is no time to throw caution to the wind. Local Pampa officials are urging residents to be cautious when shooting off fireworks this Fourth of July weekend.

Jana Gregory, executive director of the Eastern Panhandle chapter of the Red Cross, said that people need to be aware of their surroundings.

"They need to be aware of where they are, if there is dry grass or anything like that," Gregory said. "They need to not be anywhere that something could catch fire."

Pampa Fire Marshal Michael Ryan agreed.

"Kids should be under the supervision of an adult," Ryan said. "They should shoot in a clear area where there are no houses, weeds or vegetation."

Ryan said that the fire department is usually pretty busy on the Fourth but haven't had to deal with any big fires in recent years.

"We will have several small fires," Ryan said. "We'll get calls from people who see smoke from fireworks that were lit, so we get a lot of false alarm calls. We haven't had any big fires but several of those small fires could have been if we weren't able to get to them."

Pampa Fire Marshal Michael Ryan is concerned with the current conditions in the area.

"It has never been as dry here as this year," Ryan said.

Gregory said that, just in case a fire is to occur, have a plan and be ready to call the fire department.

"If you are at your home have your water hose ready," Gregory said. "Have numbers to the fire department ready and in your phone."

Gregory also added that it's important to be safe after setting off fireworks as well as during, and proper cleanup is always required.

"Pick up all trash," Gregory said. "Make sure all sparks are out."

Ryan reminded Pampa residents that it is illegal to set off

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**NO PAPER MONDAY**

The Pampa News will not have a Monday edition next week (July 5) to let our staff spend the Fourth of July holiday with their friends and families. The Pampa News wishes everyone in Pampa and Gray County a safe, happy and fun-filled Independence Day weekend!



staff photo by Sue Pribble

An excited Josh Hess, manager of the Pampa Walmart Supercenter, rallies the crowd at Friday morning's grand re-opening.

## Grand re-opening for Pampa Walmart

**RANDY PRIBBLE**  
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A ribbon-cutting for the "grand re-opening" of the Pampa Walmart Supercenter was held Friday morning in front of an assembled crowd of employees, city officials and Pampa residents.

The event marked the completion of a three-month renovation of the 155,000 square foot building, inside and out.

"We revamped the entire store," said manager Josh Hess. "We call it 'Project Impact' and it starts with an assessment of the store - everything including the fixtures."

Some 300 employees at the store were involved in the process including 55 new employees hired just for this purpose.

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| High 86<br>Low 57   | High 82<br>Low 62   | High 86<br>Low 62   |

**Independence Day:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 82. South wind between 15 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

**Sunday Night:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a low around 69. South wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

**Monday:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy, with a high near 89. South wind between 5 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

**Monday Night:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 68. South southeast wind between 10 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

**Tuesday:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 88. South southeast wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

**Tuesday Night:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 67.

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## Obituaries

### Meredith 'Ms. K' Kaliszewzki, 65

Meredith Kaliszewzki (Ms. K), 65, passed away July 1, 2010 in Pampa. Services are scheduled for Tuesday, July 7, 2010

at 9 a.m. at Calvary Baptist Church. Ms. Kaliszewzki was born August 24, 1944 in Minnesota. She worked for

TDCJ for 10 yrs and Pizza Hut Delivery for four yrs. She is survived by one son, Randy Kaliszewzki of Greenville, her beloved

dog Skye and her Pizza Hut family and friends.

## MR. FIX-IT



staff photo by Andrew Glover

Sotero Anguiano of Parsley's Sheet Metal and Roofing Co. works to fix the roof at First Baptist Church.

## DAILY HOROSCOPE

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Tuesday, July 6, 2010:

This year, maintain focus on your long-term desires. Networking, friends and expanding your horizons will be necessary in order to achieve your goals. Your style of communication draws many, but sometimes you fret needlessly. You worry about hurting others' feelings. If you are single, proceed slowly, especially if you run into someone who is controlling. You have a choice, you know! You don't have to date this person. If you are attached, your partner could become more difficult than in the past. Give him or her the space he or she might need. The only way to win a control game is not to play. TAURUS serves as an anchor.

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 might be aware of the need to revamp or restructure your finances. Matters involving your home or a domestic situation could become very costly if you're not careful. You are seeing a red flag! Revise your approach with a difficult boss. Tonight: A must appearance.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ How you visualize a change could be very different as it starts becoming a reality. You wonder why you are proceeding on a certain course and what your objective might be. Keep communication open. Tonight: Try not to rehash your day.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)

★★ Know when to back down or say little. You could be concerned about a money matter, but observing would be the most powerful solution. You might be surprised by an unanticipated option that appears. Be willing to jump on it. Tonight: Do your thing.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Zero in on what you want at a meeting, with friends or even at work. Being shy won't help, though diplomacy could mean a lot and certainly will draw a more positive response. Tonight: Where people are.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★ Though you have a strong mental image of what might be workable professionally, others might have difficulty following your concepts. Accept your role as leader, and simply adjust and adapt to new ideas. Tonight: Could go till the wee hours.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ Keep reaching out for new ideas and different concepts. Though you might not always be comfortable with what comes up, your earthy, practical ways help you successfully incorporate new ideas. Tonight: Take in new vistas.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ Sometimes it is hard to get past a situation or find a different way to the same end. Remember, it is OK to think differently, even if working toward the same goal. Sometimes letting go is the right and only way. Tonight: Togetherness works.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Defer to others, especially as suggestions made now will be better received if someone believes he or she is in control. How you present your situation and ideas depends on who you are talking to. Learn the art of flexibility. Tonight: Say "yes" to living.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ Stay even and on top of your game. Emphasize daily life and staying mellow. Information comes forward that might surprise you, to say the least. Your efforts impress a close associate.

Tonight: All work and no play isn't good for anyone.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ Put your best foot forward, knowing what you want and need. Not everyone sees eye to eye with you and your ideas. A brainstorming session among those associated with the same project could produce spectacular results. Tonight: Let your hair down.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ Information that comes forward could be startling and could force you to stop dead in your tracks. You are quite capable of absorbing new ideas, and might need to do just that. Do yourself a favor -- don't get stuck in rigid thinking. Tonight: Say "yes" to a family member's or roommate's request.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ Keep talking, and let conversation flow. Make calls and don't get stuck like many people around you, demanding their way and only their way. You laugh, and someone inevitably joins in. Tonight: Allow more friskiness to emerge.

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## Groups challenge pipeline Ruptures of lines killed three workers, two from Pampa

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Ten environmental and American Indian groups from the upper Great Plains are asking the U.S. State Department to revise or deny a draft environmental impact statement on TransCanada's Keystone XL pipeline.

Carrie La Seur, president of environmental law non-profit Plains Justice, says the draft environmental impact statement does not adequately address several issues, including the risk of leaks and spills.

The groups sent a 35-page letter to the State Department on Friday addressing their concerns about the proposed pipeline that would run from the tar sands near Hardisty, Alberta, to oil refineries in Oklahoma and Texas.

The pipeline's route would go through Montana, South Dakota and Nebraska in the upper Great Plains.

### Judge asked to toss decision

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Several environmental groups are asking a federal judge to throw out his order overturning a six-month ban on deepwater drilling in the Gulf of Mexico because of his investments in several oil and gas companies.

A court filing Friday by the groups asks U.S. District Judge Martin Feldman to disqualify himself from the case and vacate his June 22 order while a federal appeals court reviews the ruling.

Feldman says he learned he owned Exxon Mobil stock a day before he ruled and sold it several hours before he issued the decision.

But the groups supporting the moratorium say his stock sale doesn't erase reasonable questions about his impartiality.

Exxon isn't a party in the case, but the company had one of the 33 existing exploratory rigs shut down by the moratorium.

### Massage therapist gets prison

LUBBOCK (AP) — A Lubbock massage therapist has been sentenced to more than 6 years in federal prison and fined \$1.6 million for healthcare fraud.

Kawai Ary-Berry was sentenced Friday, three months after she was convicted of nine counts of healthcare fraud and one count of making a false statement.

Prosecutors say for about four years, the licensed massage therapist billed the worker's compensation program for physical therapy she didn't do.

They said she also billed the program for two patients after they stopped treatment and used false codes when billing for hot tubs and a sauna treatment she gave to some patients.

U.S. Attorney James T. Jacks says authorities began investigating Ary-Berry in 2008 after a tip that her claims seemed excessive.

### US rig count increases by five

HOUSTON (AP) — The number of rigs actively exploring for oil and natural gas in the U.S. increased by five this week to 1,557.

Houston-based Baker Hughes Inc. said Friday that 960 rigs were exploring for natural gas and 587 for oil. Ten were listed as miscellaneous. A year ago this week, the rig count stood at 928.

Of the major oil- and gas-producing states, Texas gained nine, New Mexico gained three, Oklahoma gained two and Wyoming and Arkansas each gained one. West Virginia lost five rigs while Louisiana lost two. North Dakota, Alaska and California each lost one rig. Colorado and Pennsylvania remain unchanged.

The rig count tally peaked at 4,530 in 1981, during the height of the oil boom. The industry posted a record low of 488 in 1999.

### Court lets Green Party on ballot

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Supreme Court ruled Friday that the Green Party can put its candidates on the November statewide ballot while it considers whether the party took improper donations to fund its petition drive.

