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Howard College Trustees set Tax Rate public hearing for Aug. 27

By **IRIS RANGEL**
 Herald Staff Writer



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Howard College Board of Trustees convened Thursday, Aug. 20, for a special meeting regarding their Budget Workshop, Preliminary 2020-2021 Budgets, Tax Rate, and other Legislative and General Updates.

Howard College Board of Trustees convened for a special meeting Thursday. During the meeting a public hearing regarding tax rate for the upcoming year was set for Aug. 27. The next regular scheduled meeting will be held Aug. 31. The community is invited to attend.

together with the Big Spring, Lamesa, and San Angelo portions to make the Howard College Budget," Cheryl Sparks said. "There will also be a separate budget for the Southwest College of the Deaf. The Big Spring portion is the only portion that has tax associated with it which is why we keep it separate in the process."

Trustees called the meeting to order and began Executive Discussion to then reconvene for their Budget Workshop. Discussion in the lengthy Budget Workshop entailed Board and Planning to Budgeting to Student Success, Strategic Goals, Who Will Make It Happen, Where Will We Make It Happen, Preliminary Budget Preparation, and How Will We Make It Happen.

for Howard College and SWCD.

The Big Spring budget was brought together with the tax rate configured at a rate that will be bringing in the same amount of money as last year for M&O (Maintenance and Operation); the debt rate – which pays for the bond that has displayed an increase – due to valuations dropping after assessment was done last year, along with election rate, and increase in delinquent amounts, which equated to less revenue being brought in, were used in determining the upcoming year's rate.

After the Budget Workshop, Trustees reconvened again for New Business to discuss Preliminary 2020-2021 Budgets

"As we know, The Howard College budget, Big Spring part of the budget includes the tax in Howard County so the budgets are separate (for each of the campuses) and then brought together after the Budget Workshop and put all

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Settled in Summer Sunday Hotel Settles 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Public Hearing on proposed City budget 2020-2021 Aug. 25 5:30 p.m. City Council Chambers

Public Hearing on proposed County budget 2020-2021 Aug. 24 3:30 p.m. Howard County Courthouse

Howard County Bowl 7 p.m. Memorial Stadium Buffaloes v. Bulldogs

Toasty Tuesday every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

Coahoma Lion's Club Trade Day & City Wide Garage Sale Sept. 26 8 - 5 p.m.

Code Enforcement: Serving the Big Spring Community

By **AMANDADUFORAT**
 Managing Editor

ty owner and/or resident by phone, e-mail or personal contact, according to Public Works Director for the City of Big Spring Shane Bowles.

Across Big Spring there are different avenues and programs aimed at keeping the community clean and aesthetically appealing. However, there are instances where violations take place pertaining to local ordinances. When those disparities are noticed, there is an avenue to getting them resolved. The Code Enforcement Department is aimed at protecting the public's well-being and enhance quality of life by enforcing the city's health, safety, zoning and sanitation codes.

"With or without additional contact, Official Notice of Violation is mailed to all owners and or tenants in violation. The Official Notice of Violation is a warning which includes a seven to 10 day correction time," Bowles said. "After all other efforts are exhausted, if a case proceeds to citation, the fine is determined by the Municipal Judge within a range preset by the Ordinance in violation."

Once a report is made Code Enforcement Officers will reach out to the proper

According to Bowles, Code Enforcement Officers will use every available resource

Vehicle pedestrian update Victim succumbs to injuries

Special to the Herald

On Aug. 19, 2020, the Big Spring Police Department was notified by Lubbock UMC that the victim of the vehicle/pedestrian accident that had occurred in the 3100 blk of W. Hwy 80 had succumbed to his injuries.



Willie Gray

The victim's next of kin was notified and the victim is identified as John Randall Lewis, a white male, 61 years of age.

The original charge of Accident Involving Personal Injury or Death has been upgraded to Manslaughter which is a Felony of the Second Degree against the driver of the hit and run vehicle, Willie Gray, a black male, 22 years of age.

This is an ongoing investigation and there is no further information available at this time.

to obtain resolution without citation. Once a citation is filed it must be resolved with the Municipal Judge. If deemed necessary, a citation may be filed every 24 hours

and each is marked as a separate offense. The final result will be made by Municipal Judge.

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Settled in Summer Market serving up Round 2



Courtesy photo/Manny Negron

Settled in Summer Market will take place Sunday from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. The community is invited to stop by and support local businesses, and are encouraged to wear a mask while attending.

By **IRIS RANGEL**
 Herald Staff Writer

The Hotel Settles will be hosting the Settled In Summer Market once again Sunday, from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. When guests arrive, there will be a check-in booth for guests to grab a map and enter to be part of giveaways throughout the event. The Hotel Settles will also be giving away a one room night stay selected from all attendees who enter. According to Settles staff, all guests are asked to wear a mask except when eating and enjoying food. Vendors are also required to wear masks during the event. Attendance will be regulated to ensure there

is plenty of social distancing and admission is free.

"This community is strong in supporting small businesses and one another. We had no doubt the market would be a success because the residents of Big Spring feel more like a big family. Our vendors were fantastic and their products were great. We loved sampling all of it," Emaan Campbell, Hotel Settles General Manager, said.

This time around the Settled In Summer Market has added a few new elements to their event such as additional vendors and live

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Obituaries

Helen P. Bryans



Helen P. Bryans of Roswell, NM passed away Aug. 15, 2020. Viewing of Ms. Bryans in Roswell, NM will be at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home on Thursday, Aug. 20, 2020, from Noon until 7 p.m. A viewing of Helen is planned for Monday, Aug. 24, 2020, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home at 906 Gregg Street, Big Spring, Texas. Graveside services will be at Trinity Memorial Park in Big Spring, Texas, with Pastor Kevin Knudson of-

ficiating at 10 a.m. Tuesday Aug. 25, 2020.

Helen was born Sept. 2, 1925, and was raised in Danville, Illinois by her adoptive parents George and Lena Partlow.

Helen is survived by son Edward B. Bryans Jr., of Newport Beach, Ca. and daughter Jenny Lynn Chrisman of Roswell, NM; six grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren; and 13 Great Great Grandchildren.

Husband Edward Bryans, parents and three brothers preceded her in death.

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

Mary Miller

Mary Miller, 74, of Big Spring died Monday, Aug. 17, 2020. Graveside services will be at 2:30 PM Friday at Mount Olive Memorial Park. Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Flynn V. Long

Flynn V. Long, 92 of San Angelo, formerly of Big Spring died Thursday, Aug. 20, 2020. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Take Note

• Pack 305 Cub Scouts will be hosting a Sign-up Drive by Ice Cream Social in the NazFamily Church parking lot on Tuesday, Aug. 25 at 6:30 p.m. Those in kindergarten through 5th grade are encouraged to stop by and find out more about cub scouting.

• West Region Cotton Marketing Update: U.S. Market Outlook is set for Wednesday, Aug. 19 at 7 a.m. The meeting will be held over a Zoom call. There will be another Zoom meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 15 at 7 a.m. To find out more information or to register, contact the Howard County Extension Office for more details or for assistance with these meetings.

• Coahoma Lion's Club Trade Day will be held Sept. 26 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Downtown Coahoma. There will be food, arts & crafts, antiques, collectibles, clothing, and more. This will be in conjunction with Coahoma City Wide Garage Sale. Please practice social distancing at six feet and face masks are recommended. For more information, call 432-394-4287.

• The Life Center in Big Spring is helping moms and dads with a Diaper Day Giveaway! Call for a five minute phone appointment and a pickup time for free diapers, wipes and formula. 432-606-5041.

• The Senior Supper Club has come out of hibernation to resume its normal Tuesday evening dinners. The Come-One-Come-All group will be meeting on Tuesdays at 5 p.m. and orders will be placed around 5:30 p.m. after much socializing from a distance. The Senior Supper Club is an informal group of folks from Howard County who meet at least weekly and sometimes more for Dutch-Treat food at different area restaurants. Sometimes the group also meets for cards, dominoes, or desserts and fellowship. For more information, contact Colonel. Allen.M.Morris@Gmail.com.

• St. Vincent de Paul will be open the following dates beginning May 2020. Food distribution will take place the second Thursday of each month from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and other assistance will take place the third Thursday of each month from 10:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Both distributions will take place at 1009 Hearn at SVDP Building.

• Maranatha Baptist Academy located at 903 Johnson Street, in Big Spring, Texas, is currently open and taking applications for enrollment for 20-21 School year. We are a faith-based Christian Academy and use the individualized Accelerated Christian Education Curriculum for Kindergarten through 12th grade, out of Hendersonville, Tennessee. July 20, is our startup date and applications will be accepted year-round. Someone will take

your call for information at 432-213-1046. Please leave a message and we will get back with you.

• Isaiah 58 will be open on Tuesdays from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. further notice, for the safety of their volunteers and those they serve. Those receiving services are asked to enter the parking lot on 9th Street and exit onto Scurry. Please bring a form of identification with you to pick up food. Masks are required and those receiving food boxes will need to place boxes in their own vehicles until further notice. All these efforts are being put in place to help slow the spread and ensure the safety of those volunteering and those receiving services.

• Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce, Big Spring Economic Development Corporation and Leading EDG understand the serious challenges our country faces as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic. In response to this crisis, the Small Business Administration ("SBA") has created new programs geared towards financial relief for affected businesses. The Economic Injury Disaster Loan ("EIDL"), is currently available, but only by applying directly to the SBA via the online portal: <https://www.sba.gov/disaster/apply-for-disaster-loan/index.html>. It only takes a few minutes to fill out. Another option, The Paycheck Protection Program, ("PPP"), has been approved by Congress. If you want to apply for the "PPP" loan contact your local lender. Information changes daily so make sure you are checking the SBA website regularly.

• City of Big Spring announces water office number change. Effective immediately, the temporary phone numbers used to contact the Big Spring Water Office are no longer in effect. Customers can contact the water office at the following phone numbers: 1. Pay online at www.mybigspring.com. Click ONLINE BILL PAY. Pay via the automated phone system by calling 833-227-1752. Payment can be placed in the Drop Box at 305 South Johnson. Staff checks the box daily. Pay over the phone by calling the Water Office directly at the phone numbers listed above. Water Office staff are available to assist customers Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5:00 PM, by phone or in the office located at 305 South Johnson Street.

• City of Big Spring offices will remain open by appointment and electronic means only effective Sunday, March 22, at midnight. These offices include: City Hall (432-264-2401); Finance Department (432-264-2513); Public Works Department (432-264-2501); Human Resources Department (432-264-2346); Water Office (432-264-2319); Code Enforcement/Permits (432-264-2505); Community Services Office; Convention and Visitors Bureau (432-263-8235); Facilities (432-264-2322); Cemetery (432-264-2323);

Support Groups

FRIDAY

• Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

MONDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees It, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

TUESDAY

• Big Spring and Snyder Parkinson's Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month. This is a group for all Parkinson's Disease patients, spouses and caregivers. For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the Lubbock APDA office at 806-785-0942.

