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## All of the rain, without the pain



Photo by John Lee

A misty fog set the tone for Wednesday's weather in the morning as a widespread rain event came into the Texas Panhandle.

BY JOHN LEE  
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Most of the time when the Texas Panhandle gets rain they have to worry about a severe storm that comes along, but that was not the case on Wednesday morning as Pampa residents woke up to a recently familiar sight as the misty welcomed rain that would cover most of the Texas Panhandle.

Randy Bowers of the National Weather Service in Amarillo said the widespread rain event was expected to drop a half to three-quarters of an inch.

Severe weather was expected to be held at bay thanks to the moisture and cloud-cover keeping the temperatures low enough to allow the area to just soak in the rain.

It may be a different story starting this evening as Pampa has a 20 to 30 percent chance of seeing some strong storms heading into Friday.

Bowers added that on Friday the ever-important dry line will be setting up on the eastern half of the Texas Panhandle, which could allow Pampa to benefit from even more rain. Pampa has a 20 percent chance of seeing storms Friday afternoon and a 40 percent chance of seeing storms Friday evening.

Skies should clear up for most of the Texas Panhandle on Saturday as the dry line is expected to move more east, but could still settle around Wheeler, Shamrock and Canadian.

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## PRMC emergency room staff works as a team

By LINDSEY TOMASCHIK  
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*This week is hospital week. As part of hospital week, The Pampa News will be running articles pertaining to health and Pampa Regional Medical Center.*

Emergency rooms are a vital thing to have in cities. After the doctors' offices close or in case of severe injury, emergency rooms have an important place in communities.

Pampa Regional Medical Center's emergency room is run by director Pam Box. It is her job to make sure that everything within the department is running smoothly. This means she is in charge of making sure there are an appropriate number of staff members present, there is good patient care given, employees are properly trained, making sure that everything runs efficiently and doing all she can to make things easy on the nurses so they can do their job to the best of their abilities.

PRMC's emergency room currently has eight doctors and 12 nurses on staff.

When asked what they see the most of in the ER, Box said typically a lot of people come in with chest pains, pneumonia, pediatric fevers and trauma, though usually not all at once.

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## Culberson-Stowers April Teacher of the Month

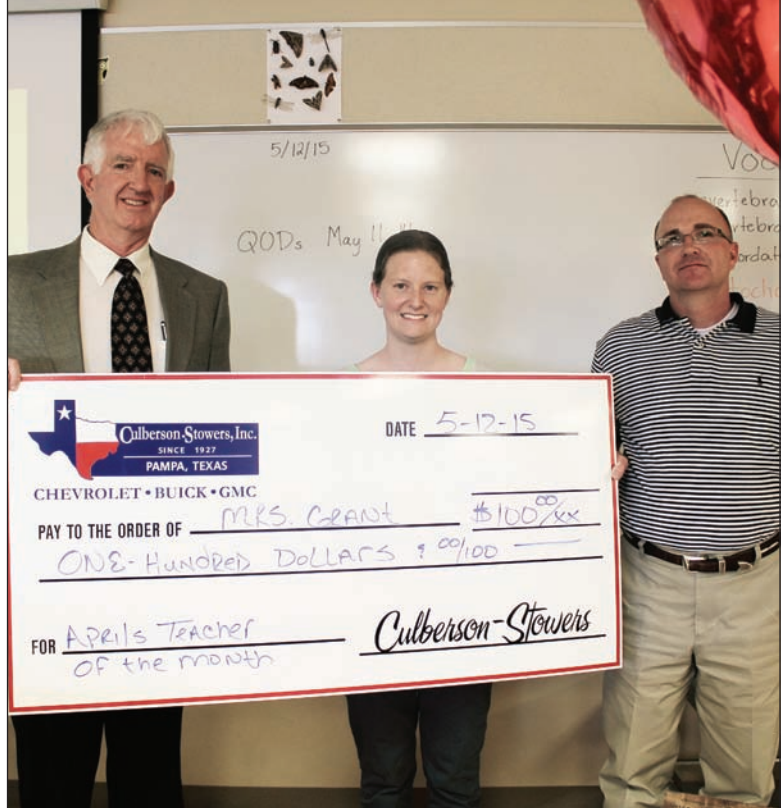


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From left, Richard Stowers, Abby Grant and Tim Prauner. Mrs. Grant was the winner of Culberson-Stowers Teacher of the Month for the month of April. Mrs. Grant is a zoology teacher at Pampa High School. Mrs. Grant won a \$100 as a result of the contest. Look in today's edition of The Pampa News for the form to nominate a teacher for Teacher of the Month. Friday, May 15, is the deadline for May's Teacher of the Month.

## House advances e-cigarette ban for minors

By RYAN MCCRIMMON  
The Texas Tribune

E-cigarettes vaporize a liquid solution for inhalation. They have grown steadily in popularity since they were introduced in 2005.

Texas moved a step closer to banning the sale of electronic cigarettes to minors after the state House gave early approval Monday night to a measure that lawmakers say would prevent young Texans from purchasing dangerous nicotine products.

House members voted 123-20 in favor of a proposal by state Rep. Carol Alvarado, D-Houston, that extends current restrictions on tobacco products to e-cigarettes. Texas retailers are banned from selling cigarettes and other tobacco products to customers younger than 18, but the sale of e-cigarettes isn't currently regulated.

Electronic cigarettes are considered less toxic than traditional tobacco cigarettes because they create vapor instead of smoke, but e-cigarettes also contain the addictive substance nicotine. They're often marketed to smokers as way to help them quit tobacco cigarettes, but health officials say there's not enough evidence to support that claim.

Officials also warn that e-cigarettes could act as a gateway to

more harmful tobacco products for young users.

"As a parent, I'm not comfortable with this situation," state Rep. Nicole Collier, a Democrat from Fort Worth and one of the authors of the e-cigarette bill, said at a House committee hearing in March. Right now, she said, her 14-year-old daughter could walk down the street from her school, enter a store and legally purchase an e-cigarette.

Texas is one of eight states that allow minors to buy e-cigarettes, according to the National Conference of State Legislatures.

Similar e-cigarette legislation by state Sen. Juan "Chuy" Hinojosa, D-McAllen, passed the Senate in March and was sent to the lower chamber. A House committee changed Hinojosa's measure, Senate Bill 97, to match Alvarado's proposal, House Bill 170, and the full House initially approved the measure Monday. If it receives final approval, it will return to the Senate, which will then decide to either approve the changes or try to resolve its differences with the House in a conference committee.

State Rep. Jason Isaac, R-Dripping Springs, who co-authored the legislation, said last week he

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### PAMPA FORECAST

Today	Friday	Saturday
		
High 82 Low 58	High 80 Low 59 20%	High 78 Low 52 20%

**Today:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 82. South wind 10 to 15 mph. Sunrise at 6:41 a.m.

**Tonight:** A 20 percent chance of showers. Partly cloudy, with a low around 58. South wind around 15 mph. Sunset at 8:41 p.m.

**Friday:** A 20 percent chance of showers. Mostly sunny, with a high near 80. South southwest wind around 20 mph. Sunrise at 6:40 a.m.

**Friday night:** A 40 percent chance of showers. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 59. South wind 15 to 20 mph. Sunset at 8:42 p.m.

**Saturday:** A 20 percent chance of showers. Mostly sunny, with a high near 78. Breezy, with a south southwest wind 15 to 25 mph. Sunrise at 6:39 a.m.

**Saturday night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 52. Breezy, with a west southwest wind 15 to 25 mph. Sunset at 8:43 p.m.

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### Emergency

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This time of year, Box says there is usually an increase in the number of trauma patients they treat, and this is due to more people spending extended periods of time doing outdoor activities with the weather warming up. She added that there are more lacerations, jeep rollovers and hefty falls that lead to these injuries, among other things.

There are a lot of elements that go into having a successful ER, and Box said the thing she thinks helps out the most at PRMC is having an upbeat staff that works well as a team. She added that the staff sees some tough cases come in for care, and that team element is needed in order to get the job done.

Box said there are many challenges when it comes to her job, but perhaps the biggest one she faces is time. She said sometimes it gets hard to keep every-

one happy by moving patients in and out for treatment in a timely manner. This happens a lot when someone in critical condition comes in and requires the attention of many staff members, meaning that fewer people are available to treat the other patients waiting for care.

