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Early voting begins Oct. 13 at County Courthouse; Election Day is Nov. 3

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**
 Managing Editor

Election season has begun and early voting is less than two weeks away. As the first day of early voting approaches, a few deadlines are also right around the corner. Registration by mail must be postmarked by Oct. 5 and conducted in person by Oct. 5 by 5 p.m. Absentee voter (ballot by mail/in person) is Oct. 23 for applications and submission by mail/in person on or before Nov. 3.

“Early voting for this election is encouraged. Given this election will have local, city and school races, the extra long ballot will take some time to complete,” Jodi Duck, Howard County Elections Administrator, said. “We do have an extra four days added to early voting along with more machines.”

The last time a General Election was held was in November 2016 and according to Duck, there were around 6,000 ballots cast in early voting. With the extended time frame and added machines, the projection is to see around 7,000 ballots cast during early voting this year.

“One of the biggest changes this year is that ballots will no longer be straight party options,” Duck said. “In addition, voters have three more locations, in addition to the normal four locations, to choose from when casting their ballots on Nov. 3 – Election Day.”

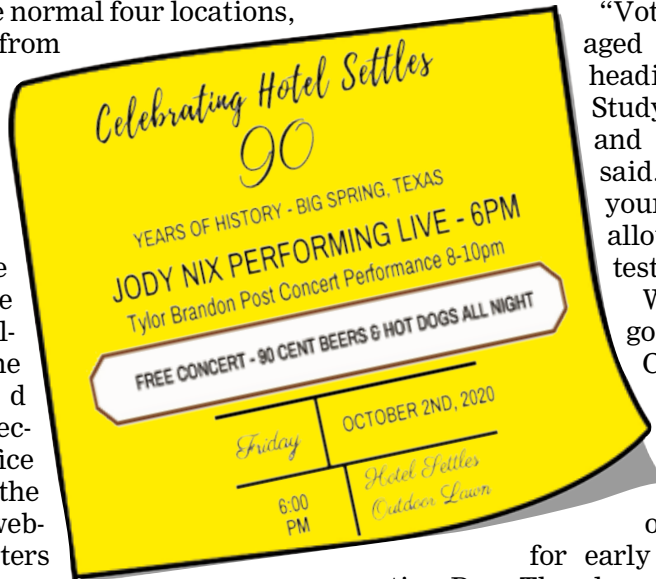
Sample ballots are now available at the Howard County Election’s Office as well as the County webpage. Voters need to know their voting precinct, which can be found on their voter registration card. While there are no electronic devices allowed in the polling locations, Duck said voters will be allowed to bring sample ballots into the polling locations to

help make selections. Per state law, no political attire is allowed inside the polling areas beyond the 100 foot mark and will cause delays in the line.

“Voters are encouraged to study before heading to the polls. Study the candidates and the issues,” Duck said. “When casting your vote, voters are allowed to leave contests blank if needed.”

With the nation still going through the Covid-19 pandemic, the Howard County Election’s Office has put an emergency plan of action into place for early voting and Election Day. The plan which was first implemented in March includes cleaning procedures and disposable stylus pens. While there is an exemption extended by the Governor regarding masks,

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Leadership Big Spring Class of 2020-21 postponed due to coronavirus pandemic

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**
 Managing Editor

Building leaders, investing into the community – two main focuses behind Leadership Big Spring. For the past 30 years upcoming leaders have been able to get an inside glimpse to the different industries that create Big Spring and Howard County. This year, however, due to the current pandemic, the Leadership Big Spring class has been postponed.



Mark Richardson

“As we (Howard County and the nation) learn to live in a pandemic state, we decided it was best to postpone Leadership Big Spring this year. This is an opportunity to learn first hand what makes Big Spring and Howard County what it is, and knowing we wouldn’t be able to offer the full view, it was decided to put the class of 2020 on hold. We want to make sure every upcoming leader who chooses to go through Leadership Big Spring is able to experience the course in it’s entirety and gain the full experience.”

Leadership Big Spring is an opportunity for those involved to learn about the different industry sectors that exist and contribute to the growth of Howard County. Students learn about healthcare, education, industry, volunteerism/non-profits, and take part in team building exercises. Each year, the class also undertakes a project that will leave a lasting impact on the community. Projects over the years have included new buildings, such as the greenhouse at the VA, and refurbishing projects involving different playgrounds around town and the Vietnam Memorial.

“Leadership Big Spring may be the best program offered to residents and employers in our area. The relationships I built in my class have been extremely beneficial to me. I learned a tremendous amount about local businesses and organizations that I never knew,” Mark Richardson, Leadership Big Spring graduate and Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce President, said.

“The partnerships among neighboring businesses is tremendous. I was very impressed with the way that businesses, schools, charities and community organizations opened their doors to educate us about how they contribute to the economy and livelihood of our residents.”