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

• A six-week course in Wellness and Quality of Life with Chronic Pain will be held at Spring Creek Fellowship at the Spring Town Plaza, 1801 E. FM 700. There is no charge for the course, and a workbook will be provided. Contact Steve Purdy at 432-517-4840 for more information.

• Caregivers Support Group, sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging, meets the second Tuesday of every month at 10:30 a.m. The meetings are held at the Senior Citizens Center located at 100 Whipkey Drive. These meetings are open for any caregiver, whether medical professional or family member. For more information, please call Becky Letz at 267-1628.

• Al-anon family group meets at 8 p.m. at 615 Settles.

• DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations.

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Police/Sheriff Reports

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• **SUNDAY CASAREZ LUNA**, 32, of 800 Creighton, was arrested on charges of burglary building and theft of material aluminum/copper/brass (less than \$20K).

• **BURGLARY OF HABITATION** was reported in the 1000 block of Stadium Avenue.

• **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 100 block of E 15th Street.

• **CREDIT/DEBIT CARD ABUSE** was reported in the 3600 block of W Highway 80.

• **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 5900 block of N Service Road.

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity:

Note , Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having **83 inmates at the time of this report.**

• **REBECCA LYNN COMSTOCK**, 36, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **SUNDAY CASAREZ LUNA**, 32, was arrested by BSPD on charges of burglary of building and theft of material aluminum/bronze/copper (less than \$20K).

• **RYAN MCKIERNAN**, 17, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of possession of marijuana (less than 2 ounces).

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"We (The Code Enforcement Officers) encourage the residents to contact the Officer. The goal of Code Enforcement is compliance and a citation is always the last resort in any case," he said. "The Code Enforcement Officer will work to achieve compliance without citation."

Bowles offers a few tips to avoid falling into a Code Violation. Residents are encouraged to

keep grass mowed regularly, which includes their yards and alleyway. Property should be kept clean of any trash or debris and any items that need to be temporarily stored outside need to be arranged neatly and covered from view.

"Even with a short staff, we can usually achieve approximately 80% compliance without a citation," he said.

To report a Code violation stop by the Code Enforcement office at 217 E. Third Street or call 432-264-2505. A report can also be made on the City of Big Spring website at mybigspring.com. Once a report has been filed, the report is dispatched to the officer assigned to that area for inspection.

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Weather



Today: A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly sunny, with a high near 99. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph.
Tonight: Partly cloudy, with a low around 72. East wind 5 to 15 mph.

Saturday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 97. North wind around 5 mph becoming southeast in the afternoon.
Saturday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 72.

Lift up your head! Your redemption draweth nigh!

"Most men," said Thomas of Liniathen, "are so possessed by themselves that they have no vacuum into which God's deep water may rise." The whole of life is evidence of that. Men intellectual, and trusts his science to redeem the world and build the New Jerusalem. He is philanthropic, and trusts his humanistic ideals to permeate the lump of social life till the whole is leavened. He is religious, and trusts his righteousness to organize a new kingdom into existence. He is moral, and trusts his personal virtues to justify him in the sight of God.



RALPH ANDERSON

"Have I not been a man of my word? Have I not lived a disciplined life, and loved the brotherhood, and obeyed the King?" These are the things we carry in our hands right to the throne of grace, as if they gave us a claim upon God, and earned us His favorable consideration, and merited salvation, "See, Lord," we exclaim, "all this in my hands I

bring! I would not dream of coming empty-handed. All this can go to the credit side of my account.

What we so tragically fail to realize is that by that instinctive attitude, that native trust in our own virtues and achievements, we are automatically excluding ourselves from the very blessings which we hoped to reach. Our very spirituality, if you will understand me, is robbing us of God's Spirit. It is not in this way that redemption draws nigh! The sacrifices of God are not an imposing array of creditable achievements. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit and a contrite heart. If something really breaks you down, so that virtues and good works count no longer, and you cry with Job "I abhor myself, repent in dust and ashes"; if some day of storm and darkness leaves you stripped of every shred of satisfied self-trust, and every vestige of conscious claim upon God - then look up, for your redemption will be coming over the horizon. But not before!

You have to experience the darkness that descends when all the flickering candles for personal merit have gone out, before you can discern, rising out of the gloom to meet you, the light

that never was on sea or land. You have to feel the foundations shake beneath your feet, before you can sing "Rock of Ages" as it should be sung. You have to "faint for the flaming of Christ's feet," and cry "Watchman, what of the night?" before you can know the thrill of the birth of Christ and glory of the Word made flesh, and the sheer irrepressible excitement of that ringing, tumultuous shout - "Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord!" You have to have looked into the horrible abyss of doubt and despair before you can really believe. You have to see everything falling from your grasp, and cry "Nothing in my hands I bring," before Christ's strong pierced hands can grip and hold you. You have to suffer crucifixion in the region of self, before you can rise from the dead with the new life of God throbbing in your heart.

So when these things come to pass, these desolating things that leave all self-trust shattered and in ruins, look up my brethren, and lift up your head, knowing that your light is come, that the glory of the Lord is risen upon you, and your redemption draweth nigh!

EVEN SO, COME LORD JESUS.

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As a result of the last Legislative Session, the new way to calculate tax rate will require a three year average on collection. According to Trustees, in order to calculate in the same amount of money for the amount needed to pay the bond, the tax rate would need to increase.

"The budget was planned that way - with the same amount of money for M&O and then the revenue needed for the bond. Due to the changes with the no new revenue rate, Howard College will be bringing in more levy this year, because of what's happening with the debt rate and paying for the debt," Sparks said.

Trustees then proposed a M&O no new revenue rate of .1850350.

"Well, I think like Zeichek has been saying, we're looking out on the horizon, and we see some bad things coming. I've always thought we needed to raise at least 2%," Barr said.

A motion was made for a final tax rate of .1905861 and the motion was passed by majority.

In the past, Howard College was required to hold

two tax hearings, but as a result of the last Legislative Session, they are now only required to have one.

Trustees then approved the proposed Preliminary Budget and the Scheduling of the Budget and Possible Tax Hearings. The Tax Hearing will be held on Thursday, Aug. 27, 2020 at 5:30 p.m and the Budget Hearing will be held at the regular meeting on Monday, Aug. 31, 2020 at 12:30 p.m.

Dr. Sparks then provided an update on the Open Howard College agenda item, "Everything is going as well as we expected. We have a small number of students in the dorms. We're continuing to have more students arrive this weekend to the Big Spring campus and that will continue over the next four weeks. The students have learned our process and are following the expectations."

Trustees then engaged in discussion over the Legislative Appropriation Requests where they received an update on the given timeframe of the requests. Howard College will now be given until Sept. 8, 2020 to gather all necessary information and will be able to provide a lengthier update at the next regular meeting.

Newly appointed Trustee Ben Zeichek has completed all of the following Trustee Training items:

- Public Funds Investment Act
- Open Meetings Act
- Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board New Trustee Training
- Cyber Security Awareness

For those unable to attend the meeting, all of the contextual information used to calculate rates and budgets can be found on the Howard College website. Visit howardcollege.edu and select the Board of Trustees tab to view the presentation.

The next Howard College Board of Trustees meeting will held on Monday, Aug. 31, 2020 where the Budget Hearing will take place along with the approval of the Budget and the Tax Rate.

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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Leighrene Kohl, 82, died Sunday. Visitation will be from Noon until 9:00 PM Friday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral services will be at 2:00 PM Saturday at Alive In Christ Lutheran Church. Graveside services will be at 2:00 PM Sunday at Electra Memorial Park Cemetery in Electra, Texas.

Mary Miller, 74, died Monday. Graveside services will be at 2:30 PM Friday at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Flynn V. Long, 92, died Thursday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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music with Eddie Austin and Debbie Love. Attendees can still expect to enjoy mimosas, bloody Mary's, smoothies, and baked goods from Hotel Settles. Vendors will also have produce and goods like: bags & home decor, snow cones, peaches, watermelons, succulents, quail eggs, jerky, dulce de leche, jams, salsa, vintage jewelry, knives, custard, seasoning mixes, and more.

Last Summer Market, Hotel Settles Chef de Cuisine Rosie Gibson's baked goods deemed to be pretty popular with her entire booth selling out.

"I just made some of my favorite treats and was very happy that people seemed to love them! Banana bread was a crowd favorite. I will also be making birthday cake cookie bars, peanut butter chocolate chip cookies, berry cobbler blondies, and coconut pecan granola," Gibson said.

Gibson grew up cooking and baking with her father who was also very passionate about his food.

"He passed the baking gene onto me. I used to love baking birthday cakes for my family. I love passing my love and appreciation to people through cooking and

baking for them," she said.

Chef Rosie attended the Culinary Academy of Austin with a focus in their pastry program. She attests her strong culinary background is a direct product of working in some of the best restaurants in Austin. In Austin, she worked for two James Beard nominated chefs and the experience of hands-on restaurant cooking is, in her opinion, the best way to learn how to cook and bake.

So how did Chef Gibson make her way to Big Spring? She claims it was all by chance.

"The executive chef and I were offered a temporary position out here when we were furloughed in Austin. We have met so many amazing people here, and we really thought we would be able to have a positive impact here on the people, community, and the hotel," Gibson said.

You can be sure to find Chef Rosie and other local vendors like BT Farm Fruit Stand, So Much Plants, Antojitos Mx, Oil Patch Cafe, Shade Tree Salsa, Double LBBQ, It Don't Matter Baby, and many more local vendors at the Hotel Settles Settled In Summer Market.

"This is a stressful time for ev-

everyone, especially with school starting, but taking a moment to enjoy what Big Spring has to offer, stepping out and getting some fresh air is something we need right now," Campbell said.