The job does come with rewards, too. Box said she enjoys being able to help others and make a difference in people's lives.

"We see people at their worst and are able to help them," she said. "It's nice

to be a part of helping them at their weakest."

When it comes to some of the newer equipment in the emergency room, Box said they recently received new cardiac monitors and new IV pumps. Within the next few months, there will be some remodeling going on within the ER as well to give the place a face lift.

For more information on the Pampa Regional Medical Center emergency room and other departments within the hospital, call 806-665-3721.

### E-cig

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thinks the House version is likely to be adopted by both chambers.

Both chambers have also passed identical measures to ban e-cigarettes on school property and at school functions.

E-cigarettes have grown in popularity since they were introduced in 2005 and now represent a \$3 billion industry worldwide, according to the World Health Organization.

Several e-cigarette companies like Altria and Logic Technology support restricting sales to minors. Miguel Martin, the president of Logic, said in an interview that his company has already decided not to sell its products to minors whether a state bans it or not.

"We believe these products are adult-oriented products," Martin said. "They contain nicotine. We have warning labels on our products [that] it's an addictive substance."

The World Health Organization has also warned

that fruit and candy-like flavors can make e-cigarettes even more appealing to young people.

Martin said Logic only sells e-cigarettes in menthol and tobacco flavors. He also said e-cigarette companies need to take more responsibility to ensure that minors can't buy e-cigs on the internet, adding that Logic verifies online buyers' age by checking financial and driving records.

"The vast majority of sites, a kid can go on and say, 'Yes, [I'm over 18 years old],' and they can have e-cigarettes sent to

their house," Martin said. Alvarado's measure contains beefed-up security measures for internet sales.

On Monday, Republicans Matt Rinaldi of Irving and Tony Tinderholt of Arlington tried unsuccessfully to derail the bill on procedural grounds. Rinaldi said he opposed the bill because it restricts e-cigarette use in public places like airplanes, movie theaters and hospitals, arguing that it should only target sales to minors.

"It's a complete regulation of e-cigarettes to the same extent as tobacco products," he said.

## Pampa Fire Department call log — May 10-13

### STAFF REPORT

The Pampa Fire Department responded to these calls for the following dates. One unit with three personnel responded to each call, unless otherwise indicated.

**May 10**  
• 5:36 a.m., to the 800 block of North Somerville.  
• At 2:30 p.m., to the 1200 block of North Hobart.  
• At 10:20 p.m., to the 200 block of North Russell.

**May 11**  
• At 8:12 a.m., to the 1500 block of West Kentucky on a medical assist.  
• At 11:47 a.m., to the 1200 block of Farley on a medical assist.  
• At 2:39 p.m., to a medical call in the 900 block of South Finley.

• At 6:33 p.m., to a medical call in the 500 block of Yeager.  
• At 9:34 p.m., to a false alarm in the 1100 block of Darby.

**May 12**  
• At 4:22 a.m., to a lift assist in the 1200 block of East Francis.  
• At 10:47 a.m., two units and four personnel to the 1300 block of West Somerville for an odor investigation.  
• At 1 p.m., to the 1700 block of Fir for a public service call.  
• At 7:16 p.m., to the 2100 block of Charles for a medical assist.

**May 13**  
• At 4:40 a.m., one unit and four personnel to the 1200 block of East Foster for a lift assist.

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### Rain

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As far as temperatures are concerned the area will be a little warmer today through Saturday. Pampa should experi-

ence highs in the low 80s, high 70s from Thursday through Sunday.

For the most up-to-date forecast visit www.weather.gov. As always send in your storm and rain pictures to jcllee@thepampanews.com or share them to our Facebook page.

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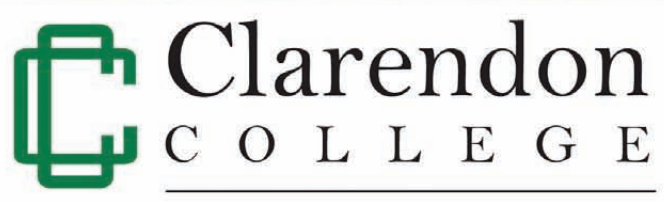
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## Pampa woman arrested for drug possession

**STAFF REPORT**

• Meagan Joslyn, 32, Lefors, was arrested Tuesday by the Gray County Sheriff's Office for possession of a controlled substance — between four and 200 grams.

• Christopher Perez, 18, Pampa, was arrested Monday by GCSO for violation of probation — possession of marijuana — less than two ounces.

• Zephyr Ellis, 21, Pampa, was arrested Monday by the Pampa Police Department for unlawful carrying of a weapon.

• Cory Anderson Sandefur, 48, Pampa, was arrested Tuesday by GCSO for a blue warrant, bond surrender — public lewdness, bond surrender — assault by threat.

• Brian McCade Haderly, 36, Wilmington, N.C., was arrested Tuesday by GCSO for possession of

a controlled substance — between four and 400 grams, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.

• Rose Linda DeLeon, 44, Lefors, was arrested Tuesday by GCSO for public intoxication.

• Thomas McQuaig, 53, Pampa, was arrested Wednesday by GCSO for possession of a controlled substance — between four and 200 grams, failure to identify a fugitive, theft of property — Potter County.

• Patrick Noel Lopez, 42, Pampa, was arrested Wednesday by the Department of Public Safety for driving while license is invalid, second driving while intoxicated offense.

• Kamron Hassler, 22, Skellytown, was arrested Wednesday by PPD for possession of drug paraphernalia, failure to appear.

# George Zimmerman's fresh start hampered by new investigation

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — George Zimmerman had moved out of Florida recently, hoping for a fresh start.

In the two years since his acquittal in the fatal shooting of Trayvon Martin, the one-time neighborhood watch volunteer has had several run-ins with the law.

Once again, he is involved in a police investigation, only this time authorities say he was shot at in his pickup truck. What exactly transpired with the shooter — a man he crossed paths with last fall — is in dispute.

Zimmerman and Matthew Apperson were both driving Monday on a busy road in the Orlando suburb of Lake Mary when some sort of confrontation occurred. The passenger window of Zimmerman's pickup had a bullet hole in it and Zimmerman suffered minor injuries from flying glass and debris.

Zimmerman had returned to the area for Mother's Day and a doctor's appointment, and was driving to his doctor's office when the confrontation took place, said his attorney, Don West. Apperson works

nearby, at a disability-benefits office.

Police recovered a handgun from Zimmerman and took two guns from Apperson's car. Both men had their guns legally.

"He never waved it, displayed it or brandished it," West said of Zimmerman. "He did not threaten Mr. Apperson in any way with a firearm."

Apperson's attorney, Mark NeJame, said the shooting was "a good, old-fashioned self-defense case" and that Apperson's encounter with Zimmerman was pure "happenstance." Apperson claimed Zimmerman brandished a gun and he feared for his life, NeJame said.

"He is not looking for trouble. He did not want trouble," NeJame said. "He's not following George Zimmerman around. He's not wanting anything to do with George Zimmerman, as it relates to any of this."

Police on Tuesday released a 911 call in which the caller says Apperson told him he was forced to fire at Zimmerman.

"A guy says he had to shoot a guy through the window and he wants the police to come," the man said on the call. "He had to shoot at somebody ... He said it was George Zimmerman."

Documents show detectives are investigating the shooting as a possible aggravated assault with a deadly weapon without intent to kill. There is no timetable on when they will decide on whether any charges are warranted.

Police appealed to the public for help, believing "there is someone that saw something" on the busy road, Lake Mary Officer Bianca Gillett said.

Zimmerman and Apperson were involved in a road-rage episode last September. Apperson said Zimmerman had threatened to kill him after Apperson made a U-turn that put him in an adjacent lane, asking "Do you know who I am?" Apperson decided not to pursue charges and police officers were unable to move forward without a license plate number or witnesses.

Two days later, Apperson called police to report that Zimmerman's truck was parked near the disability-benefits office. Zimmerman told police officers that he had an appointment in the same office park, and no charges were filed.

West refused to say where Zimmerman was now living. Zimmerman doesn't have a regular-paying job, and will stay in central Florida to cooperate with the investigation "until he is no longer needed," West said.

"He was getting settled," West said. "His plan was to be around for a couple of days and go back."