The Green Party has maintained the donations were legal, but state Democrats insist they are not. The high court overturned a lower court's decision blocking the Green Party from the ballot but said it wants to consider the Democrats' arguments.

Green Party lawyer David Rogers said the ruling allows the party to certify candidates Deb Shafo (governor), Herb Gonzales, Jr. (lieutenant governor), Ed Lindsay (comptroller) and Art Browning (railroad commission) with the secretary of state. Friday was the deadline.

The candidates' time on the ballot, though, may be short. The Supreme Court said it wants more information from the parties and could give a final ruling later this month.

### Underage affair case dropped

HOUSTON (AP) — Prosecutors say they have dropped charges against a Houston mother accused by authorities of flying to Canada and luring a 16-year-old boy away from home after allegedly having an online sexual relationship with him.

Donna Hawkins, a spokeswoman for the Harris County District Attorney's Office, said Friday charges were dropped against 43-year-old Lauri Price after investigators determined they would not be able to prove Price knew the teenager was a minor.

The three charges Price faced — two counts of online solicitation of a minor and one count of enticing a child with the intent to commit a felony — were dismissed earlier this week.

Skip Cornelius, Price's attorney, did not immediately return a call seeking comment.

### American Airline info stolen

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — American Airlines parent company said Friday the personal information of about 79,000 retirees, former and current employees has been compromised after a hard drive was stolen from its Fort Worth headquarters.

No customer data was affected. The data was held by the company's pension department.

The drive contained images of microfilm files, which included names, addresses, dates of birth, Social Security numbers and a "limited amount" of bank account information. Some health insurance information may have also been included — mostly enrollment forms, but also details about coverage, treatment, and other administrative information.

The data spans a period from 1960 to 1995. American Airlines said it's still investigating the incident.

AMARILLO (AP) — Two pipeline companies are defending themselves after a federal official said the lines weren't marked before two deadly explosions last month in Texas.

Two Pampa men, Johnne Mide Renner, 44, and Steven Douglas Odell, 32, were killed when a natural gas pipeline was ruptured by a bulldozer north of Darrouzett on June 8. Renner and Odell were killed as they stood 200 to 300 yards away from the bulldozer that struck the pipeline.

A day before the Darrouzett blast, a drill operator died in the June 7 blast near Cleburne in north Texas.

### BP devices not at max capacity, new data says

HOUSTON (AP) — Data shows BP PLC has failed to collect the maximum amount of oil it is capable of using its two current containment devices on any single day since both were in place.

Since June 16, the oil giant has been using a cap over the gusher to contain some of the oil and a vessel on the surface that is bringing up oil through undersea lines.

Together, the two devices can recover 20,000 barrels to 28,000 barrels, or up to nearly 1.2 million gallons, of oil per day.

An Associated Press review of data obtained from the company shows the closest BP has gotten was 27,090 barrels on June 22, the day before an undersea camera bumped the cap and forced BP to remove it for more than 10 hours.

Since the cap was put back on, the highest amount of oil collected on any single day was 25,220 barrels on Tuesday.

BP insists there is nothing wrong with the two devices. Spokesman Toby Odone said Friday the volumes vary from day to day depending on various factors, including the proportion of gas and oil in the hydrocarbons coming out of the well, the sea state and the stability of the processing plant aboard the vessels.

A third system BP has been looking to bring online to raise capacity to between 40,000 barrels and 53,000 barrels per day was supposed to be in place by the end of

### Walmart

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new signage — basically it is a brand new store," Hess explained. The revamp included repainting the entire outside of the building.

Overall, he said, the work has been received well by customers.

"We have had a lot of positive feedback," he said, "that has overcome any negative."

Since people are creatures of habit, the store remodeling, which included moving aisles and merchandise, made it difficult for some people to find items. Hess said it may take up to a year for some customers to figure out where everything has been moved, although store associates are quick to help point them in the right direction.

Wal-Mart generally revamps a store every four or five years. The local Wal-Mart has been in Pampa since 1984, and the Supercenter was built about 5 years ago.

Hess said he has been through the process once before, when he was employed at the Warrenton, MO store, but this is his first revamp as a manager. He was named to that local position seven months ago. He has been employed with Wal-Mart for 12 years.

He is especially pleased that the 55 temporary employees have been retained as associates. During the ceremony, the company presented a check for \$1,000 to the Perry County Junior High School and it was noted that the stores in the Texas Panhandle have contributed over \$93,000 this year to the Children's Miracle Network.

### Safety

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fireworks in the city of Pampa. Discharging fireworks within city limits is a Class C misdemeanor, punishable by a \$200 fine.

Your best Independence Day entertainment bet? Sunday's fireworks display at Recreation Park, said the fire marshal.

"The safest thing would be to watch the city fireworks," Ryan said.

The city's fireworks display will be at dusk Sunday at Recreation Park on Highway 60.

DCP Midstream, the Panhandle pipeline's owner, says it can't find evidence the construction company followed notification procedures before the project started.

But Nick Thomas, the construction company owner, says several companies have worked in that excavation pit for 25 years and the line has never been marked.

Enterprise Products, which owns the pipeline near Cleburne, says an employee tried to mark that line but couldn't find the project site.



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# Viewpoints

## Today in History

Today is Saturday, July 3, the 184th day of 2010. There are 181 days left in the year.

### Today's Highlight in History:

On July 3, 1863, the three-day Civil War Battle of Gettysburg in Pennsylvania ended in a major victory for the North as Confederate troops retreated.

### On this date:

In 1608, the city of Quebec was founded by Samuel de Champlain.

In 1775, Gen. George Washington took command of the Continental Army at Cambridge, Mass.

In 1890, Idaho became the 43rd state of the Union.

In 1898, the U.S. Navy defeated a Spanish fleet outside Santiago Bay in Cuba during the Spanish-American War.

In 1944, during World War II, Soviet forces recaptured Minsk.

In 1962, Algeria became independent after 132 years of French rule.

In 1971, singer Jim Morrison of The Doors died in Paris at age 27.

In 1979, Dan White, convicted of voluntary manslaughter in the shooting deaths of San Francisco Mayor George Moscone (mahs-KOH'-nee) and Supervisor Harvey Milk, was sentenced to seven years and eight months in prison. (He ended up serving five years.)

In 1985, the time-travel comedy "Back to the Future," starring Michael J. Fox and Christopher Lloyd, was first released.

In 1988, the USS Vincennes shot down an Iran Air jetliner over the Persian Gulf, killing all 290 people aboard.

**Ten years ago:** President Bill Clinton made a congratulatory telephone call to Mexican President-elect Vicente Fox, a day after Fox's election. A 1970s steel observation tower that preservationists said had desecrated the battlefield of Gettysburg in Pennsylvania was demolished. Harold Nicholas, the younger half of the legendary tap-dancing Nicholas Brothers, died at age 79.

**Five years ago:** A NASA space probe, Deep Impact, hit its comet target as planned in a mission to learn how the solar system formed. Saudi security forces killed Moroccan Younis Mohammed Ibrahim al-Hayari, the al-Qaida terrorist group's leader in the country, during a gun battle in Riyadh. Roger Federer won his third consecutive Wimbledon title by beating Andy Roddick 6-2, 7-6 (2), 6-4.

**One year ago:** In a surprise announcement, Sarah Palin said she would resign as Alaska governor, effective July 26, 2009. Vice President Joe Biden visited Baghdad, where he pressed Iraqi leaders to do more to foster national reconciliation and offered U.S. assistance in achieving that goal. Businessman John S. Barry, who turned rust-fighter WD-40 into a household brand, died in La Jolla, Calif. at age 84.

### Today's Birthdays:

Actor Tim O'Connor is 83. Movie director Ken Russell is 83. Jazz musician Pete Fountain is 80. Playwright Tom Stoppard is 73. Writer-producer Jay Tarses is 71. Singer Fontella Bass is 70. Actor Kurtwood Smith is 67. Actor Michael Cole ("The Mod Squad") is 65. Country singer Johnny Lee is 64. Humorist Dave Barry is 63. Actress Betty Buckley is 63. Rock singer-musician Paul Barrere (Little Feat) is 62. Actress Jan Smithers is 61. Former Haitian President Jean-Claude Duvalier (doo-VAHL'-yay) is 59. Talk show host Montel Williams is 54. Country singer Aaron Tippin is 52. Rock musician Vince Clarke (Erasure) is 50. Actor Tom Cruise is 48. Actor Thomas Gibson is 48. Actress Hunter Tylo is 48. Actress Connie Nielsen is 46. Actress Yearley Smith is 46. Singer Ishmael Butler is 41. Rock musician Kevin Hearn (Barenaked Ladies) is 41. Actress-singer Audra McDonald is 40. Actor Patrick Wilson is 37. Country singer Trent Tomlinson is 35. Singer Shane Lynch (Boyzone) is 34. Rhythm-and-blues singer Tonia Tash (Divine) is 31. Country singer-songwriter Sarah Buxton is 30. Actor Grant Rosenmeyer is 19. Actress Kelsey Batelaan is 15.

### Thought for Today:

"The trouble with life isn't that there is no answer, it's that there are so many answers." — Ruth Benedict, *American anthropologist (1887-1948)*



## Analysis: Lack of job progress may undercut Obama, Dems' trajectory

Liz Sidoti

AP National Political Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The sweeping overhaul of the nation's financial industry is President Barack Obama's answer to the nation's outrage over Wall Street bailouts.