Join the celebration of fresh and local food at the historic Hotel Settles this Sunday from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

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The Lord says, "I will rescue those who love me. I will protect those who trust in my name. When they call on me, I will answer; I will be with them in trouble. I will rescue them and honor them. I will satisfy them with a long life and give them my salvation."
Psalm 91: 14-16

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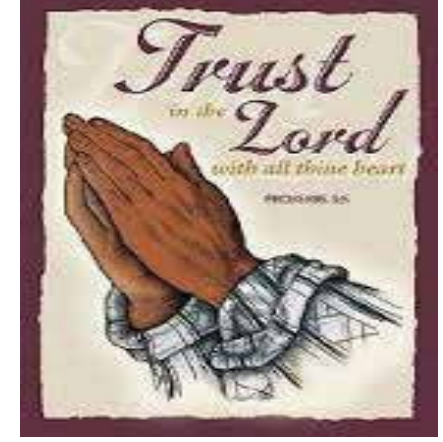
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Rejoice, you people of Jerusalem! Rejoice in the Lord your God! For the rains he sends are an expression of his grace. Once more the autumn rains will come, as well as the rains of spring.
(Joel 2:23)

God's love supply is never empty. "For his unfailing love toward those who fear him is as great as the height of the heavens above the earth."
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Church News

St. Mary's Episcopal Church

St. Mary's Episcopal Church welcomes all to participate in our services. We are located North of the High School on Goliad Street (1001 S. Goliad), and would love to have you visit. Sunday services begin at 10:30 a.m. followed by brunch in the Parish Hall. On Wednesday's we have Bible study and coffee in the morning at 10:30 a.m. and evening we have Evening prayer, dinner, and book study starting at 5:30 p.m. What a great opportunity to have meaningful fellowship and develop relationships with people who have a common interest, following the steps of Christ. Please come and join us for a time of worship and fellowship in a place that welcomes all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Facebook - Live Streaming - Every Sunday at 10:30 a.m., St. Mary's will be Live Streaming their service on Facebook, website - www.facebook.com/StMarysBigSpring/. What a great way to listen OR participate in the service at the comforts of your home or wherever you may be at that time of day.

NazFamily Church

This Sunday
"It's the gift that keeps on giving!" For some reason my family thinks it is a good idea to give our kids noisy and obnoxious toys. I fully anticipate that they will buy one of the boys a drum set at some point. They think it is funny to watch our children open the gift with elation and joy, while we cringe and get out the Tylenol. Of course they know that we will get revenge. The Spirit is the gift of God that keeps on giving. Not to make a bunch of noise in our lives, but to make us real with His love. Join us next Sunday as we continue our series in Romans and Pastor Richard talks about The Giving Gift.

Popup Food Distribution - NazFamily - The Bridge will be distributing food this Saturday, Aug. 22 from 9 - 11 a.m. at 118 Cedar Rd, Big Spring. If you know any families in need, encourage them to come out and be blessed. If you can help in any way, contact Pastor Josh at PBOEM@NazFamily.org

Back 2 School Sunday

On Sunday, Aug. 30, we will be praying over several of our teachers and staff in the service. We will also have a teacher appreciation potluck afterward. Everyone is invited. Bring something to share and lets love on our teachers together!

Cub Scouts - Interested in Cub Scouting? Pack 305 will be hosting a "Drive-by Ice Cream Social" on Tuesday, Aug. 25 at 6:30 p.m. in our church parking lot. If you know anyone with boys from kindergarten through 5th grade interested in scouting, bring them out for more information or to sign up their student.

Troop 5 - Boy Scout Troop 5 have resumed their weekly meetings each Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the NazFamily Church fellowship hall. Any young man between 6th and 12th grade interested in scouting are welcome to join us on Tuesday for more information.

Now Enrolling - Nazarene Christian Academy and New Hope Christian School are enrolling students for the 2020 - 2021 academic year. We are a Christ centered, student focused, and mission minded school. Our students experience a fun, safe, and loving environment where they can grow emotionally, socially, spiritually, and academically. Contact us at 432-263-0203 for more information.

Life Church

We are excited to open our doors and welcome our Life Church friends to the campus this Sunday. In order to meet this Sunday we will continue to follow the guidelines that have been set and provided by the Texas State Attorney General: limited capacity, proper spacing between seats and rows, sanctuary will be cleaned and disinfected, if you or someone in your family have underlying health issues we are encouraging you to watch and participate in the service remotely. Masks are not required but are encouraged to be worn. Wash your hands and use hand sanitizer. Hand sanitizer will be available as you enter the sanctuary.

Pastor Kevin will continue his verse by verse study on the book of Revelation this Sunday. Be sure to purchase a Scripture Journal for this series at the kiosk.

Ladies, you are invited to join us every Wednesday at noon for our Seek Prayer Group. The Zoom meeting information for Seek can be found on our One Sisterhood Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/onesisterhoodbigspringtx/>

Champion Culture Youth will meet on Wednesdays from 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m. on the Life Church Campus. For more information about Champion Culture and their plans for the summer visit and follow the Champion Culture Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/ChampionCultureLifeChurch/>

Life Kids will have their classes this Sunday. Our Nursery is available for those ages newborn to 2; Toddlers class serves those ages 3 & 4; Elementary class serves those ages 5-10. Visit and follow the Life Kids Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/Life-Kids-Life-Church-Big-Spring-TX-1654730487977488/> for more information.

We have started a new outreach ministry - Neighbor to Neighbor Outreach. The main focus of this team is to serve our neighbors and build a relationship with those who live around the Life Church Campus. This team goes out Saturday mornings from 9:45 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

For more information about our events or groups please visit our website www.golifechurch.net

Crestview Baptist Church

At Crestview Baptist Church, we believe the

most fulfilling pursuit for a body of believers is not entertainment, gimmicks, or programs. The most fulfilling pursuit for a follower of Christ is to know Christ and His Word, so that we may live for Him. If you believe that, please come and worship the King with us! Sunday School starts at 10 a.m., worship begins at 11 a.m., and our Sunday and Wednesday night meetings are at 6:30 p.m. We are studying the book of Acts. Come and be with us at 2305 Gatesville Rd., in Big Spring.

Cornerstone Covenant Church

Cornerstone Covenant Church (aka - CCC) is a unified, spirit-led, purpose-driven church, which cultivates an atmosphere of faith so that lives can be transformed by Jesus Christ.

We would love the opportunity to Connect with YOU! You can expect biblical teaching & preaching, genuine loving fellowship and live spirit filled praise & worship.

Please join us this week at one of the following events:

Sunday, Aug. 23 - Join us this Sunday at our 9 a.m. and 11 for our onsite worship service. Our 11 a.m. service will be onsite and online. You can find our CCC Live Worship Experience online at facebook.com/CCCBigSpring or at Cornerstone Covenant Church Live on YouTube (look for the CCC logo).

Join Chosen Generation Student Youth Ministry at their very own 11 a.m. Sunday Service in the Youth Sanctuary. This is a live worship service geared for Senior and Junior High Students. Come experience authentic worship, connect with friends and discover what it means to be accepted, loved and CHOSEN!

Transportation Ministry - You need a ride to church? CCC offers picks-up services on Sundays for our 11 a.m. worship service. If you are needing a ride for Sunday please contact the church office.

CCC is located at 706 East 12th Street. For office hours or other questions please contact our Administrative Office at 432-264-0015 or email us at info@cccbigspring.org. You can also find us at www.cccbigspring.org if you would like more information.

College Baptist Church

School days are here again! Pray for safety and peace for students and staff and parents who are home schooling. Praise God for the rain and more to come. Come see what God is doing at the corner of 11th and Birdwell Lane. We are open at 9:15 for Bible Study for all ages. Nursery and Preschool are with parents in their Sunday School class and Worship time at 10:45 a.m.

Wednesday evening Youth and adults meet for Bible Study and Prayer Meeting at 7 p.m. with children meeting for King's Kids and Krafts. Girl's Missions meet on Sunday at 5 p.m.

Services for Sunday, Aug. 23, 2020, are in the building at 11th and Birdwell. We have face masks, gloves, and hand sanitizer available, and we are practicing social distancing. Families are sitting together. Visitors and friends—come join us—it will be exciting to welcome new faces and old alike. Our services are lively and worshipful.

Sunday School is open for all ages as we slowly emerge from the pandemic, and we urge you to come and see what God is doing at College Baptist Church as we continue on mission for Him.

Watch and be informed concerning our ongoing ministries, and how we are reconstructing our attempts in ministering to the community, as we know "this too shall pass." We are still "on mission" seeking ways to serve in this time.

We definitely enjoy the worship time as our ministry team lead us in songs of praise, and where our pastor, Bro. Ken McMeans, helps us as we delve into God's Word, inspiring us in living as Jesus lives through us. Keep your spiritual 2020 Vision on and be a part in these joyful activities and exciting worship, praising the Mighty God we serve. Please call: 432-267-7429, for more information concerning Men's, Ladies' and youth meetings at this great and friendly church.

First Presbyterian Church, Big Spring

The Stated Session meeting for August will be held in the Fellowship Hall at 6 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 27.

For anyone wishing to join in a daily prayer, one may go to fpcbigspring.com and select Daily Prayers. Rev. Allen Cross also posts a Weekly Devotional at that website, which may provide food for thought or help during time of stress or feelings of isolation. The devotional is posted on Wednesdays. Go to www.fpcbigspring.com and select Devotionals.

Wednesday Lectionary Bible Study continues to meet in Fellowship Hall at 6 p.m. with physical participants and welcomes those who are staying at home to join by computer on Zoom. The link to join in the Zoom group will be posted on the church website, in Faith Notes, and in the Sunday worship bulletin. The lectionary for the next week is printed on the back page of the church bulletin each Sunday.

The Thursday Lunch Bunch is meeting in Fellowship Hall at 11:30. Each person is asked to bring a brown bag lunch or an order from one of the local restaurants. There is ample room for social distancing.

Youth Sunday School class, led by Tom Koger, meets in the Youth Room. They are studying the Sermon on the Mount. Young people above sixth grade are welcome in this group.

Lectionary passages for the Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost are: Psalm 124; Romans 12:2; Matthew 16:13-20. Rev. Cross has titled his sermon "Solid But Not Petrified" Rev. Allen Cross will lead the worship service. Organist/music director Gabe Martinez leads the congregation in singing the hymns, as well as accompanying on the organ and piano.

Anyone who is not attending worship physically may hear the service on KBST 1490 AM at 11 a.m. as usual or online at www.fpcbigspring.com by selecting the SERMONS tab and the correct date. A copy of the liturgy for the service may be downloaded from the website or by receiving a copy by calling the church office

Please call the church office at 263-4211 for other information. We would be pleased for you to Like us on Facebook. Although the physical address of First Presbyterian Church is 701 Runnels, the mailing address is P. O. Box 2222, Big Spring, Texas 79721.

First Baptist Church

"The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, My God, my rock, in whom I take refuge; My shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold." Psalm 18:2.

Slip on your mask, and join the people of First Baptist Church Sunday morning at 10:50, and exalt the King of Kings and LORD of LORDS, Jesus Christ. Pastor Mark Lindsey and FBC staff have prayerfully put in place numerous safety measures in consideration of the health of everyone. Music Minister Alan Schantz will lead worshippers in a blend of contemporary praise and worship music and classic hymns of the faith. Nursery care for children three and under will be available. The worship service will also be live-streamed through the church website, YouTube, and Facebook-live; go to fcbigspring.org or First Baptist Church Big Spring on Facebook. Wednesday evening Bible teachings led by Pastor Mark Lindsey are also available. Call 432-267-8223 for additional information.

Pastor Mark also welcomes you to contact him at: 432-254-0176 if you would like to talk about what it means to accept Jesus as your personal Savior and Lord.