Zimmerman was acquitted in the February 2012 shooting death of Martin, an unarmed black teenager, in a case that sparked protests and a national debate about race relations. The Justice Department later decided not to bring a civil rights case against Zimmerman.

Since then, Zimmerman was charged with assault based on complaints from two girlfriends. In both cases, the girlfriends refused to cooperate and charges were dropped. His estranged wife also accused him of smashing her iPad during an argument days after she filed divorce papers. No charges were filed because of lack of evidence.

## Area Support Groups

The following is a list of support groups that meet regularly each week in Pampa. Information for each meeting is submitted to The Pampa News office and may not be completely updated or accurate. Please notify the newsroom if a change is necessary.

The Pampa News welcomes all submitted materials for area support groups. Please include the meeting time, date and location and, if applicable, provide a contact number for each group.

- **Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault**, meet at 6 p.m., Thursdays, at the Tralee Crisis Center, 308 S. Cuyler St. For more info, call the Center at 806-669-1131.
- **Narcotics Anonymous — The Pampa Group** meets at 7:30 p.m., Tuesdays, and at 6 p.m., Saturdays, at 805 N. Gray St. **Narcotics Anonymous — Rufe Jordan Unit** also meets at 6 p.m., Mondays, and at 5:30 p.m., Wednesdays, at 1992 Hilton Road.
- **Cancer Support** meets from 12-1 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month at Central Baptist Church. For more info, contact Beth Kean at 800-274-4673

- **Alcoholics Anonymous** Open Door Club meets daily at noon and 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky Ave. **Al-Anon** meets at noon on Mondays. For more information, call 665-9072.
- **Alcoholics Anonymous** Primary Purpose meets daily at noon and 8 p.m. at 112 W. Foster Ave.
- **Alcoholics Anonymous** Keep It Simple meets Thursdays at 6 p.m. at the Methodist church in White Deer.
- **Pampa Caregiver Support** meets at the Pampa Nursing Center on 1321 W. Kentucky Ave. at 6 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month. For more information call 806-669-2551.
- **Accolade Home Care** sponsors a **Parkinson's Support Group** the second Thursday of each month at 6 p.m. The group meets at Accolade at 1313 N. Hobart St. They also have an **Alzheimer's support group**, which is held on the third Monday of each month at First United Methodist Church, located at 201 E. Foster, at noon. For more information, call Lindsey Presson at 806-665-9700 or 806-324-3230.

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## Tales from the Final Frontier

### ■ The moon looks so huge, but why?

Ever notice some evenings why the moon looks so huge coming off of the horizon?



**JOHN LEE**

The moon's orbit around the Earth never changes so it's always the same distance from where we are standing, so why does it appear closer?

It remains one of science's biggest mysteries, but there are a fair-share of theories out there.

Here is what an article that was posted on [www.vox.com](http://www.vox.com), a news website, says:

"In the years since Aristotle, people have put forth dozens of competing hypotheses. The most prominent one involves the way our brains figure out the size of objects at varying distances."

**Perceived distance** — When a car is driving away from you, the car obviously gets smaller because as it drives

away it gets "ate up" by your visual field. But we all know the car isn't shrinking.

The article states the human mind can't accurately perceive depth at such great distances.

"If you estimate the distance between you and the moon as being larger, the brain performs a computation and decides the object must also be larger to fill the same space," says Ralph Weidner, a German neuroscientist who's recently used MRI experiments to study the illusion.

**Objects in the area** — Some propose it's because much of the time we are used to seeing large objects on horizons, such as mountains. This is just using our accumulated experience to trick our minds.

The article dispels these theories because people say the moon looks closer when they should be saying it looks further (Think driving to Colorado or New Mexico from Texas, the mountains are really far away, right?).

**Ebbinghaus Illusion** — One hypothesis notes that when the moon is on the horizon it's behind something much smaller and more detailed like a tree or building. This would make it

look bigger by comparison. Think of all those "Blood Moon" pictures that came out in recent years.

**Micropsia** — Others suggest when our eyes focus on objects in the distance the object in question appears smaller if a spot closer comes into our line of sight.

"So, for instance, when the moon is high in the sky, there are no nearby objects to serve as cues, telling our eyes where to focus. In that case, our eyes default to what's called a 'resting focus,' focusing on a spot a few meters away.

"This causes the moon to appear smaller. By contrast, when the moon is on the horizon, all the buildings and mountains in front of it remind our eyes to focus farther away, partly eliminating the effect of micropsia and making the moon appear larger by comparison."

I am not an astronomer or scientist by any means, so the way I interpreted some of these theories may be incorrect.

Who really knows why it appears bigger on the horizon? It could be just one of those science mysteries that are never solved.

If you would like to read the article yourself, put this link in your browser: <http://bit.ly/1H3v1FK>.

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## Eating crow after the British elections

The media elite have a preeminent place in our politics, allegedly with the knowledge to declare what is politically feasible and what is not, including which candidates have a chance at



**BRENT BOZELL**

winning and which do not. Before we head into a presidential primary season, it's time to insist that these "experts" don't know any better than the rest of us.

And sometimes their biases so heavily shade their predictions as to keep themselves in the dark about reality.

Take the elections in Israel in March. The manufactured conventional wisdom and polling predicted a tight race and rough sledding for conservative Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu. When instead the conservative won easily, our media exploded in the usual sore-loser outbursts about how Mideast peace was dead. An Obama campaign stalwart (2012 field organizer Jeremy Bird) enriched himself but ended up on the losing side. This wasn't depicted as a bad sign for President Obama or his political team.

Now take the British elections on May 7. On "Meet the Press" on May 3, host Chuck Todd proclaimed the race between Conservative Party Prime Minister David Cameron and Labour Party leftist Ed Miliband "too close to call." Naturally, Todd declared, "There's been commentary that if Cameron loses, the Republican Party ought to learn something from that."

On Thursday, as the Brits voted, MSNBC anchor Andrea Mitchell brought on "senior political analyst" David Axelrod to make a fool of himself. "I think that the polls are accurate. This is a very, very close race, highly likely that this drama extends beyond tonight."

Incorrect on both counts. Cameron defied the "experts" and won a clear majority in Parliament.

Axelrod added: "One thing seems clear is that there's going to be a progressive majority in Britain after this elec-

tion. Unless there's a huge surprise today, it's really hard to see how David Cameron puts together a majority." Axelrod was paid nearly a half-million dollars to advise Labour. Yet again, no one on television seemed saw this as a bad sign for Obama or the Democrats.

In fact, ABC never noticed the election results. They didn't involve royal babies. NBC gave it 42 words.

The print media also flunked at predictions. The Washington Post's top political correspondent Dan Balz warned on May 3 that Cameron was "buffeted by many of the same problems and pressures that afflict and divide the GOP in the United States." He quoted Peter Kellner from the polling firm YouGov, said of the Conservatives: "They have not shifted their brand from an out-of-touch party of the rich. The Tories have to persuade people they are determined to make the lives of ordinary people better ... not unlike the Republicans."

Just as the tea party "ruins" the GOP, Balz suggested the U.K. Independence Party and their "anti-immigration, anti-Europe message" moved Cameron's party to the right, alienating moderate and independent voters.

Balz concluded: "Almost any outcome would remind Conservatives, the most dominant political party in Britain over the last century, of how far short they have fallen over the past 18 years. Even if they win on Thursday, this would mark the fifth consecutive election in which they have failed to capture a majority of seats."

Balz is eating his crow well-done. Who exactly is the out-of-touch party?

These elections should be a clear warning to Republicans, and the American people as a whole headed into 2016: Don't let journalists tell you who can win and who doesn't stand a chance. Their feeling that conservatives should lose every race gets in the way.

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## GOP will lose in 2016 without sensible immigration reform

If the GOP doesn't put together a sensible immigration policy, it will lose the 2016 presidential election.



**LAWRENCE KUDLOW**

When Obama beat Romney in 2012, with the former Massachusetts governor attracting only 27 percent of the Hispanic vote with his self-deportation argument, Republicans across the map decided they must develop an immigration-reform policy with an outreach approach to minority groups. According to the Republican National Committee, the days of harsh language and punitive legislation must end. In its place, the GOP must reconstruct the Ronald Reagan/Jack Kemp "big tent" theory of politics, where there is plenty of room for all groups — blacks, Hispanics, Asians, Millennials, women and gays. As Reagan put it, if you and I agree 80 percent of the time and disagree 20 percent, we are not enemies.