Leadership Big Spring typically runs simultaneously with the school semester, kicking off in August or September and concluding in May. Each month those in the program visit area businesses, including lo-

cal hospitals, school districts and even have had the opportunity to tour a rig site in Howard County. In the course of

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Sands CISD announces Gonzalez as Homecoming Queen 2020



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Sands CISD announced the 2020 Homecoming Queen at their Homecoming Game last Friday. This year, Homecoming queen is Senior, Me-A Gonzalez, and her escort was senior Riley Webb.

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Obituaries

Eddie B. Scurlark

Eddie B. Scurlark, 93, of Stanton, was born Aug. 27, 1927, in Lovelady, Texas to James and Laura Alexander Jackson. She passed from this life Sept. 28, 2020 in Midland, Texas.



The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 2, 2020, at Gilbreath Funeral Home in Stanton. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 3, 2020, at the First Baptist Church in Stanton with interment following at Evergreen Cemetery.

Eddie married Warren C. Scurlark in 1945, in Crockett, Texas. She was a long-

time resident of Stanton. She was a homemaker and enjoyed gardening. Eddie enjoyed attending the Martin County Senior Center for many years.

Eddie had been a member of St. James Baptist Church in Stanton and attended Mt. Carmel Baptist Church in Midland.

Those she leaves to cherish her memories include three, sons, Warren Clyde Scurlark, Jr. of Stanton, Michael Scurlark of Midland and Steve Scurlark and wife, Naomi of Big Spring; seven daughters, Clytia Miles and husband, Earl of Baytown, Ola Scurlark, Diann Scurlark and Catherine Scurlark all of Houston, Carolyn Scurlark of Midland, Melissa Scurlark of Stanton and Helen McCoy and husband, Anthony of Midland; 29 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

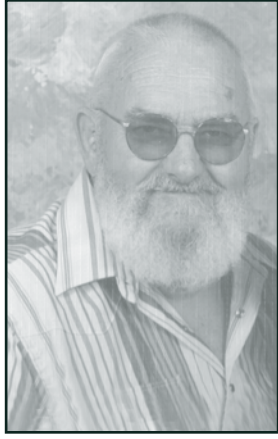
Eddie was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; four sons, Lawrence Scurlark, Roy Scurlark, Jessie Scurlark and Willie Scurlark; and one daughter, Ella Denice Scurlark.

Arrangements are under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com

Paid Obituary

James "Bob" Ballard

On Saturday, Sept. 26, 2020, Bob Ballard was called home to our Lord after losing his battle with cancer. Bob was born on Jan. 19, 1933 in Cisco, Texas to R.B. and Stella Ballard. He married Ethel "Peggy" Long in 1953. After completing his tour with the U.S. Army in the Korean War, Bob and Peggy made their home and family in Big Spring, Texas.



During his lifetime, Bob worked as an electrician and a truck driver. He also worked as a mechanic and a body man for Casey's Automotive and Westex Wrecking.

He retired after 22 years of service from Westex wrecking.

Bob had a love of old cars and covered wagons. He spent many years as a Col. in the Texas Army. During this time, Bob and Peggy would travel to

schools with their covered wagon, teaching children about the "old ways" of life. Bob loved kids and they all called him "Pa" whether they were family or not.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents R. B. and Stella Ballard; his sister Sandra Koonce; an infant son, Leslie Ballard; a granddaughter Alisha Johnson and great granddaughter Madysyn Hillger.

Bob is survived by his wife Peggy Ballard; his daughters LaWanda Brewer and husband Thomas, Debra Hillger and husband David. Bob and Peggy were blessed with 3 children, 9 grandchildren, 26 great grandchildren and 12 great great grandchildren.

A funeral service was held Tuesday, Sept. 29, 2020, at 10 a.m. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Interment took place at Trinity Memorial Park.

Services were under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com.

Paid Obituary

Take Note

• CASA of West Texas will hold two virtual information sessions; the first was Sept. 30 and the next will follow on Oct. 14. Both will be held at 12:30 p.m. and is free to attend. Registration is required and can be done on the CASA website, where the Zoom link will also be provided.

• The West Texas VA Health System will be providing drive-thru flu clinics. The dates for the surrounding area include: Clinic dates (all times 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.) George H. O'Brien, Jr. VAMC - Monday, Oct. 5, 2020; Abilene CBOC - Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2020; Wilson & Young Medal of Honor CBOC - Monday, Oct. 19, 2020.

• A new group has started in Howard County. It is made up of people of all ages and genders who want to be better than they are. The focus of the fledgling organization is to engage in meaningful discussions that promote personal growth. Additionally, the yet to be named organization will plan and execute worthwhile activities within the community. There is no membership fee and attendance is not taken. The only requirements are that you be positive or want to be more positive than you are, consider yourself to be a good person but want to be better than you are, and that you have a desire to help others be

better too. Childcare is available during the discussion time if you let us know. Topics to be avoided include Religion and Politics, though we can dance around them.