At 9:30, Sunday School groups meet throughout the building with children's classes gathering in first floor classrooms while youth and adults meet in second floor classrooms. Socially distancing measures will be observed.

Sunday evening activities will resume Sept. 13.

Seeking God's wisdom in the COVID climate, FBC will continue to operate within health and safety guidelines. Wearing masks and social distancing are strongly encouraged, and are an act of love and respect for the lives of those around you. Go to the church website: fcbigspring.org or

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Something to think about...

“Did I ever tell you about the young Zoad who came to a sign at the fork of the road? He looked one way and the other way too—the Zoad had to make up his mind what to do. Well, the Zoad scratched his head, and his chin, and his pants.



RICHARD SCHNEGERGER

And he said to himself, ‘I’ll be taking a chance. If I go to Place One, that place may be hot so how will I know if I like it or not. On the other hand, though, I’ll feel such a fool if I go to Place Two and find it’s too cool. In that case I may catch a chill and turn blue. So Place One may be best and not Place Two.

Play safe,’ cried the Zoad, ‘I’ll play safe, I’m no dunce. I’ll simply start off to both places at once.’ And that’s

how the Zoad who would not take a chance went no place at all with a split in his pants.” ~ Dr. Seuss

Choices, Choices, Choices – life is full of choices. Every day we make decisions. We choose what we’re going to eat, what we’re going to wear, what we’re going to do and those decisions have an ongoing impact on our life. They give direction to our days. Even seemingly simple choices have become more complicated with all the changes. There are all kinds of forces out there attempting to influence the decisions that we make.

But, the reality is that we still have a choice! Major life decisions are certainly important – like where to go to school, what career path to take, who we marry.

However, what we often overlook is that our small, every day decisions also have a significant impact. Life is made up of lots of little, daily decisions. If I decide to eat greasy food on a regular ba-

sis and I decide not to work out, it may not happen all at once, but you’ll begin to see the impact my choices. Our choices matter.

The truth is that every decision we make big or small flows out of one primary decision. Are we going to order our lives around the Word or the World?

Are we going to follow Christ or not?

One path leads to life and the other ends in death. As Scripture clearly tells us:

“I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live and that you may love the Lord your God, listen to His voice, and hold fast to Him. For the Lord is your life...” (Deuteronomy 30:19-20)

Today you get to choose your attitude, your actions, your focus, and your direction. You have a choice! Which road you will follow? It is up to you. I pray that you will choose life!

Defense of the Gospel

“The one preach Christ of contention, not sincerely, supposing to add affliction to my bonds: But the other of love, knowing that I am set for the defence of the gospel. What then? notwithstanding, every way, whether in pretence, or in truth, Christ is preached; and I therein do rejoice, yea, and will rejoice.” Philip- pians 1:16-18



TOM SLOAN

As we defend the gospel of Christ, we discover the power of the gospel that we have set out to defend based on the fact that we do not defend this gospel, it defends us.

This is why Paul says – whether in pretence, or in truth, Christ is preached.

This gives us so much strength, boldness and confidence that we actually feel as if we were defending the gospel, when in all reality, it has become our defense.

This is due to the fact that the gospel becomes our

identity. We become one with the gospel of Christ because God has imputed His righteousness to us by faith. We become one with the gospel because – Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the Law being made a curse for us. We become one with the gospel of Christ because we have found peace with God.

When this happens, we realize that we are involved in something greater than we could ever describe with weak human language. In this inability to express the greatness and power of the gospel with words, God sets our lives up as a defense of the gospel.

Our defense of the gospel is – we are great sinners, but we have a great Saviour. We are confident and comforted by the fact that we will run out of sin before God ever runs out of grace.

We look around us and see the different ways the gospel is preached. We see different people with different motives preaching the gospel and we say – hallelujah, Christ is being preached. Whether Christ is preached of envy and strife, or of good will, He is still preached.

What Dad Allows

Every time Daddy got paid, about every two weeks, he would give his six children a dollar for allowance. We saved a dime for tithes, and then we would go to the drug store and spend the rest on comic books that Daddy liked to read. Then he would read them and give them to us to read.

I’d say that was pretty smart.

That’s one way I learned how to read, but as we got older, he didn’t get to read as much. We bought other things with our allowance.

I remember when I got my first real paycheck from working in that same drug store as a soda jerk, I went to the clothing store and bought two western cowgirl shirts for the rodeo. My mother hit the ceiling. She said I didn’t need two shirts for a week end rodeo. Needless to say, I kept the shirts and wore them to work as well as to the rodeo.

Mother and Daddy were very understanding when it came to our wanting to go to church, but Daddy wouldn’t allow us to dress inappropriately. We wore dresses to school and church. We wore rolled up blue jeans only on Saturday. We never wore shorts unless it was summer vacation at the beach.

I enjoyed my growing up years because of those restrictions. My parents cared who I was with, when I came home at night, and what happened while I was away from their sight.

Jesus cares as well. He wants us to read what He has written in His Word. He wants us to take care of His blessings to us in money and other possessions. He’s my Father and allows so much in abundant living.

He cares about what we read, He cares about what we wear, and He cares about how we spend our money and His other blessings.

When I am wasteful, He doesn’t hit the ceiling. But I’m sure He gets disappointed at times when I don’t use His resources intelligently to bring Him glory.

My dad was supposed to be a picture of God to me. He did a pretty good job. Because the picture of God in my life is One who cares about every detail of my being. How about you? Do you have a Heavenly Father who cares about your life?

He’s waiting for you to ask Him to be yours as well.



LILLIAN BOHANNAN

Reflections:

Stories That Save Us

When our children were growing up, we read to them. All children, it seems, love books. Of course they love video games, iPhones and iPads, but there is something about turning pages and touching pictures in a book. How else can you “pat the bunny?” Our children memorized many of the stories long before they could read: Good-night Moon, Little Engine That Could, Snowy Day, Corduroy, Bible Stories for Little Eyes. If I went “off story” and made up my own lines, they knew it. And corrected me.



BILL TINSLEY

When we put our granddaughters to bed, who are 9 and 7, they always want

us to tell them a story of when we were growing up. Stories are the stuff of life. The best stories are told outside on summer evenings while fireflies flicker in the gathering dusk. Children listen to adults who reminisce with laughter and tears. When my wife and her sister get together, they stay up through most of the night retelling stories of their youth. Sometimes we find

them there in the morning where they fell asleep.

We inherited storytelling from our ancestors. Pioneers forging their way west told stories when they gathered around campfires. Old men related stories on the porch where they swayed in rocking chairs and whittled shapeless sticks. Whole families told stories when they gathered in the summer shade to shell peas. These story telling moments shaped their lives and future generations.

In the last century Hollywood became our primary source for stories. But sometimes Hollywood and history got things mixed up. A few years ago we visited Philadelphia and encountered a group of high school students who were gazing at Independence Hall. One of them pointed to the clock tower and exclaimed to another, “Look! That’s where they hid the map!”

Even Hollywood has been shut down by the pandemic. Movie sets and movie crews are idle. The reruns on Netflix are getting a bit boring and some families are rediscovering the magic of telling stories.

With many churches forced to rely on streaming and almost all having suspended children’s classes, parents have an opportunity to step into the gap, to read books and tell

stories to their children. Imagine the power of reciting and reading once again the stories about Adam and Eve, Cain and Able, Noah and the flood, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, Joseph, Moses and the Exodus, Ruth and Boaz, David, Elijah, Jonah and Jesus’ life, death and resurrection?

Much of the anxiety and despair that has afflicted our nation may be due to our neglect of the stories of our heritage that give us value and meaning. The Bible says, “I will utter hidden things, things from of old— things we have heard and known, things our ancestors have told us. We will not hide them from their descendants; we will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord, his power, and the wonders he has done. ... so the next generation would know them, even the children yet to be born, and they in turn would tell their children. Then they would put their trust in God and would not forget his deeds but would keep his commands” (Psalm 78:2-7).

Bill Tinsley reflects on current events and life experience from a faith perspective. His books are available at www.tinsleycenter.com. Email bill@tinsleycenter.com

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call 267-8223 for details of activities postponed or re-scheduled. Also, the church calendar is online which has updated information.

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Please join us in continuing to pray for the quick end of the coronavirus health situation, the restoration of health to all infected, for those whose businesses and employment have been devastated, and for Christ’s comfort to surround all those who have lost loved ones during this time.

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The readings for this Sunday are Isaiah 51:1-6, Romans 11:33-12:8 and Matthew 16:13-20. The psalm is Psalm 138.

Our Wednesday Evening Bible Study has restarted. A meal is served at 5:30 and our bible study begins at 6:30. We are studying Lutheranism 101. Please come and join us.

Bo Vizcaino will present the scripture readings this week.

Tune in to KBYG every morning for a devotional sponsored in part by the Lutheran Hour. Tune in to 106.3 FM or 1400 AM between 6:45 and 6:50 each morning for these wonderful devotions: “Morning Meditation Thoughts”. Also tune in every Sunday morning at 8:30 to listen to the Lutheran Hour.

First United Methodist Church

First United Methodist Church is located just off Gregg Street at the corner of Fourth and Scurry in downtown Big Spring. Our Sunday morning schedule includes the 9 a.m. Traditions service featuring the pipe organ, choir, trumpet and hymns. At 11 a.m., The Bridge service featuring contemporary music led by a wonderful praise team.

Worship services are broadcast live each Sunday at 11 a.m. on radio station KBYG-105.5 FM. You can also find the services live streamed on our Facebook page at First United Methodist Church Big Spring.

On Sunday Aug. 16, Pastor Ricky Carstensen shared with us why we should aspire to be holy as the Lord is holy from 1 Peter 1:13-16. Pastor Ricky will be continuing his series on “The Characteristics of a Committed Christian”. Come join us this coming Sunday.

On Wednesday Aug. 26, at 6 p.m. “Celebrate Recovery” is being offered in the Youth Hall for anyone in the community seeking freedom and healing from hurts, habits, and hang-ups.

For more information on any activity, please visit the web site at www.fum-cbs.com or phone the church office at 432-267-6394.

Steers open season with scrimmage win over Levelland on Thursday night



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Above left: Gabriel Baeza and Derek Howard practice their shotgun snap delivery before the scrimmage. Above right: It takes three Levelland defenders to take down wide receiver V. Ortiz following a nice catch.

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sports Writer

Following two outstanding touchdown passes from junior quarterback Gabriel Baeza, two more rushing scores by the signal-caller, and a stout defense that barely let the Levelland Lobos for most of the scrimmage, the Big Spring Steers took the Lobos 28-14.

How did it finally feel to get back on the field and hit somebody with a different jersey on?

“Fantastic,” Big Spring Head Football Coach Cannon McWilliams said. “We’ve been banging on each other for three weeks and it’s exciting to play somebody else and I bet they felt the same way.”