A lot of clear-headed Republicans have a strong dislike for identity-group politics. Me too. Instead, I prefer a program of economic growth, strong national defense, deregulation, low flat-tax-rate reform, free trade and sound money to unleash American prosperity and bolster national security. If this positive message is sold — to everyone and all groups — it will work politi-

cally. But unfortunately, the Republican desire for immigration reform — and inclusive outreach in general — has splintered. That's why I fear the GOP may blow an election it absolutely should win.

Making matters tougher for the GOP, Hillary Clinton has come out with a very strong, ultra-liberal immigration policy. It emphasizes a path to citizenship and charges that Republicans will never make immigrants more than "second class" Americans. She would include illegals, the parents of illegals, the 11 million undocumented workers and immigrants who have already been deported. She might even go farther than Obama with executive actions.

And while Hillary makes political hay with Hispanic voters, the GOP has no unified immigration response.

A recent Wall Street Journal story notes that former Florida Gov. Jeb Bush and Sen. Marco Rubio favor a path to citizenship, but have stepped back to offer legal status. Gov. Scott Walker, who was for a pathway to citizenship a few years ago, has shifted to a vague notion of legal-immigration reform that will do no harm to native-born workers and their wages. Sen. Ted Cruz is unsure about legal status. Former Govs. Rick Perry and Mike Huckabee talk about tightening border security without any details on the rest of the problem.

All over the map. Now, the Republican

candidates rightfully agree on the priority of border security. They also correctly oppose President Obama's extra-legal — or perhaps unconstitutional — expansion of executive power on immigration. But really, those are negatives, not positives.

Left unsolved are the H-1B visas for the high-tech brainiacs, visas for foreign students who are forced to leave the U.S. after going to our great universities, some kind of guest-worker program for the seasonal needs of farm and nonfarm employers, making the e-verify program mandatory and granting portability.

The GOP should also favor legal status for undocumented workers who have no criminal record and pay their taxes. And Marco Rubio is right: "Every nation needs a unifying language; our unifying language is English."

According to Hoover economist Timothy Kane, the majority of studies show that increased immigration has a small negative effect on the relative wages of low-skilled native workers. However, economists also agree that the overall effect of increased immigration is positive. More immigrant workers create more demand for goods and services, which creates net new jobs over time.

And if we permitted virtually unlimited immigration for the H-1B brainiacs and the foreign-born MIT students, the potential for new tech inventions and innovations would surge. The result would be more Googles and

Intels, hundreds of thousands of new jobs, and tens of millions of dollars in new wealth.

Isn't that the story of America, which I hope is still the land of opportunity?

And so many illegals risk life and limb to get here. That by itself is an act of entrepreneurship, which will be continued in America.

Russell Moore of the Southern Baptist Convention adds to this issue. In a wonderful opinion piece in the Journal, he argues that immigration-bashing will alienate Hispanic Evangelicals. Moore talks about the rising tide of born-again Protestant Hispanic congregations. These people believe in "the sanctity of life, racial justice, economic growth and the values of hard work."

Sixteen percent of the nation's Hispanics are Evangelicals. And they're a natural GOP constituency if only the Republicans would reach out to them. Their cultural conservatism stands shoulder to shoulder with the economic-growth and prosperity issues that hopefully will form the Republican platform. But so far the outreach hasn't happened.

All I can say is, the Republican candidates better getting moving. Hillary has fired an immigration shot across the bow. There must be a sensible response.

*To find out more about Lawrence Kudlow and read features by other Creators Syndicate writers and cartoonists, visit the Creators Syndicate Web page at [www.creators.com](http://www.creators.com).*

# Church Calendar

## Hi-Land Christian Church

Wednesday nights, Pastor Mike Sublett teaches 2 special advanced classes at Hi-Land Christian Church.

From 7 - 8 p.m. The Judges and Kings of Israel (broken people, faithful God); from 8-9 p.m. 1-2 Corinthians (Jesus and His messy people).

Pastor Sublett said, "Both classes are advanced in that they have a weekly reading assignment and weekly handout pages that will supply each student with a significant notebook for continued study."

I will also be recording each class so that everyone can have the audio in case they want to review something later."

The classes are open to anyone interested in learning more about their Bible. Child care will be provided for anyone who is attending either class.

## Cornerstone Baptist Church

Cornerstone Baptist Team KID (Kids in Discipleship) meets Wednesdays at 6:30 until 8:00 pm at 2410 W. 23rd St. All children ages 4 thru 5th graders are invited to attend.

For more information call the church at 669-6509.

## New Life Assembly of God

New Life Assembly of God is located at 1435 N. Sumner Street in Pampa. New pastor, Sergio Urrutia, said their mission is "New life Assembly of God is committed to fulfilling a four-fold mission."

Our primary reason for being is to evangelize the lost, worship God, disciple believer and to show compassion, to build a multi-ethnic body of believers.

New life commits to reaching out to Pampa in all areas of the township with special emphasis to our Latino brothers and sisters.

Our worship will be a reflection of our multi-ethnic mixture of disciples including Christian Latino music, contemporary music as well as the traditional hymns and songs of the church.

Outreach will have as its goal to produce new believers who in turn are able to witness effectively and make disciples who will in turn continue this cycle.

This will be effected through small

group bible studies, both Bi-lingual services, and bibles."

Services are Sunday at 10 a.m. and Sundays and Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

## Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ

Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ is located at 1342 Mary Ellen St. Corner of Mary Ellen and Harvester. Right across from the high school.

Bible Classes start at 9:30 a.m. with Sunday Morning Worship at 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Evening Worship is at 5 p.m. and Ladies Bible Class Wednesday 10 a.m.

Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ also offers Wednesday Bible Class at 7 p.m.

The clothing room is open on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

The church will be hosting a Marriage Seminar "Strong Marriage Workshops," with Trey and Lea Morgan, of Childress, on May 23 from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

There will be a free lunch as will as childcare provided. To pre-register, email mehyouth@gmail.com

Keith Feerer is the Preacher and Zac Green is Youth Minister.

For more information call 806-665-0031.

## McLean Cowboy Church

McLean Cowboy Church is a non-denominational spirit-filled Christian church.

The pastor is Ronnie Ferguson.

Sunday worship is at 10:30 a.m. and children's ministry is Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.

The ages for the children's ministry are nursery through fifth grade.

The church is located at the intersection of state Highway 273 and Interstate 40 in McLean.

For more information, call 806-779-0260.

## Southside Church of Christ

Southside Church of Christ is located at 11923 W. McCullough Ave. in Pampa.

The church extends an open invitation to all to come and worship where the

gospel, "God's Word," is always taught and preached.

Regular worship services are: Sunday morning Bible study, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.; morning worship begins at 10:45 a.m. to noon; Wednesday night Bible study is from 5 to 6 p.m.

## First Presbyterian Church

Each Wednesday we have our children and adult Worship On Wednesday (WOW) classes from 5:30-6:30 followed by a light meal. We have an awesome youth program that is trying to grow for sixth graders through high school.

They meet from 6:30 -7:30 on Wednesday evenings. They meet from 6:30 -7:30 on Wednesday evenings.

All of our classes are open to anyone who would like to attend and learn more about God. This is followed by our choir practice at 7:30 if you would like to join the choir too.

We also offer a Twenties & Thirties, TNT, a group for young adults, that meets on Sunday evenings at 7 p.m. for bible study.

Worship service is at 10:45 a.m. on Sunday mornings, preceded with adult and children's Sunday schools. We do offer nursery service for our Sunday mornings.

Come worship with us and stay to socialize with us. Try us out and see if we can fill your worship needs.

For more information please call our church of-

fice at 665-1031.

## Rushing Wind Emmaus

Rushing Wind Emmaus will meet Saturday, May 9, in the Waka Christian Center starting at 6 p.m. with a potluck meal. Sponsors training will be available followed by a praise and worship service. A nursery will be provided, and family and friends are welcome.