But come November if more Americans don't have jobs, Democrats in Congress could very well lose theirs, too.

That's clearly not lost on party leaders.

"This law will send a clear warning: no longer will we allow recklessness on Wall Street to cause joblessness on Main Street," House Speaker Nancy Pelosi declared after the House and Senate reached agreement around dawn Friday on a measure overhauling rules overseeing the financial industry. "The legislation will end the era of taxpayer-funded bailouts and too-big-to-fail financial firms, and it will be fully paid for, with Wall Street footing the bill."

Her carefully worded pitch was by design a nod to populist anger coursing through the electorate.

The still-fragile economy and persistently high unemployment are by far the foremost issues on voters' minds in a tough election year for the party in power. Democrats are on defense while Republicans have enthusiasm on their side four months before the first midterm elections of Obama's presidency. Democrats are counting on bills like the health care overhaul and the financial regulation to help level the playing field. A remake of U.S. energy policy could be next.

Nothing short of the Democrats' grip on power in Washington is at stake in November. And the

outcome will shape the remainder of Obama's first term and, perhaps, his likely 2012 re-election race.

A year in the making, the financial regulatory legislation couldn't have come at a better time for the president, a gift as he headed to Canada for global economic talks with world leaders at the end of a challenging week. In Canada, Obama called for more stimulus to keep the world economy growing but ran into strong opposition from countries wanting to put deficit reduction first.

He fired the Afghanistan commander who raised doubts about the White House national security team. A deep-sea robot jostled a cap collecting crude oil from BP's spewing Gulf Coast well. A judge blocked the administration's offshore drilling moratorium. And Republicans again blocked his election-year stimulus jobs bill, a top agenda item for House and Senate Democrats looking to maintain majorities in Congress.

The unemployment rate still is hovering around 10 percent. Even though the economy is improving in some places, many people aren't feeling it because they don't have jobs. Most people — 72 percent in the latest Associated Press-GfK poll — describe the nation's economy as poor. Fewer than half approve of how Obama is handling the economy and unemployment.

It's not clear that voters want what the Democrats are selling. GfK particularly the critical middle of the electorate that decides close races and that's skeptical of Obama's prescriptions. In praising the financial overhaul bill, Obama sought to strike a delicate balance between the need

for free markets and the need for government intervention as he applauded the lawmakers' latest action.

"Our economic growth and prosperity depend on a strong, robust financial sector, and I will continue to do what I can to foster and support a dynamic private sector," he said. "But we've all seen what happens when there's inadequate oversight and insufficient transparency on Wall Street."

The latest AP-GfK poll shows that people are skeptical about Obama's financial regulatory overhaul even though they don't consider him responsible for the recession. An overwhelming majority blamed financial institutions and the federal government in the poll. More than half

blamed Bush; a quarter blamed Obama.

But only 34 percent said they are confident that the financial regulatory legislation will prevent another meltdown like the one in fall 2008.

That poll also shows the public divided over the health care measure passed in March; 45 percent said they support it while 42 percent oppose it.

And the stimulus measure Obama won just weeks after taking office remains deeply unpopular. People tend to conflate that \$862 billion measure with the extraordinarily unpopular Wall Street bailout that was passed under George W. Bush but that Obama continued — even though the economy stabilized after both were passed.

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# Texas livestock producers already worried about hay supply

ROBERT BURNS  
Texas Agrilife Extension Office

COLLEGE STATION — A week into "official" summer and many livestock producers are already worrying about hay supplies, according to Texas Agrilife Extension Service personnel.

As is often the case, whether yields are average or the situation is dire depends upon whom one talks to. The situation varied county-to-county or even from one part of a county to another. But generally, there were more shortages in parts of east, north and central Texas.

Darick Chabot, AgriLife Extension agent for Hamilton County, south of Dallas, said hay in the southern part of that county was doing alright as far as he was concerned, but in the northern part, things were dry and hay was short.

"In the southern part of the county, they've had plenty of rain, and most of those boys have got a cutting put up, and they're working on a second cutting," Chabot said.

The overall situation could be termed "average" if one looked at the Stephenville-area counties, he said. But average is a relative term. Where he lives, in northern Hamilton County, hay was "very sparse," he said.

"The thunderstorms have been very spotty," Chabot said. "In Comanche County, they're in great shape. In Somervell County, they're worse off than we are."

Chuck Jones, AgriLife Extension agent for Grayson County, north of Dallas, said his area remains on the intermediate stages of a drought.

"That's what's happening to our hay (and forage); we're just not getting any rain," Jones said.

Earlier in the year, the situation looked good. Despite a slow start because of wet weather, producers in his county made their first cutting.

"Things were well on the way to where they should be," Jones said. "But right now, they're not expecting a second or third cutting, but a lot of producers in the area are already starting to feed hay."

Rick Hirsch, AgriLife Extension agent for Henderson County, west of Tyler, said "We have the lowest carryover that I've seen in 20 years."

Hirsch said producers in his county missed the first cutting, first to wet, cool weather that delayed growth, then a nearly bone-dry May.

"We are behind. We basically missed our first cutting. What should be our second cutting, they're harvesting right now, and yields are 50 percent to 75 percent of normal."

Recent rains greened pastures up, but a few producers have had to start feeding hay. Only part of the problem stems from this year's unfavorable spring weather. Last



year, many producers in Henderson County and other parts of East Texas sold large parts of what they thought were surplus hay stocks to South Texas, which was then drought-stricken, Hirsch said. However, a cold winter meant East Texas producers had to feed more hay than normal.

"If we get some rain, things could normalize," Hirsch said. "However, there are no carryover stocks from last year. Most of the barns are still empty."

Other parts of the state fared better. Pastures and rangeland were in excellent shape in the Rolling Plains, fair to good in the South Plains and slightly above average in the Southwest part of the state.

AgriLife Extension district reporters compiled the following summaries:

**PANHANDLE:** Soil moisture was adequate in most areas, but parts of the region were in need of rain. The wheat harvest was nearly completed in some counties, but it was delayed in a few counties because of evening showers. Producers reported average irrigated yields and widely ranging yields for dry land. Corn and cotton were rapidly growing thanks to daytime highs in the mid to upper 90s. Rangeland and cattle were in good condition in most of region.

**ROLLING PLAINS:** Early in the weather stayed hot and dry with triple-digit temperatures depleting what little soil moisture was present. However, rains later supplied much needed moisture. The wheat harvest was nearly complete. Cotton was emerged and looked good. Producers were spraying some early planted cotton with Roundup. Peanut producers reported a good crop. Grain Sorghum was heading out. Sudan fields vary depending on location, but most were in decent shape. Alfalfa was being baled. Rangeland and pastures were in excellent condition. Cattle and calves on pasture were in good condition. Grasshoppers were devouring pastures, yards and gardens.

**SOUTH PLAINS:** Temperatures were in the mid to upper 90s. Isolated areas received ample rains while others saw none and continued to dry out. Soil moisture was short to adequate. Corn was in fair to good condition and nearing the tasseling stage. Cotton was in fair to good condition and was progressing well where there were recent rains and warm temperatures. Grain sorghum was in good condition and nearing the boot stage. The winter wheat harvest neared completion. Sunflowers and peas were planted. Pastures and rangeland were in fair to good condition. Livestock were in good to excellent condition.

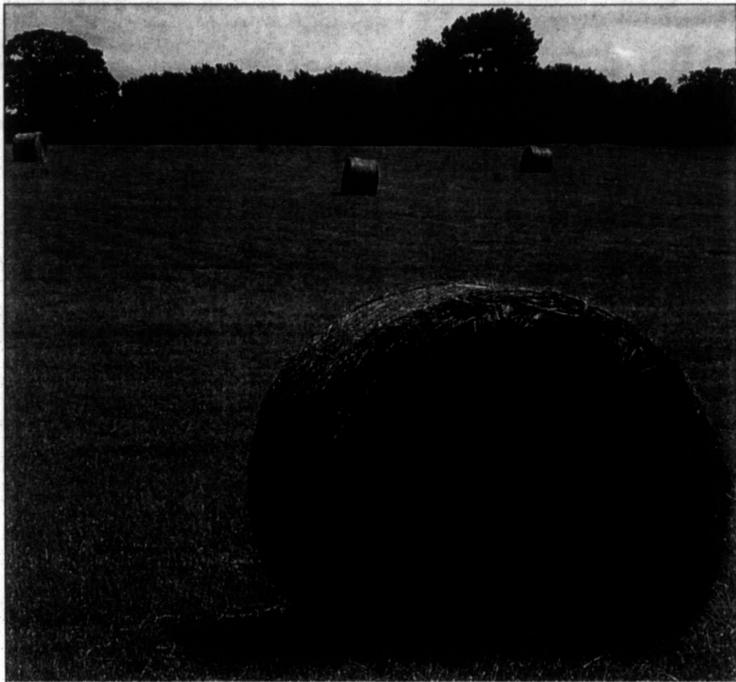
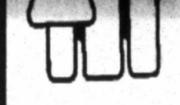


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Parts of east, north and central Texas were getting hay cuttings at the end of June, but first cuttings were missed and stocks were low to non-existent in many counties.