The unnamed group is being sponsored by the local Masons and it meets in the Masonic Lodge on the court square. It is not necessary that you have any masonic affiliation to participate in this Growth Group. All Covid-19 safety protocols will be followed as defined by local, state, and federal authorities. At this time refreshments will not be served but you are welcome to bring your own and not share. The next meeting is Sept. 17, 2020, at 7 p.m. at 219 South Main Big Spring, Texas. For more information write to Colonel.Allen.M.Morris@Gmail.com or just come to the meeting.

• 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 Senior Supper Club of Howard County will meet for its normal dinner meeting at Spanish Inn on Tuesday October 6, 2020. 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.

Police reports

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **REBECCA RIVAS CHAVERA**, 42, of 1505 S. Johnson, was arrested on charges of murder and bail jumping/failure to appear.
- **DONNE JR. RODRIGUEZ**, 28, of 1605 Harding Street, was arrested on charges of unlawful possession of firearm by felon, evading arrest/detention with vehicle or watercraft, and warrant - other agency.
- **DAVID CHRISTOPHER PETREE**, 36, of 1406 Wood Street, was arrested on a charge of aggravated assault - causes bodily injury.
- **RANDY JAY YBARRA**, 33, of 307 W. 18th Street, was arrested on a warrant - other agency.
- **BIANCA N. VALENCIA**, 30, of 637 Manor Lane, was arrested on charges of bail jumping/failure to appear (x4).
- **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 2800 block of E. Highway 350.
- **FOUND PROPERTY** was reported in the 700 block of E. 11th Place.
- **MAJOR ACCIDENT** was reported in the 2500 block of Wasson Road.
- **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported in the 1800 block of S. Gregg Street.
- **ASSAULT** was reported at in the 1900 block of Martin Luther King

Sheriff reports

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 73 inmates at the time of this report.

- **RYAN COLE WALKER**, 32, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **BEN ELVIN ROBINSON**, 38, was arrested by DPS on charges of driving while intoxicated (x2) and unlawfully carrying a weapon.
- **RANDY JAY YBARRA**, 33, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.
- **REBECCA RIVAS CHAVERA**, 42, was arrested by BSPD on charges of murder and bail jumping/failure to appear.
- **DONNE RODRIGUEZ**, 28, was arrested by HCSO on charges of motion to revoke probation/parole violation, unlawful possession of firearm by felon, and evading arrest detention with vehicle or watercraft.
- **DAVID CHRISTOPHER PETREE**, 36, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of aggravated assault causes serious bodily injury.

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Company upgrade leads Rowlette to TSTC program

ABILENE - Watching a multimillion dollar upgrade at his current workplace, Andrew Rowlette wanted to learn more about electrical systems. The U.S. Air Force veteran works for Cargill Animal Nutrition in Abilene. He also started his fourth semester in Texas State Technical College's Electrical Power and Controls program this fall.

"I was working for nine or 10 months, and the company decided to do a \$2 million upgrade to the electrical system," Rowlette said. "I was working with the contractor on some of the projects, and what he was doing sparked my interest."

Rowlette did not have a background in electrical work, but a former co-worker and current TSTC instructor led him to the college.

TSTC Industrial Systems instructor Demetri Jones told him about the program and encouraged him to broaden his knowledge.

"You really don't realize how much electrical systems work in our daily lives," Rowlette said. "I was really interested in that aspect of the program."

Rowlette, who was a B-1 Bomber crew chief in the Air Force, said serving in the military helped him pay for college.

"I was able to get some free money and go to school to learn a new trade," he said. "I took a year or so off before starting at TSTC."

Rowlette said his employers are pleased that he is attending TSTC.

"It is helping me here, especially with some of the employees," he said. "Some of them may not have the tech skills to solve a problem quickly. I can ask them if something is not working to look at another possible solution."

Rowlette said he will continue to share what he learns at TSTC with his fellow employees.

"The best way to help someone is to pass on the knowledge," he said.

TSTC offers a two-year Associate of Applied Science degree in Electrical Power and Controls at the Abilene, Fort Bend County, North Texas and Waco campuses.

For more information about TSTC, visit tstc.edu.

VOTE

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voters who visit the polls are encouraged to protect themselves as they feel necessary.

"Voting is our right, but it is also our civic duty to our family, our neighbors and friends. The choices made at the ballot box affect us locally and nationally. The local candidates chosen today could be the next state or federal candidate tomorrow."