The Varsity portion of the scrimmage started off with each team running 20 offensive plays with the first string players and 15 offensive plays with the second string guys. During this time, newcomer middle linebacker Braxton Pearson racked up three tackles the Lobos’ first time with the ball. The Steers were also able to collect a sack courtesy of the front seven and were consistently finding themselves making tackles behind the line of scrimmage.

Big Spring did allow two long scoring plays to Levelland during the controlled portion of the scrimmage but the Steers answered back with a few big plays of their own. A strong tackle by Java Ford near the sideline caused a big reaction from the competitive juices flowed.

On offense, the big play for the Steers during the controlled portion was an accurate, deep pass down the sideline from backup quarterback Eli Cobos to speedy wideout Maverick Yanez.

Next up was both teams playing through one half in a regular season game environment. Levelland had the ball first and on a pass to the outside, Ford made his second big play of the day by grabbing an interception and giving his team the ball near Lobo territory. The Steer offense responded with a beautiful, high-arching Baeza pass down the seam to the athletic Kaegen Mitchell who extended his arms for the catch and waltzed into the end zone for an easy Big Spring score.

“That play sparked us,” McWilliams said. “It sparked us in the first half and that was our first big touchdown. After that, as far as with our 1’s, we just started rolling. Those guys have a connection and they’ve played together for a long time. Once that spark happened, then everything else started to flow.”

The next defensive drive by Big Spring was defined by the play of the strong senior interior defensive lineman Elijah Darrow. The big man was consistently finding himself in the Levelland backfield wreaking havoc on the Lobo offense and collecting multiple tackles for loss. #84 joined Darrow in the backfield for a tackle for a loss of his own and the Steers defense quickly put the ball back into Baeza’s hands.

What the second year starting quarterback did next might have been more impressive than the deep ball he connected on the first drive. From right around the 25-yard line in Levelland territory, Baeza took hit an outside gap on a designed running play and scampered all the way into the end zone untouched. Through the first two offensive drives, Baeza and the coaching staff showed the Big Spring fans the dual threat capability that will be leading the Steers this fall.

Darrow continued his dominating performance the next time that Levelland’s offense took the field following the Baeza touchdown run. He proved himself to be a terror for the Lobo offense and the red and white team could not seem to get anything going.

On the other hand, everything Big Spring was trying seemed to be working.

The next Steer offensive drive was highlighted by a terrific snag across the middle of the defense by Vincent Ortiz. The drive was capped off by another Baeza rushing touchdown as he plunged in from the 1-yard line for a classic quarterback sneak. Big Spring had now scored on their first three drives of the two-quarter scrimmage and things seemed to be clicking on both sides of the ball.

“I hope it gives us a lot of confidence but I hope we don’t get overconfident,” McWilliams said.

The Steers did not stop there. After stopping Levelland on four downs, Big Spring’s offense took the field once again. Baeza finished

off his night with a strike across the middle of the defense to Ortiz as he rolled out to the right looking for an open man. That was his fourth total touchdown of the night and made way for Cobos to come in and get some valuable playing time along with some other second string players.

Big Spring finished the night 4-of-5 on offense and the only time they were stopped was in the red zone on fourth down. The last two drives from Levelland both ended with touchdowns on a 15-yard pass through the middle of the defense and a 1-yard rush with less than one minute remaining in the scrimmage against mostly second-string players for Big Spring.

“We just need to get the 2’s, who are one play away, to know that if they get in the ballgame they’ve got to know what to do as well.”

Overall, the Big Spring Steers put in a great performance for their first time returning to the field against a new team since last November. There were several playmakers who made their mark in this game and the Steer coaching staff will be looking to utilize those players’ skills all-season long.

In their first game action at Memorial Stadium this season, the Steers gave the fan base and town a lot to look forward to this season. The defensive line is consistently disrupting things in the backfield, Baeza is playing with a ton of confidence, and the playmakers are making plays.

The wait is over. High school football is back.

Shawn Moran is the sports writer at the Big Spring Herald. To contact him, e-mail sports@bigspringherald.com or call 432-263-7331.

MLB Schedule

Thursday Results

Away Team	Home Team	Final Score
Tampa Bay Rays	@ New York Yankees	10-5, Rays
Philadelphia Phillies	@ Toronto Blue Jays	3-2, Blue Jays
Detroit Tigers	@ Chicago White Sox	9-0, White Sox
Houston Astros	@ Colorado Rockies	10-8, Astros
Philadelphia Phillies	@ Toronto Blue Jays	9-8, Blue Jays
New York Mets	@ Miami Marlins	Postponed
Cleveland Indians	@ Pittsburgh Pirates	2-0, Indians
Milwaukee Brewers	@ Minnesota Twins	7-1, Twins
Los Angeles Dodgers	@ Seattle Mariners	6-1, Dodgers
Boston Red Sox	@ Baltimore Orioles	7-1, Red Sox
Cincinnati Reds	@ St. Louis Cardinals	5-4, Cardinals
Texas Rangers	@ San Diego Padres	8-7, Padres
Arizona D’Backs	@ Oakland Athletics	5-1, Athletics
Los Angeles Angels	@ San Francisco Giants	10-5, Giants

Friday Games

Away Team	Home Team	Time of Game
Miami Marlins (9-9)	@ Washington Nationals (9-12)	5:05 p.m.
Toronto Blue Jays (12-11)	@ Tampa Bay Rays (17-9)	5:40 p.m.
New York Yankees (16-9)	@ New York Mets (12-14)	Postponed
Milwaukee Brewers (11-12)	@ Pittsburgh Pirates (4-17)	6:05 p.m.
Philadelphia Phillies (9-12)	@ Atlanta Braves (14-11)	6:10 p.m. (ESPN+)
Detroit Tigers (9-14)	@ Cleveland Indians (16-9)	6:10 p.m.
Boston Red Sox (8-18)	@ Baltimore Orioles (12-13)	6:35 p.m.
Minnesota Twins (17-9)	@ Kansas City Royals (10-15)	7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (15-11)	@ Chicago Cubs (16-8)	7:15 p.m.
Cincinnati Reds (10-13)	@ St. Louis Cardinals (7-7)	7:15 p.m.
Houston Astros (10-14)	@ San Diego Padres (15-12)	8:10 p.m.
Texas Rangers (10-14)	@ Seattle Mariners (8-19)	8:10 p.m.
Colorado Rockies (13-12)	@ Los Angeles Dodgers (19-8)	8:40 p.m.
Los Angeles Angels (8-18)	@ Oakland Athletics (18-8)	8:40 p.m.
Arizona D’Backs (13-13)	@ San Francisco Giants (11-16)	8:45 p.m. (FS1)

NBA Playoff Schedule

First Round (Best of 7)

Thursday Results

Away Team	Home Team	Final Score
Miami Heat (2)	@ Indiana Pacers (0)	109-100, Heat
Oklahoma City Thunder (0)	@ Houston Rockets (2)	111-98, Rockets
Orlando Magic (1)	@ Milwaukee Bucks (1)	111-96, Bucks
Portland Trail Blazers (1)	@ Los Angeles Lakers (1)	111-88, Lakers

Friday Games

Away Team	Home Team	Time of Game
Toronto Raptors	@ Brooklyn Nets	12:30 p.m. (NBA)
Denver Nuggets	@ Utah Jazz	3:00 p.m. (TNT)
Boston Celtics	@ Philadelphia 76ers	5:30 p.m. (TNT)
Los Angeles Clippers	@ Dallas Mavericks	8:00 p.m. (TNT)

NHL Playoff Schedule

First Round (Best of 7)

Thursday Results

Away Team	Home Team	Final Score
New York Islanders (4)	@ Washington Capitals (1)	4-0, Islanders
Dallas Stars (4)	@ Calgary Flames (2)	7-3, Stars

Friday Games

Away Team	Home Team	Time of Game
Philadelphia Flyers (3)	@ Montreal Canadiens (2)	6:00 p.m. (NBCSN)
St. Louis Blues (2)	@ Vancouver Canucks (3)	8:45 p.m. (NBCSN)

Cox Mixes Lake And River Work To Take Lead At Bassmaster Elite At St. Clair

Special to the Herald

MACOMB COUNTY, Mich. — Employing a blended strategy, John Cox of DeBary, Fla., caught a five-bass limit that weighed 24 pounds, 12 ounces to take the Day 1 lead at the YETI Bassmaster Elite at Lake St. Clair.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, anglers were limited to the U.S. waters of St. Clair, the St. Clair River, Lake Huron and the upper part of the Detroit River. But the fishery still kicked out 18 bags of 20 pounds or better. Starting his day on Lake St. Clair, Cox searched broad flats in 12 to 15 feet and caught a solid limit of smallmouth by 9 a.m. From there, he transitioned to the St. Clair River, where he made two key upgrades with a pair of 5-pound smallmouth that bolstered him to the leading weight.

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Online Actions Have In-Person Consequences

Dear Annie: My direct manager recently deleted me on the networking website LinkedIn. I have repeatedly asked him, in person and through email, why he deleted me, but I receive nothing but vague responses from him. I feel a lack of respect over his deleting me and even more so when he refuses to tell me why he made this decision. We're both adults here; let's be mature. I was shocked that he removed me from his connections. Should I be concerned about my position at the company? Am I at risk of being fired? -- Linked Out

Dear Linked Out: Who knows why your manager deleted you. Everyone has different comfort levels with whom they'd like to connect with online. It doesn't mean your job is in jeopardy. But if you keep pestering him

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Annie's Mailbox

about it, you might fulfill your own prophecy.

Dear Annie: I wanted to say that your response to "Wondering in Anywhere, USA" -- the person who was wondering whether to correct a friend's "pr-" word mispronunciations -- was spot on. Because some people may have a speech impediment, it's best to let those mispronunciations slide. Being hard-of-hearing and having a speech impediment myself, I'll fumble a word here and there and, unless I specifically ask for the correct pronunciation, I expect people to know better than to call it out, as long as they understand what I meant. It's pretty rude to interrupt a person like myself by correcting things I say, because then it can become constant and makes one feel insecure. I went through 12 years of speech therapy, and I'm pretty well understood 99% of the time. I hope my friends and acquaintances will

please not focus on the 1% of the time. Just let it go. It might be small stuff to them, but small stuff can bother some people in a big way. When in doubt, don't sweat it. -- Gabe K.

Dear Gabe: I appreciate and agree with your perspective. The following is a complementary take on the same issue.