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# Community

## RUB A DUB DUB



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The Pampa Junior High cheerleaders recently donated their Saturday to help out the Pampa Police Department with the bicycle rodeo. Posing in the dunking tub are (front, from left) Avery Malone, Denisse Morales, Karoley Villarreal, Autumn Bridwell; (back, from left) Jasmine Villarreal, Tyler Lambright, Jenna Gee, Kelsey Henry, Delahey Riggs; and Marlee Richardson (top).

## Fourth

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Bob Marx said that while the fireworks were fun, there seemed to be a lot more community involvement during the Fourth of July during years gone by.

"There was more involvement," Marx said.

There were homemade ice cream and croquet.

"It was fun," Marx said.

Today, everyone's too busy, he lamented.

"We had parades," said Ray Duncan. "We've had fireworks for a number of years."

Marx said there was a certain civic pride in the Independence Day celebration.

The Fourth of July Independence Day celebration seemed to be a bigger holiday in post-war Pampa than it is today, Cross said.

"It was a lot more family-oriented," said she said.

"I remember that Cabot, where my Dad worked, had a big Fourth of July celebration," said Scott Hahn. He said they would go to Lake McClellan in the morning and spend all day. Cabot would have a big cookout there.

People would bring their boats and give rides to the kids, Hahn said, and there would be pony rides.

"The main thing I remember growing up as a kid," Hahn said, "was spending all day down there."

He agreed with Cross that it seemed family-oriented. During the summer, Hahn said, Cabot would get a movie projector, a screen and cartoons and on Friday nights would show them in Lions Club Park in south-east Pampa.

"You sit on a blanket in the grass and watch them," he said.

On the Fourth of July, Hahn said people had to get to the rodeo grounds early so they could get good seats on the west side of the arena. Otherwise, he laughed, they'd be squinting into the setting sun.

Becky Fulton agreed with Hahn that people had to get to the rodeo arena to get a good spot for the fireworks show. She said her family had valued friends that lived near the rodeo grounds so her family would go over there to cookout and watch the fireworks aerial show.

Kenneth Hopson remembers taking fireworks out to Recreation Park and popping them before the

fireworks show. He also remembers the old fire trucks that would put out the blazes started by errant fireworks.

"The Texas Department of Public Safety would direct traffic in and out of Rec Park," Hopson said. "It was a big crowd. Everyone would be out there with their family."

Hopson said his best memory was the 1976 Bi-Centennial Celebration in Pampa on the Fourth of July. He was in the U.S. Air Force and home on leave.

"It was a neat deal," Hopson said. "It was one of the biggest displays that I remember."

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## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

**DEAR ABBY:** I'm 13, the youngest of three children, but I am treated with no respect. My parents (mostly my dad) treat my brother like he's a prince. Even if he loses a football game he is praised. I just started playing volleyball and my team won, but my parents haven't said anything to me.

Dad treats me and my sister as if we are in the 18th century. We're supposed to work all the time while our brother is spoiled. Even when we finish working they don't appreciate it, and I'm always to blame.

Abby, I feel so disrespected. Please help me. I have talked to them about it, but it doesn't seem to get through. — **NEEDS RESPECT IN TAMPA, FLA.**

**DEAR NEEDS RESPECT:** Does your sister feel the same way you do? If so, you should approach your mother together and discuss it. Even if your father doesn't, she should be praising you when you do something right.

I hope you and your sister continue to strive to excel and be recognized, because you may find that while your father isn't capable of giving you the affirmation you need, others will as you achieve your goals. So hide your time and persevere. If you do, you won't be sorry.

**DEAR ABBY:** A friend of mine, "Ashley," is being married in September. She invited me to be one of her bridesmaids and my two children to be ring-bearers. I accepted because I felt obligated and didn't want to hurt her feelings, but now I regret my answer.

Abby, I cannot stand there beside her and support her marrying the man she has chosen. He is dishonest and in debt because of his poor decisions. After three years of dating, Ashley gave him a deadline to propose, and he waited until the last minute. I understand this is her choice — I just cannot support it.

She continues to say how she misses spending time with me, but makes no effort to get together. Needless to say, our friendship is not what it was at one point. My question is, how do I back out now, before it's too late? And how do I explain things without creating an enemy? — **MOMMY OF TWO**

**DEAR MOMMY:** Tell her immediately, and here's how: "Ashley, I can't be in the wedding. I don't think this man is good enough for

you, and I think you are doing something you will regret later. Please don't think I don't care about you because I do, but the children and I cannot be a part of this."

**DEAR ABBY:** I have been married to "Ted" for 15 years. We have three school-age children. My husband is extremely narcissistic and passive-aggressive. During our entire relationship, he has been controlling and manipulative, as well as emotionally, economically and sexually abusive. I have remained in the marriage this long because I thought keeping the family intact was the right thing to do for my children. (Ted doesn't abuse them. I am his only victim.)

Through counseling I have realized that living in the atmosphere of a loveless, abusive marriage can be as detrimental for kids as a breakup would be. I will soon be filing for divorce.

My dilemma: Because Ted is very good at projecting a "good guy" image, I'm sure that people won't believe he is abusive. Should I be open about the reason for the divorce and be accused of lying? We live in Ted's hometown, a small, rural community. I don't know if I can live with the stigma of having accused a "nice guy" of such a thing. On the other hand, I don't want the abuse to be a "dirty little secret." What do women do in situations like this? — **NO VISIBLE WOUNDS**

**DEAR NO VISIBLE WOUNDS:** They "confide" their problems — with specific examples — to a couple of their closest girlfriends. The truth will spread like wildfire.

**DEAR ABBY:** I am an 18-year-old male. When I was 15, I met a girl on the Internet. We talked pretty often, visited each other and had a lot in common. I fell in love with her, as much as a teenager can love someone. Eventually we hit some bumps in the relationship and she broke up with me. We have rarely spoken since.

Abby, even though it was a teenage relationship and it was over long ago, it still hurts. Is this normal? Could it be that I didn't get closure because we hardly talked afterward? It doesn't seem like it should still affect me as much as it does. I lack confidence when it comes to romance now. — **UNCERTAIN TEEN IN BEAVER-TON, ORE.**

**DEAR UNCERTAIN TEEN:** The problem with teen romances

isn't that the people involved don't fall in love — hard — it's that they are growing so fast in so many different directions that the relationship is hard to maintain. That's probably what happened to your romance. And yes, it hurts, usually until you find yourself involved in another one. I'll tell you a secret: **MOST people lack confidence when it comes to romance. But lasting love usually grows out of meaningful friendship. So open yourself up and you may be pleasantly surprised by how little time it takes.**

**DEAR ABBY:** I work in a doctor's office. One of our patients makes a big scene if we do not address him by his title — "Reverend Smith." He has to tell everyone within earshot that he went to school for eight years to get that title. He insists that, out of respect, we should address him as such.

Abby, this man is not MY reverend. So far, I have avoided calling him this. Am I being disrespectful, or is he being pompous? — **UNIMPRESSED IN LOUISVILLE**

**DEAR UNIMPRESSED:** You are not only being disrespectful, but also passive-aggressive. Because this patient has made clear that he prefers to be addressed by the title he has earned, you should use it.

**DEAR ABBY:** I am a 61-year-old, recently retired male. I think I am experiencing a midlife crisis, exacerbated by my wife's decision to let her hair go natural — meaning gray.

I know you and your readers will probably think I'm shallow and am trying to hold onto my young, 59-year-old "trophy wife." We have been happily married nearly 40 years. In my eyes she represents our youth and vitality, which suddenly isn't feeling so youthful or vital since her roots started showing. What can I do? — **YOUNGER AT HEART IN OKLAHOMA**

**DEAR YOUNGER AT HEART:** Try this. Remember the words of Benjamin Franklin on aging. He wrote: "In the dark, all cats are gray."

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My dad warned me about this potential problem years ago. Ever since, I have always turned my faucets off when I am not actually doing laundry.

Please print this so your readers will know to shut off the washing machine faucets unless their machine is in use. — **GRATEFUL DAUGHTER IN COLORADO**

**CONFIDENTIAL TO MY READERS:** Happy Fourth of July, everyone!

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## BUNDLES OF JOY



## Gracelyn Elaine Fredrikson

Brian and Stacie Fredriksson of Chelmsford, MA, announce the birth of their daughter, Gracelyn Elaine Fredrikson.

She was born April 23, 2010 at 4:36 p.m. in the Emmerson Hospital, Concord MA. She weighed 6 lbs., 3 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Raymond Dee and Meredith Elaine Neff of Pampa.

Great-grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Billie and Muriel Henderson of Scotland, TX and the late Mr. and Mrs. Ervin and Mary Neff of Naverne, OK.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl and Muriel Elaine Fredriksson of New Hampshire.

## FEEDING TIME



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Ray White (from left), Kyle Parnell and Rusty Tapp of the Lions Club cook out for the Pampa Sheltered Workshop.

Sudoku

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

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## WEDDING BELLS



Sarah and Justin Barnes

### Karimaghaei/Barnes

Sarah Karimaghaei and Justin Barnes, both of Amarillo, were married June 5, 2010 at the Palmer Country Club golf course in The Woodlands, Texas. Reverend Cliff Ritter of The Woodlands Methodist Church officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Bill and Mary Ann Washington of The Woodlands and is the granddaughter of Mr. Arnold Carnes of Shelburne, Vermont and the late Angela Carnes.