On Nov. 3, in addition to the Presidential race, locally there are contested races for Howard County Commissioner Precinct 1, Precinct 3, and a county proposition. The City of Big Spring will have two Council seats, Precincts 1 and 3, along with the

three recall seats - Precinct 5, 6 and Mayor; Big Spring ISD will also have a race for Precinct 1.

Early voting will take place at the Howard County Courthouse from Oct. 13 to Oct. 28 from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Oct. 29-30 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Curbside voting will be available on the north side of the building for those unable to gain entry into the poll due to a physical disability or if they are needing to turn in their ballot by mail. All must have a photo ID.

- Polling locations on election day (November 3):
- Prairie View Baptist Church at 1004 West FM 2230
- Ryan Hall/St. Thomas Church at 605 N. Main Street
- First Baptist Church at 705 W. FM 700

- Dorothy Garrett Coliseum at 1001 Birdwell Lane
- Salem Baptist Church at 7505 Old Colorado City Hwy
- Coahoma Community Center at 306 N. Avenue, Coahoma
- Forsan Baptist Church at 201 Main Street, Forsan

For those wanting to see sample ballots can do so by stopping by the Howard County Elections office. For more information regarding the election, contact Jodi Duck at the Howard County Elections Office at 432-264-2273 or e-mail HCVotes@gmail.com.

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CLASS

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the 9-month program, new partnerships are formed that will help benefit the growth of Big Spring and the respective businesses represented in the class. In addition to those going through the class, local businesses have an opportunity to highlight themselves and the services they provide. Each month, several businesses host the students and provide tours explaining the impact on the community and the partnership they are forming each year.

"As the President of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce, it is crucial to me that we continue the dynamic affect of this program. Unfortunately, the Pandemic has hurt our ability to offer a class that will be as impactful to par-

ticipants and employers," Richardson said. "There are many of the locations that are normally visited that are unable to host the class this year. We also have to severely limit the size of the class. It is my belief that we should not offer a program if it will not be as beneficial as in the past."

Executive Director of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce Debbye ValVerde, "We are choosing to not offer the class this year because of our desire to always provide a quality program. We are hoping we return to the Leadership Big Spring class that our participants deserve in the following year."

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Support Groups

THURSDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Newcomers' meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.
- Weight Watchers meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-in is confidential and you don't have to talk if you don't want to. Flexible payment options.
- Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing Center.
- Bring Everyone Into The Zone, or BEITZ Support Group, is a veteran-based peer group. The purpose of the group is to provide peer-to-peer support to service members, veterans and families, especially those suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury (TBI), military sexual trauma (MST) and other traumatic events in their lives. BEITZ meets every Thursday at 6 p.m. at 501 Birdwell Lane. For more information, email francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.org, or call 432-268-3003.
- GriefShare is a biblical support group that focuses on helping people who are dealing with a loved one's death. Each DVD session features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories, followed by small group discussion about the topics presented (with workbook support); there is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held three times per year on Thursday evenings, 6 to 8 p.m., at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the GriefShare Ministry of TBC Facebook page. You can also call Vivian Gordon at 432-466-3583 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

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.

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Richard Lopez, III, 25, died Thursday. Funeral service will be at 2:30 PM Thursday at Cornerstone Covenant Church.

Diana "Dee" Oviedo, 47, died Friday. Funeral service will be at 11:00 AM Thursday at Family Faith Center.

Betty Whaley, 84, of Big Spring died Monday September 28, 2020. Visitation will be 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Thursday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Graveside services will be Friday, October 2, at the Peace Chapel at Trinity Memorial Park at 4:00 p.m.

Tracy Faulks, 73, of Big Spring died Monday, September 28, 2020. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1100 block of N. Lamesa Highway. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of State Street. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 300 block of Veterans Boulevard. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the 2500 block of Wasson Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **PUBLIC SERVICE** was reported in the 400 block of SE. 9th Street. No transport was required.
- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the 2500 block of Wasson Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of Lancaster. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3700 block of Wasson Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the area of Highway 350 and CR 37. No transport was required.
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Offensive numbers off the charts 3 weeks into NFL season

By JOSH DUBOW

AP Pro Football Writer

The NFL has never had a start to a season like this one when it comes to offensive production.

Through three weeks, teams have combined for 51 points per game, 738.2 yards per game and a 96.3 passer rating, the most ever at this juncture of an NFL season.

Only the 1961 AFL, when teams combined to average 53.1 points per game, has been more conducive to scoring.

The offensive explosion has come after a virtual offseason and no exhibition games because of the COVID-19 pandemic, which appears to have had a bigger impact on defenses than offenses.

One other factor leading to the high scoring is a lack of penalties on offense. Teams have been penalized 283 times on offense so far this season, down from 443 at the same point last year.

There have also been some impressive performances with Seattle's Russell Wilson becoming the fifth player with back-to-back games with at least five TD passes and setting a record with 14 through three games.