*If your church would like to be added to this list or are hosting a special event let us know! Email jclea@thepampanews.com or give us a call 669-2525. We will need the name, address, phone number and any other information about the event.*

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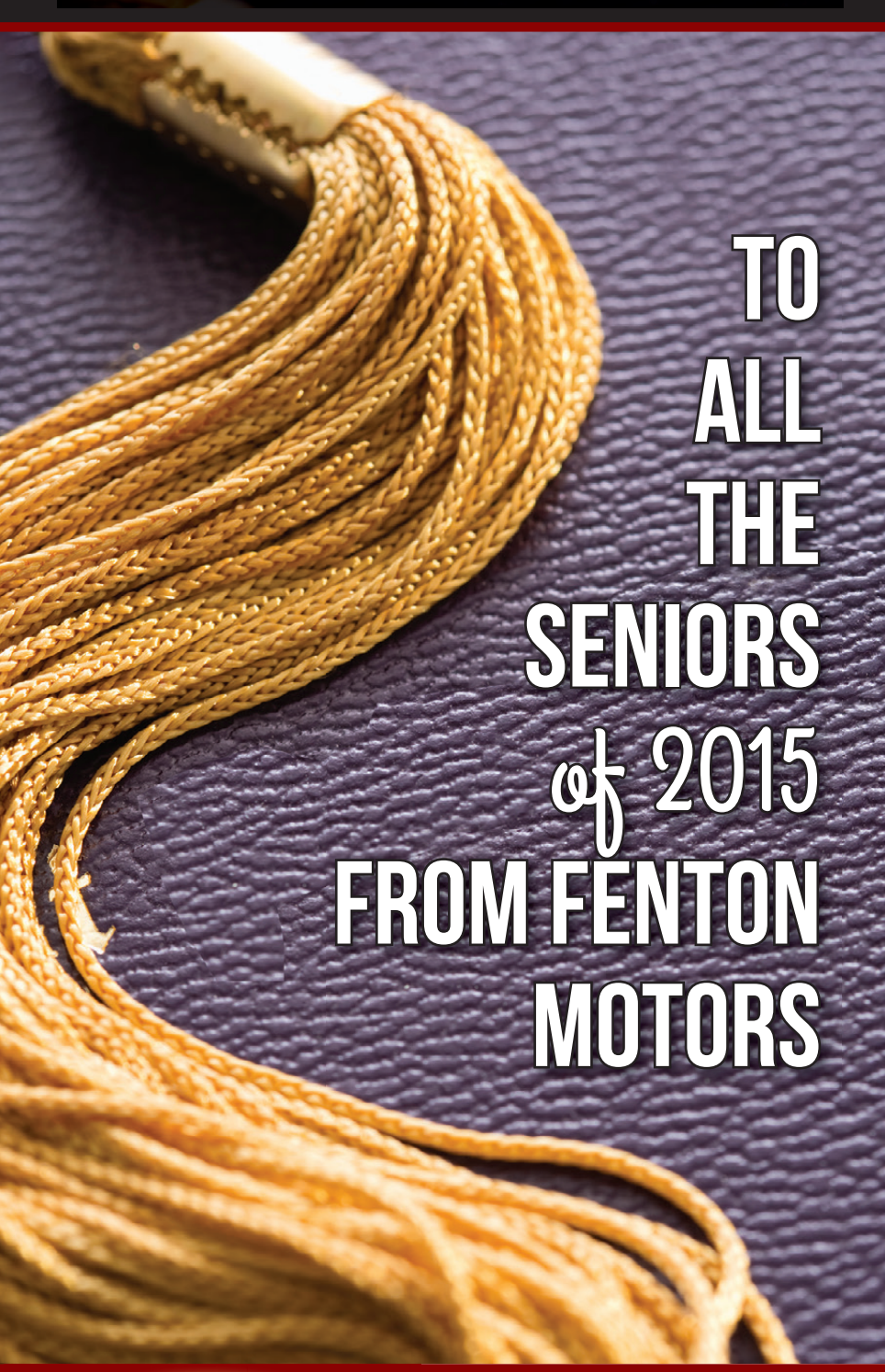
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# Community Calendar

## City Commission meetings

The Pampa City Commission meets at 5:30 p.m. the second and fourth Monday of each month. The meetings are held on the third floor of City Hall.

## Free estate planning workshop coming to Pampa

CLA Estate Services is hosting a free Estate Planning Workshop Tuesday, March 31 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at The Plaza Restaurant located at 1201 N. Hobart St. in Pampa. The workshop will provide valuable information for seniors on securing one's estate and retirement planning. Guests will receive a workbook and gain useful information on: pros and cons of wills and trusts; how to avoid probate; long term health care concerns; and tax reduction planning. Please call 1-866-252-

8721 to RSVP.

## School board meetings

The Pampa Independent School District board meets at 5:45 p.m. on the fourth Monday of each month at the new administration building on North Hobart Street.

## Immunization clinic three times a month

The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) hosts an immunization clinic in Pampa three times a month. The clinics are held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from 1 to 3 p.m. on the first three Wednesdays of each month. The first 10 people in line for the morning and first 10 in the afternoon will always receive shots. However, if there are more than 10, they still may be able to accommodate the patients, or ask them to come back at another time. The Department of State

Health Services can be reached at 806-669-5323 and is located at 121 S. Gillespie St. in Pampa.

## PAWS meets first Tuesdays

Pampa Animal Welfare Society meets the first Tuesday of each month at the Pampa Animal Shelter, 811 S. Hobart St. The meetings are at 6:30 p.m. and are open to the public.

There is a desperate need for more members. PAWS members are needed to work at the shelter from 3 to 5:30 p.m. each day and to work adoption days or take animals to the vets when needed, but mostly people are needed to love and work with the animals where they will be more adoptable.

For more information, call the shelter after 3 p.m. at 669-5775 and ask for the PAWS volunteer.

## County Commission meetings

The Gray County Commission meets at 9 a.m. on the first and 15th of each month. If the date falls on a Saturday, the meeting will be held on Friday. If the date falls on a Sunday, the meeting will be held on Monday. The meetings are held on the second floor of the Gray County Courthouse.

## TOT Republican Women's Club

Top O' Texas Republican Women's Club meets at noon on the third Wednesday of every month at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center, 500 W. Francis St. For more information call 806-669-1990.

## Jam sessions every Friday night

The Woody Guthrie Folk Music Center has a jam session every Friday night starting at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to play or listen. The center is located at 320 S. Cuyler St. For more information, call 806-664-0824.

## Meredith House presents live music

Meredith House, an assisted-living facility at 812 W. 25th Ave., has a band performing at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday and Saturday night. Join them for Western music, gospel and the classics. For more information, call 806-665-5668.

## Monday night dance club

The Monday night dance club meets from 7 to 9 p.m., the second Monday of each month, in the Pampa Chamber of Commerce building on the corner of Ballard and Kingsmill. Admission is \$3.50. Cold drinks and coffee are offered. The club plays country music. For more information, call Della at 806-663-1136.

## PPQG Meets fourth Thursdays

Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild meets the fourth Thursday of each month, January through October, at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center at 500 W. Francis St.

The meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. and membership is open to adult quilters of all ages. Dues are \$15 annually. Meetings consist of a short business discussion followed by a program featuring quilting techniques. For more information, call 806-662-2909.

## Pampa Post VFW meetings

Pampa Post VFW, Men's Auxiliary, and Ladies Auxiliary meet the second and fourth Tuesday of every month. There is a social hour with meal at 6 p.m. and the meetings begin at 7 p.m. For questions, call Danny Martin at 806-662-4367.

## CASA of the High Plains

CASA of the High Plains will be open from 5-6 p.m. on the third Tuesday of every month for persons interested in becoming a CASA Volunteer. The CASA office is located in the Brown Alliance for Children at 315 N. Ballard Street in Pampa.

CASA volunteers are appointed by a Judge to represent the Best Interest of children who have been removed from their homes due to abuse and neglect. Volunteers are crucial to positive outcomes for children in the foster care system.

You may contact CASA at 806-669-7638 for more information.

## Citizens for a Better Pampa Meetings NO MEETING ON APRIL 29

The Citizens for a Better Pampa meetings are scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 1925B North Hobart. The group is made up of individuals who want to work with our city commissioners and the city government/employees to help make Pampa a better place to live for all Pampa residents and visitors. All who have concerns, positive ideas, suggestions, and solutions for concerns are encouraged to attend these meetings.