The groom is the son of Terry and DeDe Barnes of Pampa and the grandson of Barbara Jones of Lubbock and the late Wilfred Jones; and the late Raymond and Sarah Barnes.

Matron of Honor was Leanne Karim, sister-in-law of the bride, of Houston, Texas. Bridal attendants were Kat Alcalá of Huntsville, Texas; Christina Walker, cousin of the bride, of Burlington, Vermont; Jamie McMann of Amarillo, Texas; Carrie Singleton of Amarillo; April Ruzicka of Houston; and Briana Barnes, sister-in-law of the groom, of Amarillo. Flower girl was Hannah Rainey, of Decatur, Texas, cousin of the groom.

Best Man was Ryan Barnes, brother of the groom, of Amarillo. Groom's attendants were Cody Shepard of Katy, Texas; Greg Lindsey of Tyler, Texas; Matt Heasley of Lubbock, Texas; Trent Price of Pampa, Texas; Josh Karim, brother of the bride, of

Houston, Texas; and Russell Robben of Hays, Kansas. Ring bearer was Thomas Rainey, of Decatur, Texas, cousin of the groom. Serving as ushers were cousins of the groom Nathan Meyers Decatur, Texas and Adam Etchison, League City, Texas.

Music was provided by harpist Sara Shute.

A reception, dinner and dance were held immediately following the ceremony at the Club House of Palmer Country Club. Registering guests was Stephanie Carnes, cousin of the bride, of Kingwood, Texas.

The bride graduated from Woodlands High School in 2001 and received a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing in 2008. She is a registered nurse in the emergency room of BSA Hospital in Amarillo.

The groom graduated from Pampa High School in 2000 and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from Texas Tech University in 2004. He is an engineer at Pantex-Amarillo.

Following a honeymoon trip to Jamaica, the couple will reside in Amarillo.



Carolyn & Chris Sumpter

### Roberts/Sumpter

Carolyn Roberts and Chris Sumpter were married May 28, 2010 in the gardens of the Sanford House Inn in Arlington, TX.

Carolyn is the daughter of Ken and Janet Roberts of Arlington. Chris is the son of Darell and Donna Sumpter of Pampa.

After a honeymoon in Cancun, Mexico, the couple will reside in Dallas, TX.

## ENDURING LOVE

### Hogans celebrate 50 years of marriage

LaWayne and Marcella Hogan of Hot Springs Village, Ark., celebrated their 50th anniversary on June 10, 2010.

Mr. and Mrs. Hogan were married June 10, 1960 at First Baptist Church in Mobette.

They lived in Pampa until 1988, at which point they moved to Lafayette, La., and then to Hot Springs Village, Ark., where they have lived for the last 13 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Hogan were blessed with two children: Janna Goldsmith of Pampa and Brian and wife Amy Hogan of Winfield, Ill.; and four grandchildren; Tara, Jansen, Carson and Tyson.

The couple plans to celebrate their 50th anniversary with an Alaskan cruise.



## Weekly Menus

### Wilson Elementary School

#### MONDAY

Chicken & noodle or steak fingers, green beans, sliced carrots, pineapple tidbits, biscuit. **Breakfast:** Pancake & sausage.

#### TUESDAY

Macaroni & cheese or corn dog, English peas, tossed salad, fresh fruit, hot roll. **Breakfast:** Scrambled egg, toast.

#### WEDNESDAY

Chicken salad sandwich or mini twin cheeseburgers, corn, spinach, mixed fruit. **Breakfast:** Biscuit and gravy.

#### THURSDAY

Meat & cheese nachos or chicken patty on a bun, western beans, tossed salad, applesauce, Spanish rice. **Breakfast:** Breakfast pizza.

#### FRIDAY

Meatball sandwich or hamburger, French fries, burger salad, peach cup. **Breakfast:** Cereal, toast.

### Meals on Wheels

#### MONDAY

Chicken spaghetti, garlic bread, mixed vegetables, pineapple.

#### TUESDAY

Sausage and rice casserole, green beans/tomatoes, pears, corn bread salad.

#### WEDNESDAY

Oven-fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, Jell-o.

#### THURSDAY

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#### FRIDAY

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# Sports

## Top ten Pampa and Lefors athletes of 2009-2010

In my first year, of covering sports for Pampa and Lefors, I got to see a lot of talented athletes that I've recognized throughout the year. I'm going to take some space and talk about my top athletes of the 2009-2010 season.

### 1. Keenan Lott, Lefors football, basketball and track

He wore legendary quarterback John Elway's number 7 in football and legendary Michael Jordan's number 23 in basketball. In both sports he lived up to those numbers. In his senior season, Lott passed for 1,907 yards and threw for 40 touchdowns and contributed in the rushing game with 1,049 yards for 20 touchdowns. Lott was the six-man player of the year and region offensive MVP. His ability to run and pass the ball helped Lefors to their second consecutive district title. On the basketball court, Lott was the leading scorer night in and night out and also was a leader on the boards. Lott also qualified for regionals in the high jump. With his success at Lefors, Lott will be playing football at Northwestern Oklahoma State University.

### 2. Carlyn Teichmann, Pampa softball

Teichmann was part of a dominant one-two punch on the mound for the Lady Harvesters with her teammate Ashley Facio.

Teichmann was 6-1 in district play and 2-1 in the postseason. Opponents only scored six runs on Teichmann in district. Teichmann only allowed eight runs in three post-season starts. She finished her career with over 500 strikeouts. At the plate, Teichmann was also a force, as she was one of the team leaders in RBIs. She earned first team All-District pitcher, was a Greater West Texas Softball Coaches Association (GWTSCA) All-Star, Texas Girls Coaches Association (TGCA) All-State Team, and TGCA Academic All-State team. Teichmann will continue her playing career at Howard Junior College.

### 3. Ashley Facio, Pampa softball

Essentially, she is tied for number two on this list. Facio was very dominant on the mound, finishing the season with an overall record of 11-5 (5-0 in district and 2-1 in post-season). In her first district start of 2010, she no-hit Palo Duro in six innings. Opponents only scored nine runs in district and three runs in the playoffs. Facio was a first team All-District pitcher, GWTSCA All-Star and made the TGCA, Academic All-State team. Facio will continue her playing career at Oklahoma Panhandle State



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### 4. Alex Clendening, Pampa football and basketball

In football, Clendening was one of the best passers of District 3-4A and also a solid punter. He made first team All-District as a punter and second team as a quarterback, made the Elite Academic Team. At the banquet, Clendening won the GT/El Norma Leadership Award. In basketball, Clendening was the team leader last season in scoring and in rebounds. Clendening earned a couple of all tournament team nominations for the Lions Club Tourney and River Road. He made first team All-District and the Academic All-State team. Clendening was also a leader in academics as he was the class valedictorian.

### 5. Taryn Eubank, Pampa volleyball and basketball

Eubank was one of the leaders on the volleyball team that came within a game of qualifying for the

playoffs. Eubank came up with several big plays during the season and earned first team All-District. In basketball, Eubank was one of the key players that helped the Lady Harvesters reach the playoffs. Throughout district play Eubank led the team in scoring and earned second team All-District honors. At the banquet Eubank was named the team MVP. In 2010-2011, Eubank should be a solid senior leader in both sports.

### 6. Natalie Parker, Pampa volleyball and track

Parker was one of four senior leaders on the volleyball team and helped Pampa get within a game of the playoffs. She was known for her enthusiasm on the court after she made a big play and had a great attitude even if the game wasn't going Pampa's way. Parker earned second team All-District and the Best Offensive Player Award at the team's banquet. In track, Parker was one of the area's best in the 100-meter and 200-meter runs having one of the best times in the area. Parker won first in both events at district and would compete in the state meet in the 100-meter run.

### 7. Trever Czubinski, Lefors football, basketball and track

Czubinski was part of a three-man backfield threat

in football with 1,063 rushing yards, 569 receiving yards and 38 total touchdowns. He was a part of a senior class that made the playoffs all four seasons and won district titles the last two seasons. Czubinski was an all-state running back, first team all region utility back. In basketball, Czubinski was a threat from the outside, consistently draining the three. In track, Czubinski made regionals in the triple jump. Czubinski will continue his football playing career at Oklahoma Panhandle State.

### 8. Taylor Overstreet, Lefors cross country, basketball, track

Overstreet was a team leader in every sport she played. She made it to regionals in cross country. In basketball, she was the leader on the floor and led the team in every offensive category. Overstreet qualified for area in the quarter mile and triple jump. Academically, Overstreet is part of Lefors National Honor Society. Next year Overstreet will be a senior leader and should help progress the basketball program.

### 9. Kara Stephens, Pampa volleyball and track

Stephens was a vocal leader on the volleyball team and led the team in kills. Her efforts earned her first team All-District

honors and was named team MVP at the team's banquet. In track, Stephens was a solid runner in the 200-meter run as she finished second behind her teammate Parker at the district meet. Stephens was also part of a 4x200 relay team that finished second in district.

### 10. Wakely Pairsh, Lefors football and basketball

Pairsh was also part of the three-man backfield attack at Lefors. Pairsh rushed for 392 yards, 425 yards receiving and 15 total touchdowns. Pairsh earned first team all-region honors as a receiver. On the basketball court, Pairsh was a great supporting player. At times would be one of the scoring leaders. Pairsh will continue his football playing career at Oklahoma Panhandle State.