Dallas' Dak Prescott became the second quarterback with back-to-back games with at least 450 yards passing, and the Green Bay Packers have scored at least 35 points with no turnovers in each game. Only the Patriots have done that for a three-game stretch previously, accomplishing it in 2010 and '12.

The Packers and Seahawks have started with three straight wins despite struggling to stop anyone. Seattle has allowed 86 points through three games

and Green Bay has given up 85. Only the 2000 Rams (94 points) and 2018 Chiefs (92 points) gave up more while winning the first three games.

NFC LEAST: The teams in the NFC East have produced more Super Bowl titles than any other division with 13 and it is the only division in which all four teams have won the Super Bowl. That success has been lacking early this season. Washington, Dallas, Philadelphia and the Giants have combined for a 1-8-1 record outside of the division with the Cowboys' Week 2 comeback at Atlanta and the Eagles' Week 3 tie against Cincinnati the only non-losses.

The only divisions to have a worse record in non-division games after three weeks since the start of the eight-division format in 2002 are the 2005 NFC North (1-6), 2002 AFC North (1-7) and 2013 NFC East (1-7).

COMEBACK KIDS: Three teams overcame double-digit deficits to win last week, with Chicago rallying from 16 points down to beat Atlanta, Pittsburgh coming back from 11 points down to beat Houston and Tennessee overcoming a 12-point deficit against Minnesota.

There have now been 10 teams this season to win games they trailed by at least 10 points, tied for the second-most double-digit comebacks through three weeks. There were 11 in 2011.

NCAA Football Top 25

Ranking	Team	Overall	Points	Prev
1	Clemson	2-0	1,542	1
2	Alabama	1-0	1,473	2
3	Florida	1-0	1,324	5
4	Georgia	1-0	1,310	4
5	Notre Dame	2-0	1,231	7
6	Ohio State	0-0	1,169	NR
7	Auburn	1-0	1,133	8
8	Miami (FL)	3-0	1,045	12
9	Texas	2-0	862	8
10	Penn State	0-0	840	NR
11	UCF	2-0	743	13
12	North Carolina	1-0	734	11
13	Texas A&M	1-0	705	10
14	Oregon	0-0	651	NR
15	Cincinnati	2-0	646	14
16	Mississippi State	1-0	590	NR
17	Oklahoma State	2-0	555	15
18	Oklahoma	1-1	535	3
19	Wisconsin	0-0	510	NR
20	LSU	0-1	401	6
21	Tennessee	1-0	377	16
22	BYU	2-0	295	18
23	Michigan	0-0	277	NR
24	Pittsburgh	3-0	248	21
25	Memphis	1-0	196	17

RECEIVING VOTES:

Virginia Tech (195), Louisiana-Lafayette (126), Minnesota (110), USC (104), Kansas State (60), SMU (37), Marshall (31), Baylor (22), Iowa (16), Utah (14), Virginia (12), Arkansas State (11), UAB (5), Washington (4), Kentucky (4), Louisville (4), Army (3)

Big Spring Team Tennis finishes second in District

Special to the Herald

The Big Spring Steer varsity tennis team hosted the San Angelo Lake View team at Figure 7 Tennis Center on Tuesday, September 29, 2020, to decide the champion of District 4-AAAA.

Both teams had come through their district schedules with perfect records, so it looked to be a real showdown.

Lake View took the lead 4-3 after doubles. 5 of the 7 matches were decided by a third-set super tiebreaker.

Singles proved to be just a hotly contested and most matches were very close. The boys side won 4 of the 6 singles matches, but the girls, who have been dominating all year, won only 1 of 6 singles matches.

The end result was an 11-8 victory for Lake View.

Big Spring will advance as the second-place team from the district into the playoffs which will start around October 26. They still have plenty of time to work on things and improve. The first-round opponent will be the third-place from District 3.

Winners from Tuesday include: Hayden Bell in her singles match (6-2, 6-2), and in her mixed doubles match with her partner Zach Vela (6-1, 6-7 (5), 10-4).

Both Eric Landin and Matthew Salazar (2-6, 6-0, 10-6) & Matthew Doll — Roberts (5-7, 6-1, 10-2) won their boys doubles matches.

Landin (6-4, 6-3), Salazar (7-5, 6-2), Vela (4-6, 6-2, 10-5), and Sean Tan (6-2, 6-3) all each won their boys singles matches.

TxDOT to help parents as agency reports most car seats are used incorrectly

AUSTIN — Texans may think they know how to correctly install and use their children's car seats, but nearly 60 percent of the time they're used incorrectly. That's why TxDOT is helping drivers keep their children safe on the road.