Group members attend the City Commission meetings, then grab a bite to eat and meet at the office conference room (1925B North Hobart) to get acquainted and visit before starting.

For more information, please contact Dale or Phillis at (3 Par Ranch office), 806-665-0805.

## May 2015 DSHS Immunization Clinic

The May 2015 Department of State Health Services Immunization Clinic Schedule has been announced. All five clinics will be at 121 S. Gillespie from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3:30 p.m. Each time-frame is for the first 10 clients.

The clinics will be on May 6, May 7, May 13, May 19, May 20. There is one available in McLean from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on April 14 at the Lovett Library located at 302 N. Main.

All times are subject to change or cancellation in case of extenuating circumstances.

## Quails Forever meetings

Quails Forever is a new chapter in Pampa. This club meets on the first Tuesday of every month in the main building of Clarendon College Pampa Center. The group focuses on habitat and conservation projects for quails. The goal is to get community members and volunteers interested in creating conservation habitat areas for quail to increase the animal's population and furthermore to improve the environment.

## Gospel Pickin' and Grinnin'

First United Methodist Church, located at 201 E. Foster, holds their weekly Gospel Pickin' and Grinnin' at 6 p.m. every Friday. Everyone is welcome to come out and bring their instruments or their voice. For more information on this weekly event, call Jerry Lister at 806-676-0711 or the church at 86-665-7411.

## Lovett Memorial Library

Free Spanish classes will be offered every Thursday from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Lovett Memorial Library is located at 111 N. Houston St. and can be reached 806-669-5780.

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON GRAY COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT 2016 PROPOSED BUDGET

The following notice publication is required by House Bill 432, passed by the 71<sup>st</sup> Legislature in 1989, effective September 1, 1989.

The Gray County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on the proposed budget for the 2016 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held at a meeting to begin at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 26, 2015, at the Gray County Appraisal District offices, 815 North Sumner, Pampa, Texas.

The following is a summary of the Appraisal District budget in the manner and form prescribed by Section 6.062 of the Texas Property Tax Code:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$754,408.

The total decrease over the current year's budget is \$22,872.

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is 8 (full-time employees).

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be 8 (full-time employees).

The change in the proposed budget is due to the decrease in normal operation expenses.

The Appraisal District is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the Appraisal District.

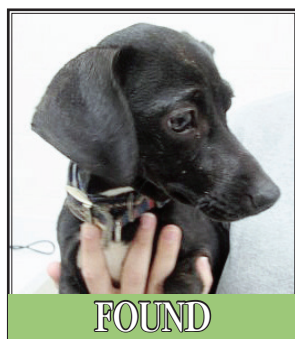
If approved by the Appraisal District Board of Directors at a public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities and towns and Water District served by the Appraisal District.

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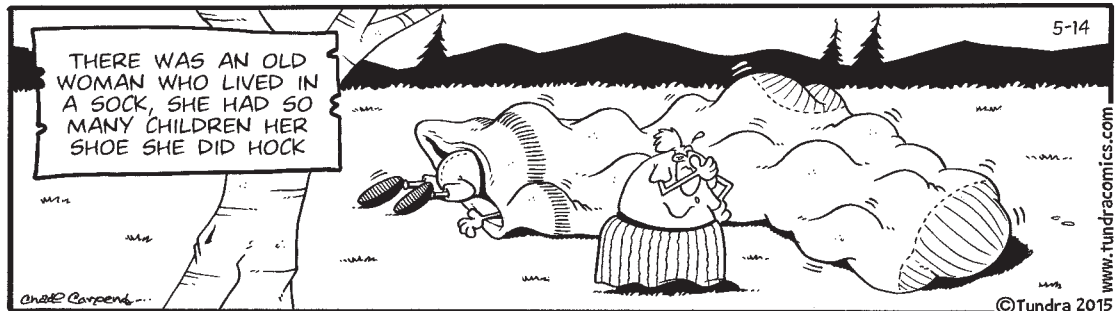