There were several more athletes who I could have put in my top 10, so I'm going to give a few honorable mentions: Travis Hagerman, Pampa football, basketball and track; Garrett Ericson, Pampa football, basketball and baseball; Shelbie Watson, Pampa basketball and softball; Emilie Troxell, Pampa volleyball, basketball and softball; Braden Hunt Pampa football and baseball; Mitchell Killgo Pampa football and baseball.

## Hidden Hills Ladies Monday Night Scramble

First—29  
B. Hammer  
J. Stavenhagen

S. Randall  
C. Allison  
Second—31  
R. Parnell

L. Allison  
J. Thompson  
K. McClain

## Mavericks make offer to Dirk

DALLAS (AP) — Dirk Nowitzki now knows how much he's worth to the Dallas Mavericks. Whether it's enough remains to be seen.

Mavericks president Donnie Nelson said he made a "significant" contract offer to Nowitzki's adviser during a meeting Friday. Nowitzki could respond as soon as Saturday, when the sides are expected to meet again.

"Everything is going in a positive direction," Nelson said. "The communication and common intent is there. Now it's just a matter of Dirk getting comfortable with everything and sleeping on it. This is just a normal negotiation."

Nelson is cautiously optimistic that the franchise's all-time leading scorer and rebounder will be back to extend his records. The most Nowitzki could resign for is \$96 million over four years. He also could get a no-trade clause.

"We're not celebrating

yet, not doing back flips," Nelson said.

Nowitzki opted out of the final year of his contract to become an unrestricted free agent for the first time. However, he's given the Mavs the first shot at keeping him.

Nelson was going to fly to Germany for their first get-together, but Nowitzki and adviser Holger Geschwindner offered to come to Dallas. They detoured through New York before arriving late Thursday night. The initial meeting Friday included only Nelson and Geschwindner.

"It was our first opportunity to really sit down and go through everything," Nelson said. "It was a very productive, meaningful meeting. I think we're looking forward to tomorrow."

The 2007 NBA MVP has spent his entire career in Dallas. He's led the Mavericks to 10 straight 50-win seasons, but has

yet to win a championship. The closest he's come was a 2-0 lead in the 2006 NBA finals. The club has won only one playoff series since.

The Mavs would like to secure Nowitzki, then use his return to try wooing other free agents. Dallas can only add players through sign-and-trade deals, but has assembled many desirable pieces to prepare for such a move. Losing Nowitzki would mean a whole new plan for the summer, and for the future of a club that's been in win-now mode in hopes of maximizing Nowitzki's prime years.

Nelson said he's hoping Nowitzki accepts soon, but he's most concerned with him simply accepting.

"That's his decision," Nelson said. "Only he knows the timing. ... Stay tuned."

## Pampa Country Club results

Thursday Night Scramble July 1

Tee 1A—29—First  
Doug McFatridge  
Gerald Rasco  
Randall Cross  
Kitty Hall  
Tee 2A—31  
Tim Stadler  
Misty Baten  
Wayne Gordon  
Aaron Gordon  
Tee 3A—29—Second  
Daniel Williams  
Sheila McFatridge

Paul Hare  
Dennis Holman  
Tee 4A—30—Third  
Frank McCullough  
Kelly Packard  
Mike Castanon  
Buz Tarpley  
Tee 6A—31  
Terry Hall  
Brent Baten  
Joyce Rasco  
Don Russell  
Tee 7A—31  
David McGill  
Tim Packard  
Connie Manzanares

Mike Stone  
Tee 8A—31  
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Third—\$16 each

## Molina added to Texas roster

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — The Texas Rangers have optioned catcher Max Ramirez to Triple-A Oklahoma City and added newly acquired catcher Bengie Molina to their 25-man roster.

Molina, acquired in a trade from San Francisco, was in the Rangers' starting lineup and batting sixth Friday night against the Chicago White Sox in the start of a 10-game homestand leading into the All-

Star break. Molina hit .257 with three home runs and 17 RBIs in 61 games for the Giants, while Ramirez was hitting .217 with two homers and eight RBIs in 28 games.

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## Whitting returns to UH as head baseball coach

HOUSTON (AP) — TCU associate head coach Todd Whitting is returning to Houston as head baseball coach.

Whitting told KRIV-TV in Houston that "this is the opportunity for me to come back home."

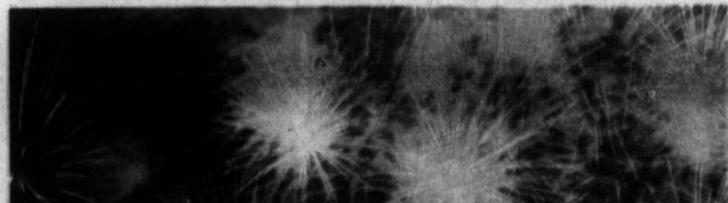
UH athletics director Mack Rhoades describes Whitting as a "program builder."

The school planned to release a formal announcement later Friday.

Whitting, a 1995 UH graduate who spent eight

seasons as an assistant with the Cougars, joined the TCU staff in 2003. Whitting this year helped coach the Horned Frogs to their first appearance in the College World Series.

Whitting replaces Rayner Noble.



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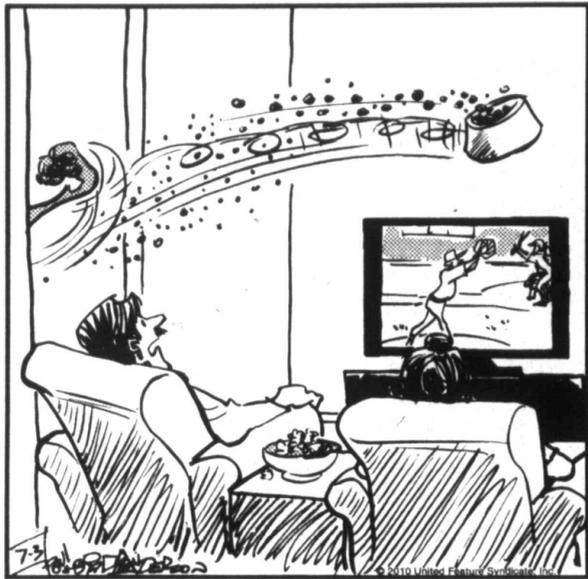


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Marmaduke



"I wish he'd just bark his disapproval of my choice of dog food."

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"...Daddy said we need to practice our 'ooohs' and 'aaaahs' for tomorrow's fireworks."

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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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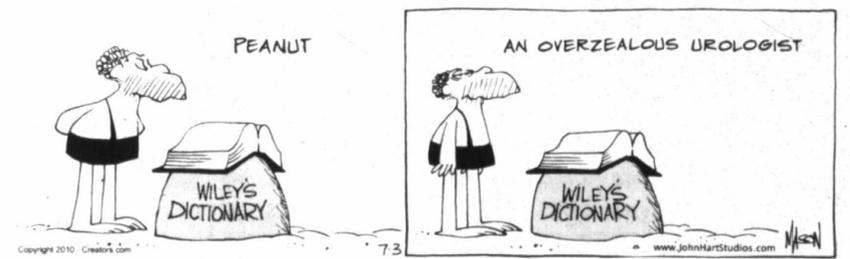
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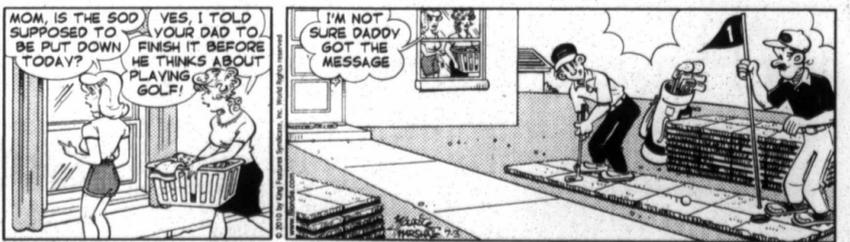
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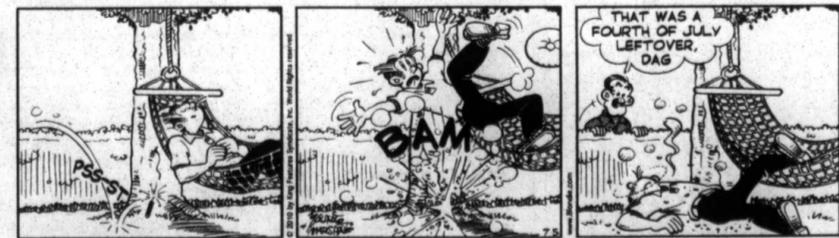
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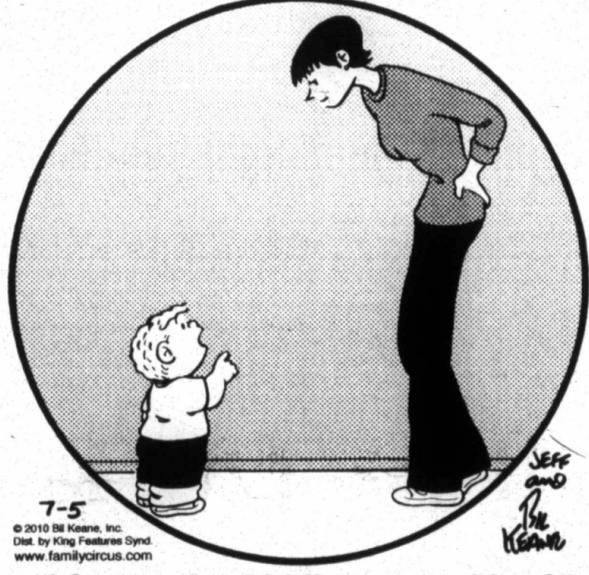


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"I forget. Am I hiding or seeking?"