Dear Annie: I just read the letter and your reply to "Wondering" about correcting mispronounced words. While it's possible that these people had a speech impairment, it's also quite possible that they don't know how to pronounce the words. Having taught English to speakers of other languages for over 20 years, I have plenty of experience with people not knowing how to pronounce words. In my case, my students are often lacking confidence as well as English skills, so I find it important not to further damage that

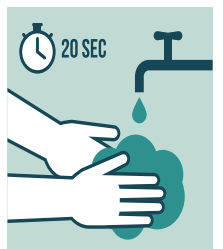
confidence. My strategy is not to call attention to their mistake, but rather to matter-of-factly form a question or response that includes the word, pronounced correctly, of course. In that way, they're able to hear the correct pronunciation without feeling they've been "corrected." This is even more important in a group setting, as focusing on the mistake would cause further embarrassment in front of others. They may continue to mispronounce the word, but at least they've heard it said correctly, and hopefully, they'll eventually get it right. -- Proud Teacher of English to Speakers of Other Languages

Dear Proud Teacher: Indeed, this could be a subtle way to clue someone into a correct pronunciation. Thanks for your expertise and for helping so many students.

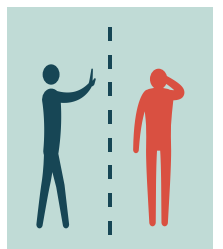
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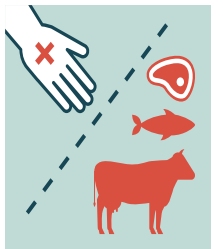
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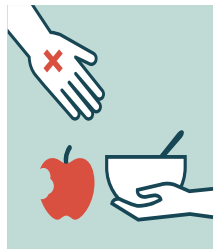
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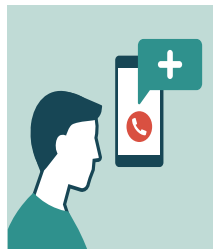
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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

Opening lead quiz

The bidding has gone One Notrump on your right, Two Notrump on your left and Three Notrump on your right. Which card would you lead with each of the following four hands?

1. ♠AQ94 ♥872 ♦10 ♣QJ543
2. ♠J10 ♥83 ♦J7643 ♣J932
3. ♠J7 ♥KJ832 ♦A9764 ♣5
4. ♠K83 ♥976 ♦K52 ♣QJ93

1. Four of clubs. Most notrump contracts feature a race between the opposing sides for the establishment of long-suit tricks. Here, a club is led in the hope that partner has either the king or ace, in which case all your remaining clubs might become tricks after declarer's honor card is forced out.

A club is chosen rather than a spade, even though the spades are stronger, because of the greater length in the club suit. The four is selected because it is the fourth-best card of the suit.

2. Jack of spades. Good defense is mainly a partnership effort rather than an individual effort. You should think in terms of what's best for your side, not just in terms of what's best for your hand.

The chance of a diamond lead working out well here is poor, since even if your diamonds eventually

become established, you have no entry with which to gain the lead.

In cases of this sort, it's better to take a shot at locating your partner's long suit, since he might have enough side entries to cash them. To this end, the spade lead is more promising than a heart lead because the J-10 have a much better chance of quickly establishing partner's hoped-for long suit.

3. Three of hearts. The problem here is whether to lead a heart or a diamond; either one might work out well or badly. In the long run, a heart is more promising because if your partner has the queen or ace, you'll be well on your way to establishing the suit, with the ace of diamonds as a side entry. A diamond lead in most cases would require partner to hold two honors in the suit, a much less likely possibility.

4. Queen of clubs. There's no good reason not to lead a club, and the only question is which one. In hands where your long suit is headed by a sequence such as K-Q-J, Q-J-10 or J-10-9, it is customary to lead the highest one rather than fourth-best. The Q-J-9 are treated as equivalent to the Q-J-10, so here the queen is led rather than the three. If the nine were, say, the six, the three would be the proper lead.

Tomorrow: Voyage of discovery.

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Tomorrow's Horoscope

BY HOLIDAY MATHIS



AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). The cats, dogs, insects... even the trees sense things beyond the human

sweetness is no fun. Sometimes, your playfulness can come out in swipes. Knowing how far to go with mischief is the essence of intimacy.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Your mind is tipping toward the profound today -- steady, serious and sincere. That's why you'd do well to clown around with another air sign for a few hours in the name of balance.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You're an excellent student of life because of your genuine curiosity. You are interested in more than just memorizing what you need to know for life's various tests. Your longing for deep knowledge will be sated.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). A whole new level of adulthood kicks in with the realization that others measure the world and themselves differently from the way you do. Accepting this nonstandard system is its own badge of maturity.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You know an excellent suggestion when you hear it. You'll follow up and soon be onto an interesting project, one that seems to create its own momentum.

range. And what of the person standing next to you? You grow through trying to understand another perspective.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). The action will not escalate on its own. The intention of one person makes all of the difference. If you know what you want, then that person should be you. Go on; give things a push.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Aug. 21). There's an endeavor or person who makes your pulse quicken -- an inspiring influence. And you'll put more effort into the relationship than you ever thought you would, with fantastic results. Your competitive streak will benefit the whole team. A discovery process sends you adventuring. In March you'll invest and win. Aquarius and Pisces adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 6, 35, 1, 7 and 28.

WEEKEND LOVE FORECAST: ARIES: Too many rules destroy art -- and love is an art. TAURUS: You know that you're not the center of the universe, and yet you have to look out for yourself as though you were. It's better than expecting

special treatment from others. GEMINI: You'll get a message from the exact person you want to hear from. CANCER: A resolution to love who loves you and in equal measure brings about a thriving cycle in your personal life. LEO: Feed your need for self-care without an ounce of apology or guilt. VIRGO: Those who share your musical taste will track with you on many other levels. LIBRA: Being able to pay close attention to another person isn't difficult, but it's a discipline of focus. You have to keep bringing your mind back to it. SCORPIO: Be easygoing and comfortable, and you'll enjoy an abundance of attention and affection. SAGITTARIUS: Your secret is only safe if you don't tell it. But does it really need to stay a secret? CAPRICORN: They'll think well of you precisely because you don't care in the least how they think of you. AQUARIUS: Your romantic wish will be granted. PISCES: You'll be the one they confide in -- a sacred position.

COUPLE OF THE WEEKEND: Virgo and Libra are a complement to one another's relationship style, showing and receiving love in ways that the other finds relatable and fortifying. These two are zodiac neighbors who are dissimilar in many ways, but they are as familiar with these differences as siblings under the same roof who have grown up together and observed the behaviors and qualities with admiration.

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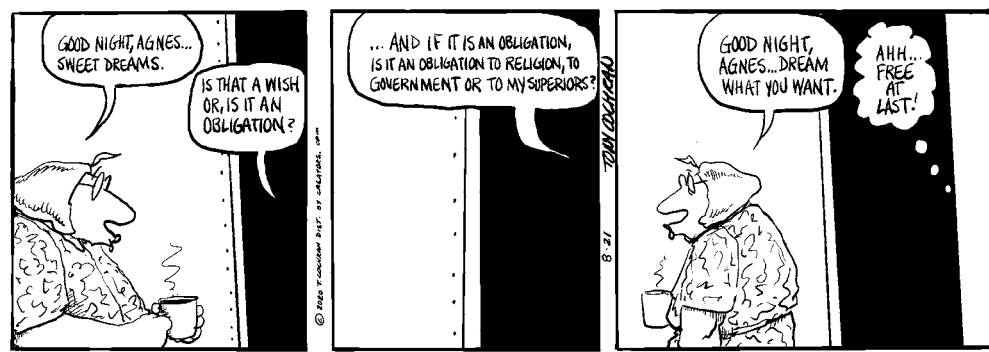
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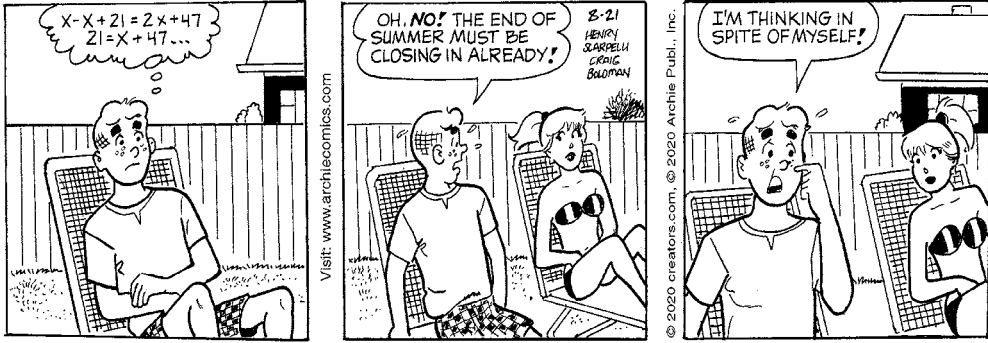
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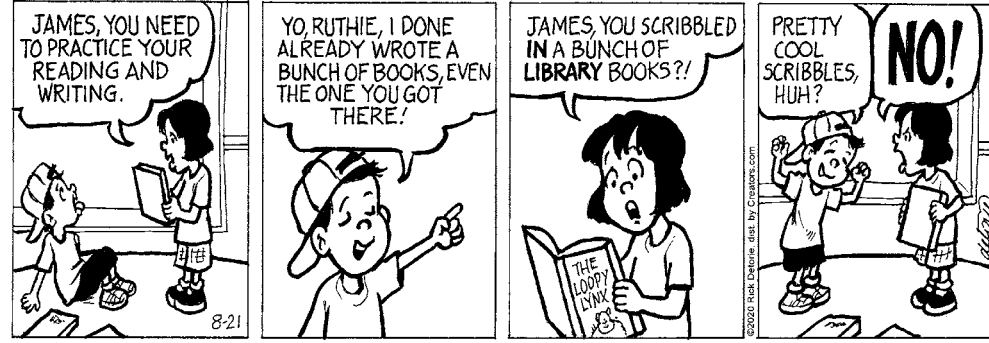
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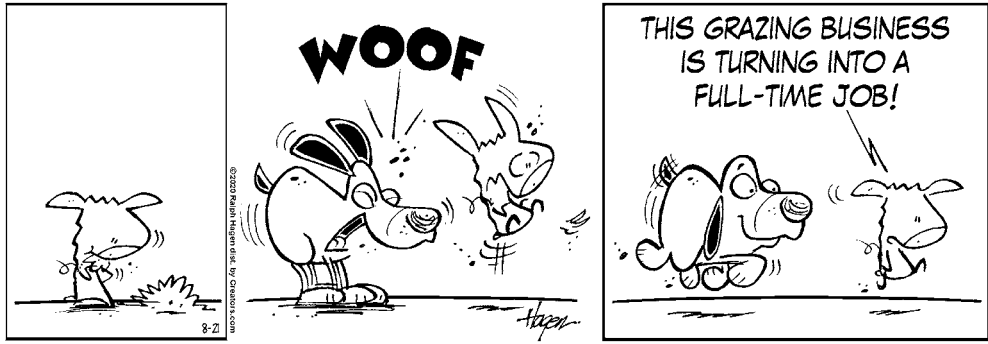
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This Date In History