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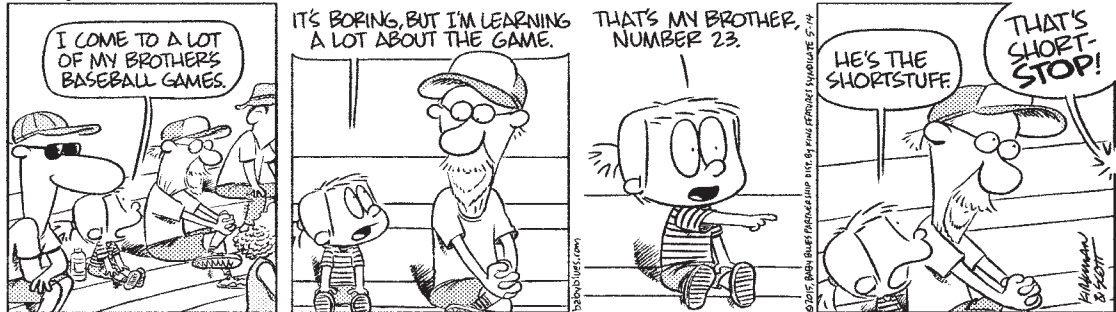
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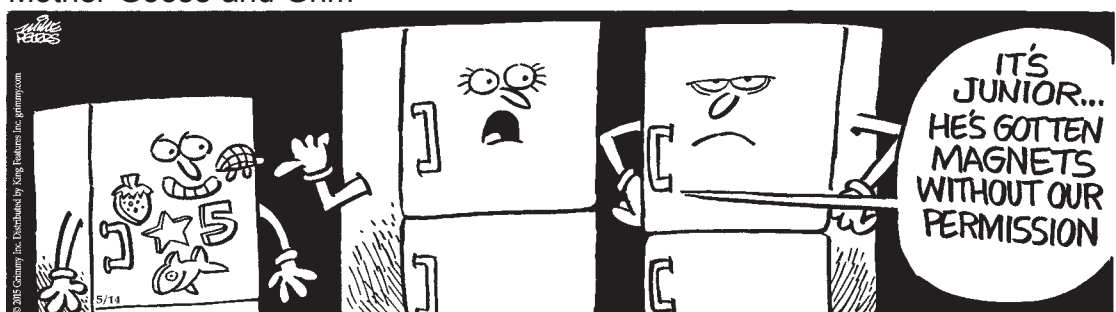
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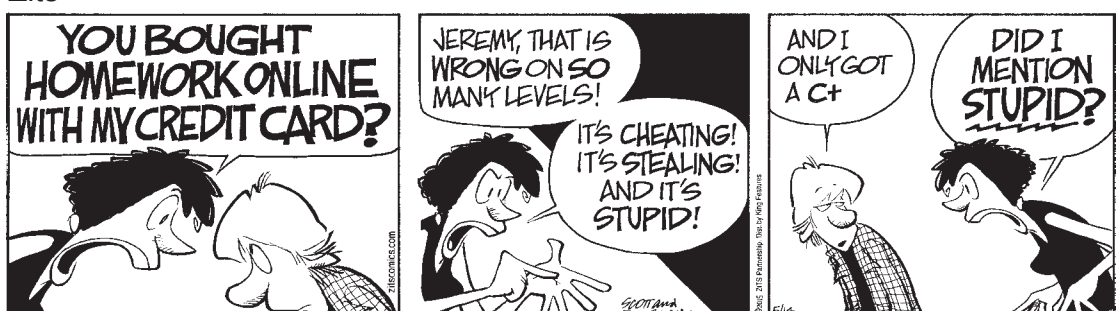
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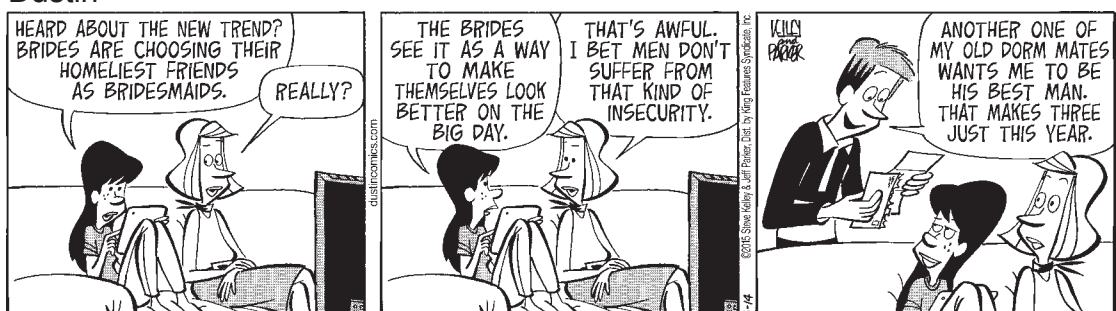
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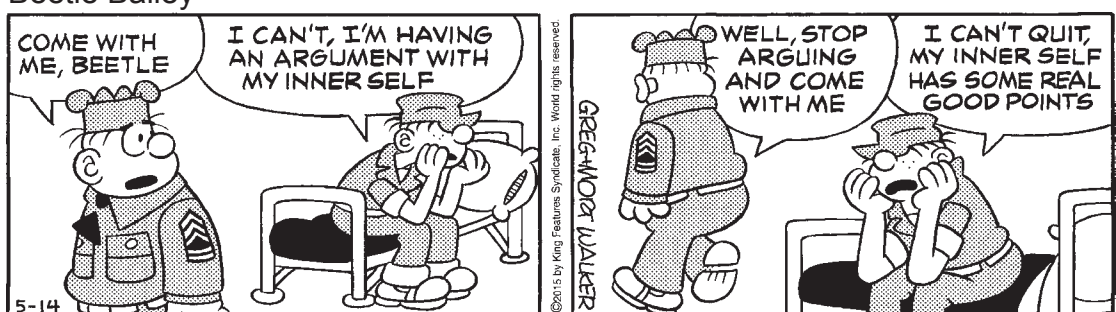
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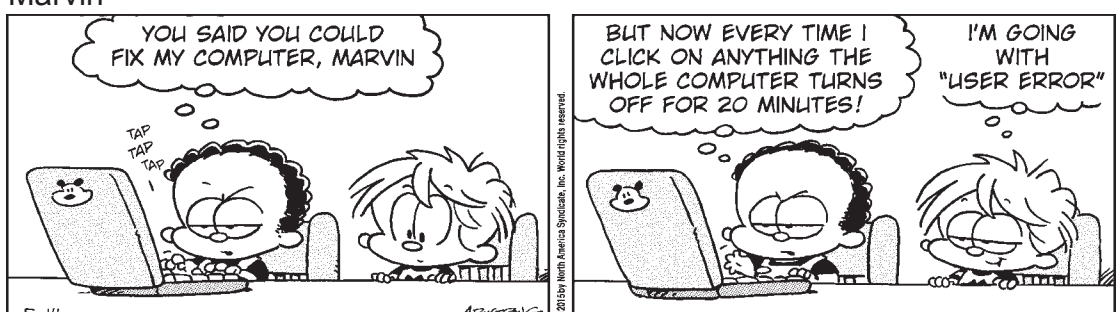
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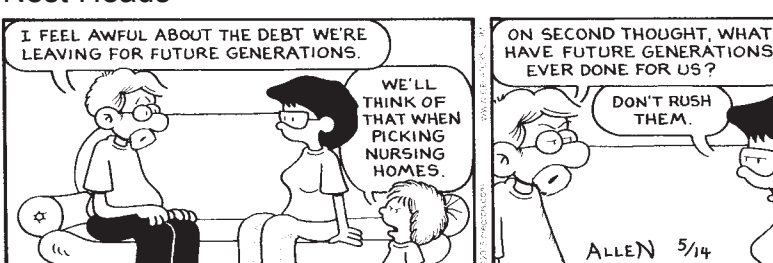
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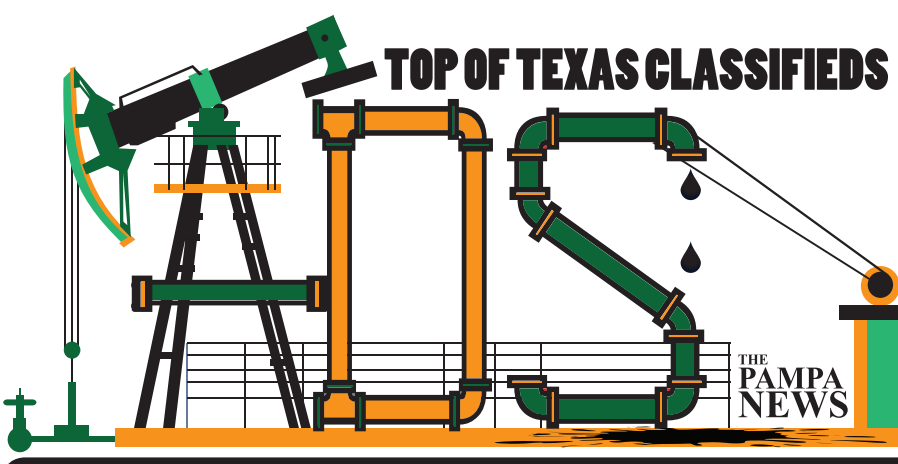
## Nest Heads



# DAILY Horoscope

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Friday, May 15, 2015:  
 This year you open up to many different options, though you might not act on any of them right away. You have a tendency to reflect on decisions and observations for quite a while. Your perspective changes though encounters with people who are very different from you. If you are single, check out any person you are dating with care, as he or she might not be everything he or she seems to be. Do not commit until you are absolutely sure of your choice. If you are attached, the two of you love spending time away from the everyday concerns of life. Plan a special happening anytime from fall onward. You might be able to fool many of the signs, but you can't fool ARIES.  
**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)  
 ★★★ Try getting more information before making a decision. You could be in a position where it would be a mistake to say or do anything more. The unexpected might throw off your plans; your imagination is likely to go haywire as a result. Tonight: Vanish while you can.  
**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)  
 ★★★★★ You could be in a position where you would prefer to relax. Nevertheless, someone close to you will make a demand of sorts. Lighten up the moment -- not with energy and conversation, but with a smile. It will be very much appreciated. Tonight: Hang out with friends. TGIF!  
**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)  
 ★★★★★ You could be pushed beyond your limits and might feel more tired than you thought was possible. Let go of a need to control others. The unexpected will run rampant at the workplace or with an older friend. Tonight: Greet the impossible with laughter and a smile.  
**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)  
 ★★★★★ Consider taking a trip or planning to do something new; it will refresh your energy. You have a lot to do, so don't allow others to distract you for too long. A call or email from someone at a

distance could be confusing. Ask questions to clarify. Tonight: Be spontaneous.  
**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)  
 ★★★★★ A close relationship could demand a lot of your time and attention. You might feel as if someone has prevented you from doing something you want to do. You will make some decisions involving a relationship. Hold on to them for now. Tonight: A close encounter.  
**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)  
 ★★★★★ You could be in a situation that causes a dilemma. You might not be sure which direction to head in or what solution would work best. Allow greater give-and-take between you and others. Your conversations will prove to be most enlightening. Tonight: In the limelight.  
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 ★★★ Pace yourself, and know what you must do. Touch base with a loved one who tends to be quite controlling and unpredictable. Learn to go with the flow of this person's different moods. You will like the results, as unpredictable as they might be. Tonight: Try a new spot.  
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 ★★★★★ You could be more tired than you realize. You might want to rethink a personal issue that is affecting your day-to-day life. A loved one seems to be very touchy and difficult at the moment. Do not let this person's words get to you. Tonight: Be a little naughty.  
**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)  
 ★★★★★ Focus on an investment that might not be financial but could involve emotions. You could feel as though someone is pushing you very hard to get you to do something. Consider asking a different person to help you with a project. Tonight: Invite some friends over.  
**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)  
 ★★★★★ You seem to know what to say in order to calm down a situation and intrigue a loved one. In your playfulness, you could trigger someone else's temper. Try to remain sensitive to this person, not only for him or her, but also for you. Tonight: Let go of stress.  
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 ★★★★★ Your ability to handle funds comes forward. You might feel justified in making a purchase right now, but it wouldn't be the best decision. Honor a change of pace, and seek out a friend for his or her feedback. You will feel more upbeat as a result. Tonight: Love doesn't have to cost.



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# Highest travel volume for Memorial Day in a decade

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COPPELL — AAA Texas projects more than three million Texans will travel 50 miles or more away from home during the Memorial Day Weekend which is nearly five percent higher than last year and the highest volume for the holiday in 10 years. The Memorial Day travel period is five days from Thursday, May 21 to Monday, May 25.