TxDOT's annual "Save Me With a Seat" campaign is hitting Texas airways and roadways as the nation recognizes National Child Passenger Safety week from Sept. 20-26. The campaign highlights the fact that an alarming number of car seats are being installed and used incorrectly. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), 59% of all child car seats are being misused. This is even more alarming given that vehicle crashes are a leading cause of death among children in the nation.

"When child car seats are installed correctly they keep children as safe as possible during a crash," TxDOT Executive Director James Bass said. "We urge parents and caregivers to ensure they are securing their children properly in a vehicle and using the appropriate child car seat for their child's age and size."

TxDOT is continuing its free safety seat inspections throughout the year, but this year they've gone virtual. Starting this month, we will be rolling out virtual car seat checks to enable us to maintain the same level of service and provide education to families while following social distancing guidelines due to COVID-19. For a one-on-one TxDOT virtual car seat check, families can visit SaveMeWithaSeat.org and enter their zip code to email the nearest TxDOT Traffic Safety Specialist to set up an appointment. Families will need a mobile electronic device with video and audio capabilities, like a cellphone, laptop or tablet. Parents and caregivers can also learn if a child should be in a rear-facing car seat, a forward-facing car seat or a booster seat, and get other car seat safety tips by visiting the website.

This year's "Save Me With a Seat" campaign features a branded truck that will traverse Texas, covering more than 3,000 miles and visiting six cities to bring the car seat safety message to communities across the state. The truck will be a no-contact experience with the driver utilizing COVID-19 safety precautions including a mask and gloves. The awareness effort will be supported by radio ads, billboards, digital media and social media.

In 2019, 77 children

younger than 8 years old died in traffic crashes in Texas, and 26 of those were unrestrained at the time of the crash. Among children ages 8-12 in 2019, 42 died in traffic crashes, with 18 of them unrestrained at the time of the crash.

According to NHTSA, child car seats in passenger vehicles can reduce the risk of fatal injury in a crash by 71% for infants and by 54% for toddlers.

TxDOT reminds drivers that Texas law requires all children under 8 — unless they are taller than 4 feet, 9 inches — to be in a car seat whenever they ride in a passenger vehicle. Failure to properly restrain a child can result in a ticket of up to \$250. Children under age 13 should ride in the back seat, properly secured in a seat belt or safety seat.

"Save Me With a Seat" is a key component of #EndTheStreakTX, a broader social media and word-of-mouth effort that encourages drivers to make safer choices while behind the wheel, like wearing a seat belt, driving the speed limit, never texting and driving and never driving under the influence of alcohol or other drugs. Nov. 7, 2000 was the last deathless day on Texas roadways. #EndTheStreakTX asks all Texans to commit to driving safely to help end the streak of daily deaths.

The Dallas Morning News editor resigns after 6-year tenure

DALLAS (AP) — Mike Wilson announced Tuesday that he will resign as editor of The Dallas Morning News after a six-year tenure.

The newspaper reported that Wilson revealed in a note to his staff that he will remain with the newspaper until the end of the year to assist with the transition. Managing Editor Keith Campbell will immediately take over Wilson's newsroom duties and Brendan Miniter, the editor of editorials, will lead the editorial board while Publisher Grant Moise considers future moves, Wilson said in his note.

Wilson announced his departure as the paper's staff votes on whether to unionize.

Wilson's December 2014 hiring made him the first editor of the newspaper had hired from outside its ranks. Since then, he has implemented a digital-first news strategy at the 134-year-old newspaper. The Dallas Morning News has been a Pulitzer Prize finalist in three of his years at the helm.

"Running a newspaper today is like swimming across a hot fudge river: You gorge yourself on the decadent pleasure of it, but you have to kick like hell to get to the other side," Wilson wrote. "So I'm full, and I'm tired. My immediate plan is to just re-charge."

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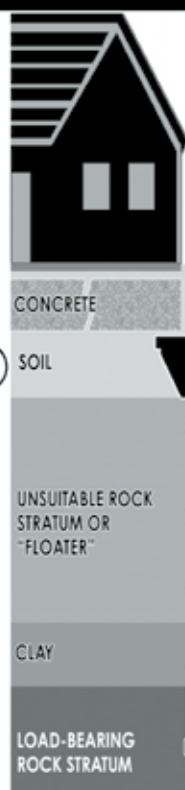
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WEST			
♠	Q J 10 8 5		
♥	10 7 4 3		
♦	4		
♣	A 9 5		
EAST			
♠	A 9 7		
♥	2		
♦	9 7 5 3 2		
♣	8 6 4 3		
SOUTH			
♠	3 2		
♥	K 9 8 6 5		
♦	A K J 6		
♣	K 10		

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	2NT	Pass
3♦	Pass	3♥	Pass
4♥			

Opening lead — queen of spades.

General rules are helpful in the bidding and play of many hands, but they can be self-defeating when they are applied indiscriminately. The player who blindly follows "standard procedure" is sure to stumble occasionally because he does not recognize that there are valid exceptions to many rules.