Today in History

Today is Friday, Aug. 21, the 234th day of 2020. There are 132 days left in the year.
 Today's Highlight in History: On August 21, 1831, Nat Turner launched a violent slave rebellion in Virginia resulting in the deaths of at least 55 whites. (Turner was later executed.)
 On this date:
 In 1609, Galileo Galilei demonstrated his new telescope to a group of officials atop the Campanile (kahm-pah-NEE'-lay) in Venice.
 In 1911, Leonardo da Vinci's "Mona Lisa" was stolen from the Louvre Museum in Paris. (The painting was recovered two years later in Italy.)
 In 1945, President Harry S. Truman ended the Lend-Lease program that had shipped some \$50 billion in aid supplies to America's allies during World War II.
 In 1961, country singer Patsy Cline recorded the Willie Nelson song "Crazy" in Nashville for Decca Records. (The recording was released in October 1961.)
 In 1963, martial law was declared in South Vietnam as police and army troops began a violent crackdown on Buddhist anti-government protesters.
 In 1983, Philippine opposition leader Benigno S. Aquino (beh-NEEG'-noh ah-KEEN'-oh) Jr., ending a self-imposed exile in the United States, was shot dead moments after stepping off a plane at Manila International Airport.
 In 1987, Sgt. Clayton Lonetree, the first Marine court-martialed for spying, was convicted in Quantico, Va., of passing secrets to the KGB. (Lonetree ended up serving eight years in a military prison.)
 In 1991, the hard-line coup against Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev collapsed in the face of a popular uprising led by Russian Federation President Boris N. Yeltsin.
 In 1992, an 11-day siege began at the cabin of white separatist Randy Weaver in Ruby Ridge, Idaho, as government agents tried to arrest Weaver for failing to appear in court on charges of selling two illegal sawed-off shotguns; on the first day of the siege, Weaver's teenage son, Samuel, and Deputy U.S. Marshal William Deegan were killed.
 In 1993, in a serious setback for NASA, engineers lost contact with the Mars Observer spacecraft as it was about to

reach the red planet on a \$980 million mission.
 In 2000, rescue efforts to reach the sunken Russian nuclear submarine Kursk ended with divers announcing none of the 118 sailors had survived.
 In 2014, Gov. Jay Nixon ordered the Missouri National Guard to begin withdrawing from Ferguson, where nightly scenes of unrest had erupted since a white police officer fatally shot a Black 18-year-old nearly two weeks earlier.
 Ten years ago: Iranian and Russian engineers began loading fuel into Iran's first nuclear power plant, which Moscow promised to safeguard to prevent material at the site from being used in any potential weapons production. A Vincent van Gogh painting, "Poppy Flowers," was stolen in broad daylight from Cairo's Mahmoud Khalil Museum. (Although Egyptian authorities initially said they'd recovered the painting the same day at the Cairo airport, that report turned out to be erroneous; the painting remains missing.)
 Emmy-winning CBS News correspondent Harold Dow died at age 62.
 Five years ago: A trio of Americans, U.S. Air Force Staff Sgt. Spencer Stone, National Guardsman Alek Skarlatos and college student Anthony Sadler, and a British businessman, Chris Norman, tackled and disarmed a Moroccan gunman on a high-speed train between Amsterdam and Paris. First Lt. Shaye Haver of Copperas Cove, Texas, and Capt. Kristen Griest of Orange, Connecticut, became the first female soldiers to complete the Army's rigorous Ranger School at Fort Benning, Georgia. Mike Fiers pitched the second no-hitter in the major leagues in nine days, leading the Houston Astros to a 3-0 victory over the Los Angeles Dodgers.
 One year ago: Escalating an international spat, President Donald Trump said he had scrapped his trip to Denmark because the country's prime minister had made a "nasty" statement when she rejected his idea of buying Greenland as absurd. Trump signed an order erasing the hundreds of

millions of dollars in federal student loan debt owed by tens of thousands of disabled military veterans.
 Today's Birthdays: Actor-director Melvin Van Peebles is 88. Actor Clarence Williams III is 81. Rock-and-roll musician James Burton is 81. Singer Jackie DeShannon is 79. College and Pro Football Hall of Famer Willie Lanier is 75. Actor Patty McCormack is

75. Pop singer-musician Carl Giammarese (jee-ah mah-REE'-see) is 73. Actor Loretta Devine is 71. NBC newsmen Harry Smith is 69. Singer Glenn Hughes is 68. Country musician Nick Kane is 66. Actor Kim Cattrall is 64. College Football Hall of Famer and former NFL quarterback Jim McMahon is 61. Actor Cleo King is 58. Retired MLB All-Star John Wetteland is

54. Rock singer Serj Tankian (TAN'-kee-ahn) (System of a Down) is 53. Figure skater Josee Chouinard is 51. Actor Carrie-Anne Moss is 50. MLB player-turned-manager Craig Counsell is 50. Rock musician Liam Howlett (Prodigy) is 49. Actor Alicia Witt is 45. Singer Kelis (kuh-LEES') is 41. Actor Diego Klattenhoff is 41. TV personality Brody Jenner is 37. Singer Melissa Schuman

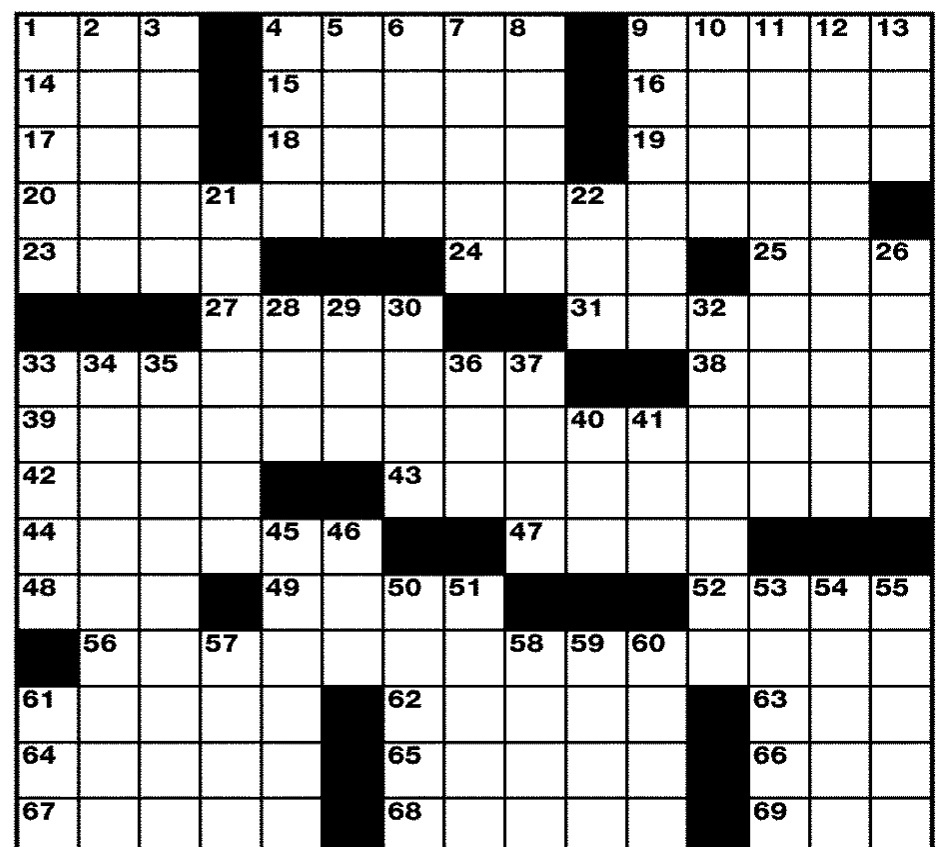
is 36. Olympic gold medal sprinter Usain (yoo-SAYN') Bolt is 34. Actor Carlos Pratts is 34. Actor-comedian Brooks Wheelan is 34. Actor Cody Kasch is 33. Country singer Kacey Musgraves is 32. Actor Hayden Panettiere (pan'-uh-tee-EHR') is 31. Actor RJ Mitte is 28. Actor Maxim Knight is 21.

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Newsday Crossword

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Evasive maneuver
 - 4 Name on the Saudi flag
 - 9 Cuddling
 - 14 Creature often drawn wearing a mortarboard
 - 15 Ream fraction
 - 16 Seuss' tree protector
 - 17 Sea of troubles
 - 18 Word before a deadline
 - 19 ___-garde
 - 20 Safe place
 - 23 It's more than twice as tall as Vesuvius
 - 24 Part of an oak leaf
 - 25 Chitchat
 - 27 Sandwiches or standbys
 - 31 A promise not to, with 2 Down
 - 33 Job at *Aesthetica* magazine
 - 38 Scottish abbey isle
 - 39 Safe place
 - 42 Exactly how you see it
 - 43 GPS predecessor
 - 44 Levy on liquor, e.g.
 - 47 M*A*S*H beverage
 - 48 Tokyo's former name
 - 49 TV dinner fare
 - 52 Rolls back
 - 56 Safe place
 - 61 Any point on a line graph
 - 62 Wrinkle reducer
 - 63 First wizard in *The Wizard of Oz*
- DOWN**
- 1 "That's amazing!"
 - 2 See 31 Across
 - 3 Gather slowly
 - 4 ___ aerobics (watery workout)
 - 5 Dullard
 - 6 Less important, informally
 - 7 Computer font
 - 8 Sunny starter
 - 9 Percussion sticks
 - 10 More than care for
 - 11 Citric wood-polish ingredient
 - 12 Alamo attacker
 - 13 Routing no. of a sort
 - 21 Certain authoritarian
 - 22 MLB stat
 - 26 Swagging
 - 28 Banquet vessel
 - 29 Attempt, in headlines
 - 30 Symbol on the Israeli flag
 - 32 More quick with quips
 - 33 Take down verbally
 - 34 TV actors' royalties
 - 35 Nearly hairless
 - 36 Twitter's 2013 event
 - 37 Whom Bates won an Oscar for confining
 - 40 Fluorine compound suffix
 - 41 "Forget it!"
 - 45 Tarzan and peers
 - 46 '70s tot
 - 50 Held in check
 - 51 Place for piers
 - 53 Rather good grade
 - 54 Muscular
 - 55 Remained in effect
 - 57 Scam victim
 - 58 School for Captain Hook
 - 59 Sell for
 - 60 Rink jump
 - 61 Agcy. catching smugglers



Answer to previous puzzle
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Harden scores 21 points, Rockets beat Thunder for 2-0

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. (AP) — James Harden had 21 points and nine assists and the Houston Rockets made 19 of an NBA-record 56 3-point attempts to beat the Oklahoma City Thunder 111-98 on Thursday for a 2-0 lead in the first-round Western Conference series.

For all the long-range shots, Harden said the Rockets actually won with defense. Houston held the Thunder to 39 points after the break.