Daily Crossword Puzzle

### CROSSWORD

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- ACROSS**
- 38 Tried hard
  - 1 Indonesian island
  - 5 "Iliad" author
  - 10 Cry of victory
  - 11 Humbled
  - 13 Hightails it
  - 14 End a lawsuit
  - 15 Word on a quarter
  - 17 Squeak stopper
  - 18 Yarns
  - 19 Singer — King Cole
  - 20 Cargo unit
  - 21 Ship of 1492
  - 22 Does some modeling
  - 25 "Endymion" poet
  - 26 Like the Sahara
  - 27 Lawn moisture
  - 28 Naughty act
  - 29 Afternoon breaks
  - 33 Yacht spot
  - 34 Declaration signer
  - 35 Snare
  - 37 Opposed to
- DOWN**
- 1 Buffalo team
  - 2 Look forward to
  - 3 Uncertain state
  - 4 Added with a caret
  - 5 Hurry up
  - 6 Is heedful
  - 7 Small rug
  - 8 Latvia neighbor
  - 9 Dependent
  - 12 River parts
  - 16 Mexican rivers
  - 21 Anchor venue
  - 22 Goes by
  - 23 Sets straight
  - 24 "My Way" singer
  - 25 Acute
  - 27 Nursery item
  - 29 Barber offering
  - 30 Lone Ranger's pal
  - 31 Misbehave
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  - 36 Hold up

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F-25 June 30, July 4, 2010

**1 Public Notice**  
The City of Lefors is currently accepting bids for the following vehicles:  
1993 Ford Explorer  
1985 International 2 1/2 ton Garbage Truck  
Vehicles will be sold as is with no warranty expressed or implied. The City Council will review the bids at its July 12, 2010 regular meeting. The City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any bid received. Bids may be dropped off at Lefors City Hall, 101 N. Court, Lefors, TX or mailed to P.O. Box 383, Lefors, TX 79054. All bids must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on July 12th. For more information contact Lindy Forsyth, City Secretary at 806-835-2200.  
F-22 June 27, July 2, 4, 2010

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**13 Bus. Opp.**  
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**14e Carpet Serv.**  
NU-WAY CLEANING SERVICE  
Bob Marx Owner-Operator. Call 665-3541.

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Med-Link Mobility  
806-874-0248

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JACK'S Plumbing, 715 W. Foster, 665-7115.

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**Position:** Full Time or Part Time  
**Location:** HCH EMS 1020 S. 4th Canadian, TX 79014  
**Qualifications:** EMS Certification, ACLS, PALS, BLS, PHLTS or BTLT  
**Contact**  
Diana Wilson, HCH EMS Director, 806-323-6422  
Ext. 274  
Email  
dwilson@hchdst.org

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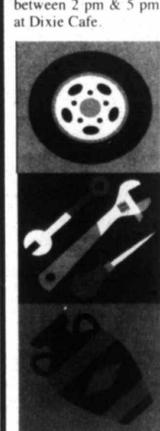
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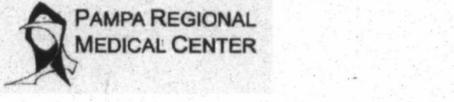
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7-3 **CRYPTOQUOTE**  
NSBEC DSB CWACFN NB QCLA  
NSC MXCEEGPKE BO OQCCTBY  
YREN, XGIC YCP, RPTCQKB  
NSC OLNGKRC BO ERAABQNGPK

GN. — NSBYLE ALGPC  
Yesterday's Cryptoquote: TO TRAVEL IS TO DISCOVER THAT EVERYONE IS WRONG ABOUT OTHER COUNTRIES. — ALDOUS HUXLEY

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7-5 **CRYPTOQUOTE**  
HI TK KZTDN TK WUB PTC.  
HBN DIZIZHID NQTN RN  
RK TVOTWK HINNID NU HI  
ORKI NQTC NU HI KZTDN.

— TVTC TVJT  
Saturday's Cryptoquote: THOSE WHO EXPECT TO REAP THE BLESSINGS OF FREEDOM MUST, LIKE MEN, UNDERGO THE FATIGUE OF SUPPORTING IT. — THOMAS PAINE



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**AUSTIN SCHOOL DISTRICT** North and Northeast

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|---|
| 3 Cypress Point.....\$519,900.....4/2.5/3 - 3179 SF/GCAD    |
| 2540 Chestnut.....\$229,000.....4/2.5/2 - 2544 SF/GCAD      |
| 2100 Charles.....\$199,900.....2/3.5/2 - 3445 SF/GCAD       |
| 2421 Duncan.....\$188,900.....5/2.75/2 - 2895 SF/GCAD       |
| 1218 Charles.....\$167,900.....3/2.5/2 - 2726 SF/GCAD       |
| 1901 Fir.....\$146,500.....3/2/2 - 2102 SF/GCAD             |
| 1819 Evergreen.....\$139,900.....4/1.75.75/2 - 2315 SF/GCAD |
| 2528 Charles.....\$138,500.....3/1.75/2 - 2132 SF/GCAD      |
| 2720 Seminole.....\$133,500.....3/2/2 - 1416 SF/GCAD        |
| 2541 Christine.....\$129,500.....3/1.75/2 - 2050 SF/GCAD    |
| 2207 Chestnut.....\$125,000.....3/1.75/1 - 1950 SF/Measured |
| 2020 Christine.....\$107,500.....3/1/3 - 1607 SF/GCAD       |
| 1301 Charles.....\$99,900.....4/2/2 - 1732 SF/GCAD          |
| 1826 Williston.....\$99,500.....4/2/2 - 2590 SF/GCAD        |
| 2614 Cherokee.....\$95,000.....3/1.75/2 - 1855 SF/GCAD      |
| 2218 Williston.....\$95,000.....4/1/1 - 1384 SF/GCAD        |
| 1722 Chestnut.....\$94,900.....3/2/1 - 1423 SG/GCAD         |
| 2236 Dogwood.....\$79,900.....3/1.5/1 - 1264 SF/GCAD        |
| 2626 Seminole.....\$75,000.....3/1.75/0 - 1284 SF/GCAD      |
| 1445 N Russell.....\$65,000.....3/1.75/2 - 1504 SF/GCAD     |
| 700 Somerville.....\$65,000.....3/1.75/0 - 1650 SF/GCAD     |
| 704 E 16th Ave.....\$54,900.....3/1.5/2 - 1323 SF/GCAD      |
| Chaumont.....\$35,000.....Lots 1 & 2 Block 2                |

**LAMAR SCHOOL DISTRICT** Southwest

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|---|
| 213 N Sumner.....\$45,000.....2/1.75/1 - 1036 SF/GCAD |
| 1048 Neel.....\$40,000.....3/1.75/1 - 1277 SF/GCAD    |
| 945 S Faulkner.....\$35,000.....2/1/0 - 746 SF/GCAD   |

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| 2239 Lynn .....              | 295,000 | 4/3.5     | 4069        |
| 2301 Chestnut - SOLD .....   | 290,000 | 3/2/2     | 3077        |
| 1707 Mary Ellen .....        | 215,000 | 3/2.5     | 3019        |
| 2638 Fir .....               | 199,900 | 4/3       | 2257        |
| 2211 Charles .....           | 184,900 | 3/2       | 2741        |
| 2334 Fir .....               | 179,000 | 1/2.5     | 2599        |
| 2407 Fir .....               | 175,000 | 3/2       | 2184        |
| 2629 Fir - SOLD .....        | 172,000 | 3/2       | 2208        |
| 1600 Zimmers .....           | 145,000 | 3/2       | 2000        |
| 1841 Grape .....             | 140,000 | 3/3       | 2728        |
| 1620 N. Christy .....        | 139,900 | 3/1.75    | 1760        |
| 2132 Mary Ellen .....        | 139,000 | 3/3       | 2728        |
| 1620 N. Zimmers .....        | 136,000 | 3/1.75    | 1679        |
| 1528 Dwight .....            | 120,500 | 3/2       | 1498        |
| 2140 Chestnut .....          | 115,000 | 3/1.75    | 1766        |
| 1915 Christine - SOLD .....  | 99,900  | 3/2       | 1729        |
| 1905 Duncan .....            | 99,900  | 3/1.75    | 1868        |
| 1000 Sierra - SOLD .....     | 99,500  | 3/2       | 1486        |
| 1237 Christine .....         | 97,000  | 4/2.75    | 2827        |
| 2316 Comanche .....          | 95,000  | 3/1.75    | 1543        |
| 2008 Mary Ellen - SOLD ..... | 89,500  | 2/22      | 1808        |
| 907 Cinderella .....         | 80,000  | 3/1.75    | 1192        |
| 1806 N. Nelson .....         | 69,900  | 3/2       | 1130        |
| 1024 Christine - SOLD .....  | 62,500  | 2/2       | 1889        |
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| 509 N. Cuyler .....        | 1,500   | LOT    |

**DAILY HORSCOPE**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Sunday, July 4, 2010:  
This year, you add much more than you are aware of when in public, at work or within the community. You gain through these appearances and your efforts. People see that you care. If you are single, you probably have more allure than you realize. Choosing the right person will be a reflection of knowing what you want. If you are attached, you and your partner could enjoy a hobby and doing even more together. ARIES pushes you into the limelight.