Consider this deal where West muffed a chance to defeat four hearts. He led the queen of spades, followed by the jack and another spade. When South ruffed and then led the ten of

clubs, West made the mistake of following low. After the ten held, declarer cashed the A-Q-J of hearts, led a diamond to the king, drew West's last trump and cashed his remaining diamonds to produce 10 tricks.

Had West been more alert, he would have defeated the contract by taking the club ten with the ace and returning a spade. True, this would present South with a ruff-and-discard — he could ruff in one hand and discard from the other — but West was in a position to know that the ruff-and-discard would not help declarer; on the contrary, it could only harm him.

All players are taught to avoid yielding a ruff-and-discard like the plague, but this broad advice is not intended to cover every conceivable case and should surely have been ignored by West in the present deal.

West should realize that if the spade is ruffed in dummy, his ten of trump will become a trick, while if declarer ruffs in his own hand instead, West will (unless South started with six hearts) then have more trumps than declarer and will eventually score a trump trick. The dictum against yielding a ruff-and-discard — and for that matter, the advice to play second-hand low — should not be applied when the violation is clearly beneficial to the defense.

Tomorrow: Bidding quiz.
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SUDOKU

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

ANSWER:

Full Warrior Moon
Warning

ARIES (March 21-April 19). The temptation will be to get a diagnosis for things that may or may not be better off with one. How much does it really matter what you call a thing? Not as much as coming up with a course of action to make it all work.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You may start feeling like things are getting away from you, but it won't take much to reestablish your grip. Center yourself, and then make a boundary decision or two.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). While it's depleting to dwell on those wishes that must be granted somewhere outside of your realm of control, it is enormously energizing indeed to focus on what is doable.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). If someone is with you one week and against you the next, then it's not love; it's a transaction. Relationships that are based on an arrangement tend to change when the arrangement does.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). To blame one person would be reductive and to blame everyone would be meaningless. Why blame anyone at all? Accept what is, and then do what you need to do to move the situation where you need it to be.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You're susceptible to beauty. You've a weakness for sweetness, and you

can be deeply moved by instances of loveliness. You'll find uplift in the smile of a certain someone.

BY HOLIDAY MATHIS



LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You'll distrust over-the-top sentiments and will prefer to be shown respect and love in low-key ways. Your favorite acknowledgment will be quality time together doing the things that you find relaxing.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Conflict is easily deactivated. Chances are that this is rooted in a misunderstanding. When you assume that everyone involved started with goodwill, you can calmly sort the facts and figure out what happened.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). It takes getting around new people to know that you have more stories to share than you realize. Part of enjoying your interesting life is in retelling it to people, especially good listeners.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Gray areas aren't to be feared; rather, they are to be observed, tolerated, negotiated and, considering they encompass most of existence, hopefully, ultimately embraced.

Annie's Mailbox

Stop Building that Wall of Resentment

Dear Annie: My wife and I are in our late 70s. We have two grown daughters. Twenty years ago, we retired and moved a few states to be closer to our older daughter, "Melissa," and her children. Our younger daughter, "Allie," lives back in our hometown. (She chose not to have kids.) Now, our grandkids are married and starting their own families.

We have been generous through the years, remembering the grandkids' birthdays and anniversaries with cards and checks. We never hear from the grandkids or Melissa.

Six months ago, we decided that it would be best to move back to our hometown to be near our younger daughter, who is concerned about our aging and wants us close. Then COVID-19 hit, and now my wife is undergoing chemo for stage II cancer. She needs to undergo numerous procedures

that the doctors said will take nearly a year. So, we're not moving anytime soon.

A few months ago, we gave Melissa \$10,000. We never heard a peep from her about it.

We are struggling with what to do. My wife is in no condition to be around people during this pandemic, so Melissa and the grandkids can't visit now, but they weren't visiting before all this either.

My wife feels like she did something wrong raising our kids and is depressed for many reasons. Her 80th birthday came and went without so much as a phone call from Melissa or any of the grandkids.

I feel that we must concentrate on getting through the cancer treatments, surviving this pandemic and moving back to our hometown. We should stop putting so much effort into reaching out to Melissa when she never does so for us. We'll be friendly if she thinks to make a call.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You can take an action, feel good about it afterward, and still not be completely convinced that it was the right thing to do. You'll check back in a year or two. Until then, wash your hands of it and move on.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). The young feel omnipotent. To some extent, the same goes for the immature and inexperienced. This is a necessary state at the start of any pursuit. If we knew what there was to fear, we'd never embark.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Oct. 1). Wowed by superficial attributes, others seek to know you the depths of you. How fulfilling to be so thoroughly appreciated. You'll gain lifestyle improvements as you organize your possessions and time differently. An educational win will be followed by a work opportunity that has your social network buzzing. Scorpio and Sagittarius adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 6, 13, 20, 1 and 48.