A number of economic factors are contributing to the large increase in holiday travelers this year. A strong employment market and low gas prices have driven consumer optimism to new highs and boosted Americans' disposable income.

"As we remember our service men and women who sacrificed their lives for our freedoms, Texans will also spend quality time with family and friends at beaches, lakes, rivers as well as state and national parks in our great state," said AAA Texas Vice President Branch Operations Rhonda Wilson. "Our travel agents are available to speak with visitors to our branches to offer free travel ideas and help people save time and money on Memorial Day trips and summer vacations ahead."

AAA's travel survey shows traveling by car or truck will be the primary mode of transportation for most people this Memorial Day:

- Auto Travel — 2.7 million Up 5.5 percent.
- Air Travel — 214,260 Up

2.5 percent.  
• Other Travel (Bus, Train or Cruise Ship) — 142,974. Down 3.5 percent.

### Impact of gasoline prices

Travelers continue to benefit from substantially lower gas prices compared to recent years. AAA predicts most U.S. travelers will pay the cheapest Memorial Day gas prices in at least five years.

### Tips for drivers

Nationwide, AAA expects to rescue nearly 350,000 motorists at the roadside this Memorial Day weekend, with the primary reasons being dead batteries, flat tires and lockouts. AAA recommends motorists inspect their vehicle and check battery and tire condition before heading out on a holiday getaway. Members can download the AAA mobile app (AAA.com/mobile), visit AAA.com or call 1-800-AAA-HELP to request roadside assistance in the event of a breakdown.

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AAA Texas reminds drivers to Click It or Ticket

AAA Texas supports the Texas Department of Transportation's 14th annual statewide "Click It or Ticket" campaign which will include stepped up enforcement May 18 - 31. Beyond the deadly consequences of not buckling up, fines and court costs for not using seatbelts can total up to \$200. In Texas, the law requires everyone in a vehicle to be buckled up, including back seat passengers.

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## First Amarillo Thunderheads press conference of 2015 is today

■ Scheduled for 3 p.m. today

SUBMITTED BY AMARILLO THUNDERHEADS

AMARILLO — Amarillo ThunderHeads Manager Bobby Brown will hold his first press conference of the 2015 season, Thursday, 3 p.m. at ThunderHeads Stadium. Brown will speak about the week of spring training, the upcoming exhibition games set for Sunday and Monday and take questions from the press.

The ThunderHeads will host two exhibition games this weekend, the first against the Garden City Wind Sun-

day at 2pm. Monday at 11am, the Las Vegas (NM) Train Robbers pull into town.

"It's been a competitive week at the park," said Brown, adding, "it will be good to see the guys in real game conditions this weekend."

The games are free for ThunderHeads season ticket holders, who will receive their books at the game Sunday. An invitation has been sent to area schools announcing the Monday will be free for all students.

For additional information, contact Michael J. Stevens at 806-242-4653, mj@806prosports.com or visit the team website at www.gothunderheads.com.

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## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: What do you say when someone has been raped? I have a friend whose granddaughter was brutally raped and left for dead. I have asked a few questions about how she is doing and receive only cursory answers in response.

I know this incident has caused great sadness within this family. What do I say? What do I do? I am at a loss for words, and don't know how to help. Any advice you can offer would be greatly appreciated. — STYMIED IN ARIZONA

DEAR STYMIED: You have shown your concern by asking. It should be clear to you that your friend is not comfortable discussing the family tragedy in detail. Now drop the subject, because sometimes being at a loss for words is a GOOD thing. When your friend is comfortable talking about it, he/she will do it without prompting.

DEAR ABBY: This past week I read to the students at a local grammar school. I read to kindergartners, second- and fourth-graders. The children were great, quiet and attentive. They asked insightful questions about the stories.

The teachers, on the other hand, were a disappointment. They dressed the way I dress when I work in the yard — jeans and T-shirts. What an unprofessional image they presented to these youngsters! They missed a wonderful opportunity to be a positive example of women in the workforce by displaying a total disregard for their appearance or the impact they have on young minds. — SAD TO SEE IN NEVADA

DEAR SAD: I, too, remember when teachers dressed more formally in the classroom. But that was then and this is now. On the bright side, one would hope that teachers gain the respect and affection of their students less on how they look and more on the love of learning they are able to instill.

DEAR ABBY: I recently took two days off from work to stay home with a cold. When I returned to work, a co-worker started commenting on how I might be contagious. Then during our lunch break, she commented that she didn't want me to sit next to her "because she didn't want to get sick." I told her there were plenty of other seats if she preferred to sit elsewhere, and sarcastically thanked her for making me feel "welcomed."

She continues to bring it up and is now pushing everyone to use hand sanitizer and sanitize their work areas. I'm of-

fended. I think it's rude. A couple of co-workers are now sick with similar symptoms. Is she being rude, or am I oversensitive? And how should I respond? — OFFENDED IN THE MIDWEST

DEAR OFFENDED: Your co-worker isn't rude; she's a germaphobe and with good reason. If everyone was careful to use hand sanitizer and sanitize their workstations and shared surfaces — door knobs, light switches, lunchroom equipment — there would be fewer individuals taking sick days. In a case like this, you should stop being defensive. The best way to respond to the woman is not to respond at all.

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## BANANAGRAMS!

There is one letter, not counting S, that, when added to all of the six-letter words below, can be used to form new seven-letter words. Find the letter that works, add it to each word, and then rearrange each set of letters to form a new word.

LEVEL

COMMON LETTER

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Yesterday's Answer: SALOON, TYPIST, FOREGO, FOMENT, DISOWN

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Yesterday's answer

18 Manual reader	30 Steakhouse order
19 Do a KP chore	31 Alleviates
20 Racket	33 Uprising
21 Forbidden	34 Radius partner
22 Flightless birds	35 Equal
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**Watch the Pros  
THURSDAY**

**NBA Basketball**  
Cleveland Cavaliers (3-2) at Chicago Bulls.....TNT 7 p.m.  
Houston Rockets at LA Clippers (3-2).....ESPN 9:30 p.m.  
Draft Combine.....ESPN2 2 p.m.

**Hockey**  
World Championship Hockey quarterfinal.....NBCS 8 a.m.  
World Championship Hockey quarterfinal.NBCS 10:30 a.m.

**MLB Baseball**  
Kansas City Royals at Texas Rangers.....FSSW 1 p.m.

**Golf**  
Open de Espana.....GOLF 8:30 a.m.  
Champions Tour Golf: The Tradition.....GOLF 10 a.m.  
Wells Fargo Championship.....GOLF 2 p.m.

**Biking**  
Tour of California: Stage 5.....NBCS 4 p.m.  
\*Game times and channels are subject to change.\*

**Hidden Hills  
Monday night  
scramble results**

**STAFF REPORT**  
Hidden Hills hosted a Monday night scramble on Monday of this week. Here are the results.  
First place, with a score of 30, was the team of Clint Miller, Shane Stokes, Gerald Anderson and CM. Coffee. There was a tie for second place. Both teams shot a 30.  
Second place tie team one, with a score of 30, was the team of Brian Brauchi, Tony Santacruz, Harley Knutson and Roy Morris.  
Second place tie team two, with a score of 30, was the team of Ron Fields, Jason Farmer, Rob Hampton and Loyd Waters.

**Watch the Pros  
THURSDAY**

**Soccer**  
Fiorentina v. Sevilla.....FS2 2 p.m.

**College Baseball**  
TCU at Oklahoma.....FSSW 6 p.m.  
Texas A&M at Mississippi.....ESPNU 6:30 p.m.

**Auto Racing**  
Camping World Truck Series Practice.....FS1 2 p.m.  
Camping World Truck Series Practice.....FS1 6 p.m.

**NHL Hockey**  
Playoff game TBA.....NBCS 6:30 p.m.

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Submitted photos

Top left, Greyson Peet at-bat. Top middle and top right, Judge Rojas batting and fielding. Below left, Kyler Peet and his dad Tracy Peet at first base. Below right, Lane Bailey kicks a soccer ball. Second below, Madden Campos bats in T-Ball. Bottom, Zanden Salazar throws a pitch during a game.



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