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)  
\*\*\*\*\* Someone or a situation could trip you up. Clearly you are not happy, but what you do or how you deal with this interference defines you. Look to a child or loved one for a good time and a reason to smile. Tonight: Adding to the fireworks.  
This Week: Push hard Monday. Make money Tuesday and Wednesday. Thursday on, talk up a storm.  
**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)  
\*\* Understand that we all need to back down sometimes. Right now you simply might need some space and distance from what is going on. You will gain a far better perspective if you get it. Tonight: Continue the vanishing act.  
This Week: You go from low to high by Tuesday. Use your high energy-well.  
**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)  
\*\*\*\*\* Forget the thought of being the recluse. Forget getting caught up in paperwork. Find other gregarious people and go to a ballgame, or just share over a lengthy meal. An after-movie chat over a hamburger works, too. Tonight: Live for now.  
This Week: You are lucky Monday and Thursday.  
**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)  
\*\*\* You could be more pressured than you realize by a situation. This is a question of your perspective. An older friend or relative clearly wants your time. Do as much as you can without resorting to sarcasm or frustration. Tonight: Wherever you are, expect to be noticed.  
This Week: A take-charge attitude works. **LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)  
\*\*\*\*\* Stretch in order to identify with another person; otherwise, you might never see eye to eye. This person could demand a lot, but if you understood where this need is coming from, it might be OK. Your good will and nature always shine through. Tonight: Listen to great music.  
This Week: Do research before making decisions. Others will follow.  
**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)  
\*\*\*\*\* Work with a partner, though you might be stunned by what is coming down the path. You might want to review a situation or think it through with this person. You often have very different ideas and styles. Tonight: Make togetherness the theme.  
This Week: Togetherness works. Be a team. Read between the lines.  
**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)  
\*\*\*\*\* Defer to another person, and try to understand what motivates him or her. You might find that deep down you are very similar or have issues in common. A get-together with friends proves to be eventful. Tonight: Go with a suggestion.  
This Week: Others are determined that you will listen. Be smart. Listen.  
**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)  
\*\*\*\*\* You might want to rethink a decision, with new information coming forward. An important event or happening turns out even better than you expected. Enjoy visiting and meeting new people. Tonight: Make it early.  
This Week: The pace picks up as the days go by. Get lots of sleep.  
**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)  
\*\*\*\*\* Wake up and be more spontaneous, more childlike. Once in a while, tossing away all of life's heavies does make a difference. Once you allow your inner child out, others seem to respond in kind. An invitation from a distance will be hard to say "no" to. Tonight: Forget tomorrow. Live today.  
This Week: Others enjoy your charisma and energy Monday. It could be a bit hard to focus on work Tuesday on!  
**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)  
\*\*\* Stay close to home if you want to. There is no rule saying you must go off and do this or that. Make yourself comfortable with the Sunday paper, or curl up with a good book. If you want to take a walk or meet up with a friend, do. This is your day, too. Tonight: Allow another person to dote on you.  
This Week: Release issues; only then can creativity open up.  
**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)  
\*\*\*\*\* You might have a lot more to say than you thought. A friend might have a difficult time getting a word in. Listen to a different perspective. A key loved one lets you know how cared for you are. Spend more time with this person. Tonight: The only answer is yes.  
This Week: Understand what is the base of a presentation. Then make any necessary adjustments.  
**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20)  
\*\*\* Be aware of the costs of a decision. You might not have all the answers just yet, but keep listening, thinking and asking questions. Someone you enjoy being around adds to the specialness of the day. Accept an invitation to a local spot. Tonight: Splurge on dessert.  
This Week: Review your finances before saying yes!

**BORN TODAY**  
First daughter Malia Obama (1998), 30th U.S. president Calvin Coolidge (1872), advice columnist Ann Landers (1918)

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# Mexico: Gang leader says US consulate infiltrated

MEXICO CITY (AP) — A top drug gang enforcer says he ordered the killing of a U.S. consulate worker because she helped provide visas to a rival gang in the border city of Ciudad Juarez, federal police said Friday.

Jesus Ernesto Chavez, whose arrest was announced on Friday, leads a band of hit men for a street gang tied to the Juarez cartel, said Ramon Pequeno, the head of anti-narcotics for the Federal Police.

Pequeno said Chavez ordered the March 13 attack that killed U.S. consulate employee Lesley Enriquez and her husband as they drove through the violent city toward a border crossing to the U.S. Pequeno said Chavez told police that Enriquez was targeted because she helped provide visas to a rival gang.

The suggestion that drug gangs may have infiltrated the U.S. diplomatic mission runs counter to previous statements by U.S. Embassy officials that Enriquez was never in a position to provide visas and worked in a section that provides basic services to U.S. citizens in Mexico.

And U.S. officials who looked into the possibility of corruption involving Enriquez shortly after her killing found no evidence that she was involved in illegal activity at the consulate, said a federal official in the U.S. who is familiar with the investigation. The official spoke on condition of anonymity because he was not authorized to speak about the case.

He said the motive behind the attacks remains unclear to U.S. officials.

"The 'why' has not been answered" in the killing of Enriquez, her husband and the husband of a co-worker, the official said.

The attack on Enriquez — within view of the Texas border — and a nearly simultaneous attack that killed the husband of a Mexican employee of the consulate raised concerns that Americans and U.S. government personnel were being caught up in drug-related violence.

Enriquez was four months pregnant when she and husband Arthur H. Redelfs, were killed by gunmen who opened fire on their vehicle after the couple left a children's birthday party. Their 7-month-old daughter was found waiting in the back seat.

Jorge Alberto Salcido, the husband of a Mexican employee of the consulate, also was killed by gunmen after leaving the same event in a separate vehicle.

Chavez told police that gunmen opened fire on Salcido because the two cars were the same color and the hit men did not know which one Enriquez was in, Pequeno said.

Investigators also have looked at whether Redelfs may have been targeted because of his work at an El Paso County Jail that holds several members of the Barrio Azteca, believed to be responsible in the attacks.

In March, U.S. federal, state and local law enforcement officers swept through El Paso, picking up suspected members of the gang in an effort to find new leads in the killings.

A suspect detained in Mexico shortly after the shooting confessed to acting as a lookout as the Azteca gang supposedly hunted down Redelfs, but he was never charged and was released without explanation.

Officials also have speculated that both attacks could have been a case of mistaken identity.

Pequeno said Chavez belongs to Barrio Azteca, which works for the Juarez cartel on both sides of the border.

The Juarez cartel's turf war against the Sinaloa cartel has made Ciudad Juarez one of the deadliest cities in the world. More than 2,600 people were killed last year in the city of 1.3 million people across the border from El Paso, Texas.

Mexican police say Chavez also confessed to participating in the Jan. 31 killing of 15 youths at a party that was mistaken as a gathering of drug-gang rivals. That massacre fueled outrage over innocents killed since President Felipe Calderon launched an all-out offensive against drug gangs in 2006. More than 23,000 people have been killed in Mexico's drug related violence since then.

Mexico's central intelligence database says the 41-year-old suspect served five years in a Louisiana prison on drug distribution charges. Chavez was detained in Mexico in 2008 by the Mexican army on drug trafficking allegations and released, only to be promoted within the Azteca gang, Federal Police said.

Chavez was arrested along with five suspected gang associates who are accused of carrying out killings or providing support. Six assault rifles, a sub-machinegun and ammunition were seized.

Also on Friday, Mexican officials were investigating a gun battle between rival drug and migrant trafficking gangs near Mexico's border with Arizona that left 21 people dead and at least six others wounded.

Sonora state prosecutors say the fire fight on Thursday took place in a sparsely populated area about 12 miles (20 kilometers) from the Arizona border, near the city of Nogales. The area is considered a prime corridor for migrant and drug smuggling. All of the victims were believed to be members of the gangs.

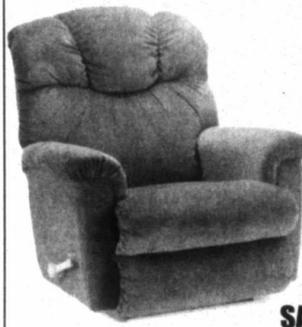
Gangs often fight for control of trafficking routes, abducting migrants from each other.

Gang violence near the Arizona border has led to calls from officials in the U.S. state for greater control of the border and is one reason given for a controversial law passed in April requiring Arizona police to ask people about their immigration status in certain situations.

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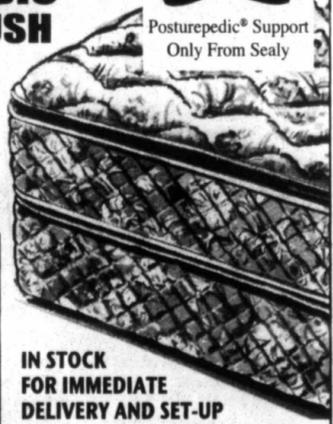
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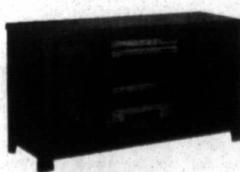


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