"We played well," he said. "We didn't shoot the ball particularly well tonight. But I think defensively, especially in that second half, we did an unbelievable job just gearing in what they like to do and correcting our mishaps in that first half."

Former Thunder star Russell Westbrook was out for the Rockets again with a right quad strain, but plenty of other Houston players picked up the slack. Danuel House Jr. scored 19 points.

"It's not pride, it's just team energy," House said. "We want to make sure that guys are not caring about themselves so guys are showing great energy on the court and off the court."

Shai Gilgeous-Alexander scored 31 points for the Thunder, and Danilo Gallinari added 17.

Oklahoma City dominated the second quarter and led 59-53 at halftime. The Thunder shot 50% in the half. Houston missed its last 15 3-pointers in the second quarter, and Harden scored just eight points on 2-for-10 shooting in the half.

The Rockets went on a 13-0 run early in the second half to regain the lead. Gilgeous-Alexander, who had been cold in the bubble, made three straight 3-pointers to highlight an 11-0 run that put the Thunder ahead again. The Thunder held on and led

78-77 at the end of the third quarter.

Oklahoma City led 80-77 before the Rockets broke away with a 17-0 run, mostly with Harden on the bench.

"Unbelievable, man," Harden said. "That was the game right there. The guys just took it upon themselves to guard and we felt in the sense Oklahoma City was getting tired and we just kept pressing the gas on them."

While the Rockets kept the pressure on, Oklahoma City relaxed.

"I don't know if it was stagnant or slow, whatever it was, but we weren't necessarily playing with that same kind of force that we did in that first half," Thunder coach Billy Donovan said.

Oklahoma City's Chris Paul, the All-Star guard, blamed himself. He was held to 14 points on 6-for-15 shooting.

"I've got to do more," he said. "Straight up. It's that simple. That run they went on at the beginning of the fourth quarter -- that can't happen. Got to be better. I've got to be better."

TIP-INS

Rockets: Made 8 of 16 3-pointers in the first quarter, but just 2 of 19 in the second. ... Took 10 shots inside the 3-point line in the opening period. ... Harden had five assists in the first quarter. ... Did not have a turnover in the first half.

Thunder: Had nine turnovers in the third quarter. ... C Steven Adams had eight points and 11 rebounds. He made all four of his shots, but all were in the first half. He went scoreless after the break.

DORT RETURNS

Thunder guard Lu Dort returned to the starting lineup after missing Game 1 with a right knee sprain. He scored eight points in 25 minutes.

Gurianov scores 4, Stars rally to clinch series over Flames

EDMONTON, Alberta (AP) — Denis Gurianov and the Dallas Stars pulled off quite a trick, turning a big early deficit into a lopsided series-clinching victory.

Gurianov scored four goals, including a hat trick in the second period while also assisting on the go-ahead score, and Dallas rallied from a three-goal deficit to a 7-3 win over the Calgary Flames on Thursday night to wrap up the first-round playoff series in six games.

The Stars, with their most goals in a playoff game since moving to Dallas, became the first team in NHL playoff history to go from a three-goal deficit to a four-goal lead. They were down 3-0 only about 6 1/2 minutes into the game before they even had a shot on a goal and called a timeout.

"It was one of those moments where I think everyone understood it was, we haven't played our game. We're seeing their best game," Joe Pavelski said. "It was a good timeout as far as catch your breath let's try to get back to our game then."

Gurianov, whose five points tied a Stars playoff record, had two goals in the first 3:25 of the second period to tie the game at 3, before his helper on Radek Faksa's power play goal about 2 1/2 minutes later pushed the Stars ahead to stay. It was 6-3 after Gurianov's next goal capped their five-goal second period, and he scored on a rebound midway through the third period.

Miro Heiskanen had a power play goal midway through the first period and later had three assists for the Stars in only the sixth playoff game in NHL history where both teams had a three-goal lead. Pavelski had a goal and two assists after his hat trick in Game 4 of this series, which was the first for the franchise since moving to

Dallas before the 1993-94 season.

"That power play goal was enormous for us. It kind of stopped their push," Pavelski said. "And a huge second (period)."

Stars goalie Anton Khudobin stopped the last 34 shots he faced after giving up three goals in Calgary's first seven shots and interim head coach Rick Bowness called a timeout.

The Stars, the third seed in the Western Conference, will play Colorado in the second round. It is the first time they have won playoff series in consecutive seasons since a four-year stretch from 1998-2001 that included their only Stanley Cup championship in 1999.

The Flames, who won their best-of-five qualifying round series in four games against Winnipeg, have gotten past the conference quarterfinals only once (2015) in their eight playoff appearances since losing to Tampa Bay in Game 7 of the 2004 Stanley Cup Final.

"I personally feel empty. You wonder what happened," Flames center Mikael Backlund. "Things just turned so quickly. We just couldn't stop the bleeding. It happened so quick. It's hard right now."

A turnover by Pavelski led to the first goal by the Flames when TJ Brodie's shot was deflected by Andrew Mangiapane's stick that was parallel to the ice. It was 2-0 when Johnny Gaudreau scored with a shot from an awkward angle from behind the net with the puck ricocheting off the Khudobin's skate and into the net. It was 3-0 after their seventh shot, with Rasmus Andersson scoring on an odd-man rush.

Heiskanen got the Stars on the board after a game-changing penalty against Milan Lucic for goal interference.

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"I left the lake with about 20 pounds, and then I caught two 5-pounders in the river, and then I went practicing," said Cox, a veteran pro who is fishing his first season on the Elite Series. "On the lake, I was bouncing around a couple of grass clumps, but I don't know about tomorrow. It was kind of rough out there, so I might just fish the river tomorrow."

"I felt more comfortable in the river, that's for sure. The lake is not my thing. It just felt good when I was fishing in the river. I could move around and it was like 'This looks good, I'll stop here.' It was kinda nice."

On the lake, Cox rotated between three grass clumps and found his bass on the sandy perimeters. All of his fish bit drop shots with various worms.

"I went from the Berkley MaxScent Flat Worm to the Flatnose Jerk Shad; even The General when I started running low on those," Cox said. "As long as it had the MaxScent (formula), you could sling it out there and they'd eat it."

"The drop shot also produced in the river. I wanted to throw other stuff, but I think that's the best chance to catch a big one."

Cox made a big run up the St. Clair River and fished near the Lake Huron inflow.

"I was just kind of fishing, drifting down with the current and just throwing at anything that looked good — docks, walls, whatever," Cox said. "If I came to a current seam, I'd throw into it. Or if I saw one under the boat, I'd pitch out in front of it."

"I caught those two 5-pounders during a slow period. I caught one, then I went for another 45 minutes. I was catching a few small ones and then caught another big one."

Noting that he got lucky on Lake St. Clair Thursday, Cox said he found more spots in the river than he fished — and he's hopeful he can exploit more of the river's potential on Day 2.

"Today was pretty amazing, but who knows what will happen tomorrow," he said.

Trailing Cox by 10 ounces, Dave Mullins of Mt. Carmel, Tenn., is in second place with 24-2. Committing his day to Lake St. Clair, Mullins said he made a key morning move to a 5-acre area that produced all of his weight.

"I stayed a little too long and caught only one 3-pounder, but as soon as I moved a couple of miles and shut down on a place where I'd gotten some bites in practice, I started getting bit frequently," he said. "With a west wind and bright bluebird skies, it was a perfect smallmouth day."

Mullins mixed up his presentations between a drop shot and a Ned rig. He rigged the former with a Strike King Dream Shot, while the latter held a Z-Man Finesse TRD. All of his plastic baits were green pumpkin.

Ray Hanselman of Del Rio, Texas, is in third place with 22-3. Sticking with the 15- to 17-foot range on St. Clair, Hanselman tried to avoid congested areas, locate isolated schools of fish and stay on top of them. A mix of crankbaits and drop shots produced his bites.

"I stayed ahead of them and I didn't pressure them too much," Hanselman said. "In practice, it was hard to catch a 5-pounder, so when I was throwing back 4 (pounders) around noon, I knew it was time to leave."

"I found a couple of other spots and culled two more times — small culls of a few ounces. I left everything else alone and just went practicing."

Chris Groh of Spring Grove, Ill., is in the lead for Phoenix Boats Big Bass honors with his 6-pound smallmouth.

Friday's takeoff is scheduled for 6:30 a.m. ET at Lake St. Clair Me-

troPark. The weigh-in will be held at the park at 3:10 p.m.

The 85-angler field will be cut to the Top 40 after Friday's round.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The _____ Glasscock County Independent School District _____ will hold a public meeting at _____ August 31, 2020 8:30 a.m. _____ in _____ GCISD Board Room in the Administration Building _____ Garden City, Texas _____.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

Maintenance Tax	\$ 0.96640	/ \$100 (Proposed rate for maintenance and operations)
School Debt Service Tax	\$ 0.10360	/ \$100 (proposed rate to pay bonded indebtedness)
Approved by Local Voters		

Comparison of Proposed Budget with Last Year's Budget

The applicable percentage increase or decrease (or difference) in the amount budgeted in the preceding fiscal year and the amount budgeted for the fiscal year that begins during the current tax year is indicated for each of the following expenditure categories:

Maintenance and operations	_____ % increase	or	5.6 % (decrease)
Debt service	_____ % increase	or	11.8 % (decrease)
Total expenditures	_____ % increase	or	5.5 % (decrease)

Total Appraised Value and Total Taxable Value (as calculated under Tax Code Section 26.04)

	Preceding Tax Year	Current Tax Year
Total appraised value* of all property	\$ 4,903,803,890.00	\$ 4,899,719,850.00
Total appraised value** of new property**	\$ 1,198,574.00	\$ 501,487.00
Total taxable value*** of all property	\$ 4,272,349,812.00	\$ 4,281,655,941.00
Total taxable value*** of new property**	\$ 1,025,595.00	\$ 431,041.00

* "Appraised value" is the amount shown on the appraisal roll and defined by Tax Code Section 1.04(B).
 ** "New property" is defined by Tax Code Section 26.012(17).
 *** "Taxable value" is defined by Tax Code Section 1.04(10).

Bonded Indebtedness

Total amount of outstanding and unpaid bonded indebtedness* \$ _____ 9,895,000

* Outstanding principal.

Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$ 0.97000	\$ 0.10000	\$ 1.07000	\$ 32,618	\$ 264
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$ 0.91633	\$ 0.01947	\$ 0.93580	\$ 145,238	\$ 400
Proposed Rate	\$ 0.96640	\$ 0.10360	\$ 1.07000	\$ 37,821	\$ 400

* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$ 77,091.00	\$ 75,560.00
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$ 53,295.00	\$ 53,829.00
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$ 1.09000	\$ 1.07000
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$ 580.92	\$ 575.97
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes		\$ -4.95

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is _____ 1.07000 _____. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of _____ 1.07000 _____.

Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$ 9,104,349
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$ 2,108,949

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