And we'll keep sending check-less occasion cards, maybe with lotto scratchers, just to show that we remembered. We'd love to hear your thoughts on this. -- What to Do

Dear What to Do: Send occasion cards if you'd like. But don't include cash. Don't even include lotto scratchers. With the way you're feeling now, every dollar you give Melissa will be another brick in a wall of resentment.

Let her know how much it means when she reaches out, and how much it hurt that she didn't call on your wife's 80th birthday. We're never done growing, and she might surprise you yet.

Then shift your focus to ensuring that you and your wife stay as healthy as possible, especially while she's undergoing chemo. And if you want proof that you two were (and are) good parents, just look at your younger daughter. She clearly cares deeply for you and wants to do what she can to help. You two

COSMIC QUESTION: "Am I a narcissist? My boyfriend called me one. Then he broke up with me. Actually, I think that he's the narcissist, but then he said that is exactly what a narcissist usually thinks, and that, by definition, a narcissist cannot get better and will always think that everyone else is not as important. Hey, I thought that was just being a person. Everyone is selfish. It doesn't help that I'm a Leo though, right?"

Leo does have a reputation for strong ego, but as the entertainer of the zodiac, Leo needs to be in touch with what is being presented to the world. In the way that an actor works in the mirror and does psychological reflection to portray a character, Leo considers it good showmanship to pay attention to appearances.

Furthermore, we live in the age of narcissism. At some point, one wonders how helpful it is to call out a personality trait that, to some degree, so many share. Regardless, you'd do well to make resolutions about who you'd like to be in relationships and work toward that.

For instance, how are your listening skills? One way to combat selfishness is to become a close listener who requires curiosity and balance from all conversations. It's a mighty fine place to start.

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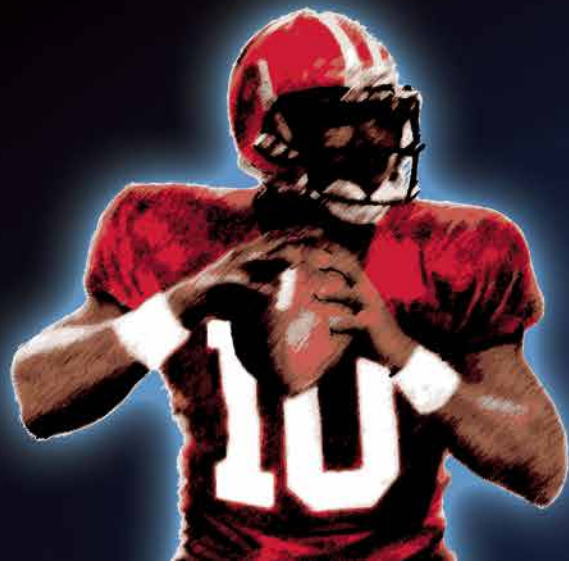
Wishing you and your wife the best through all of this. I'm so sorry to hear that she has cancer.

Dear Annie: This is in response to the column with the letter from "Live Profile." A couple of years ago a friend passed away, leaving no children or spouse. His account remained active and was hacked afterward. I notified Facebook about this. Eventually, I think I provided enough proof in order for them to take down the account. While it might be nice to think of the person on their birthday, inactive accounts can be a hacker's tool. -- Gwen

Dear Gwen: You are absolutely right. Thank you for raising a very important aspect of this issue that I failed to address.

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FRIDAY NIGHT UNDER THE LIGHTS

High School Football In Howard County

Big Spring setting sights on Pampa after Littlefield matchup was canceled

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sports Writer

Big Spring was dealt a less-than-ideal hand heading into last week's 48-12 loss to Lubbock High. Off-the-field health concerns knocked a few players out of the game and forced usual backup's into starting roles against the 5A Lubbock Westerners.

Sophomore Eli Cobos started his first game at quarterback for the absent Gabriel Baeza. As expected, there were growing pains and mixed results from the four quarters that he started. On one hand, Cobos started the game off slowly and threw several passes that either did not reach their intended target or seemed to travel too high over their heads. On the other hand, Cobos delivered one flawless pass down the right sideline for a 27-yard touchdown to Kaegen Mitchell.

"That was a great throw," Steers coach Cannon McWilliams said.

On defense, the Steers had some trouble in the secondary and gave up several big plays through the air to the talented Lubbock gunslinger Brandon Smith. Defensive linemen Elijah Darrow and Toby Galaviz were bright spots on the Steer defense and were able to make several plays in the Westerner backfield.

This week, Big Spring will have an unintentional Bye Week after choosing to cancel this Friday's matchup with Littlefield over the past weekend. They will now be able to set all of their focus onto their Homecoming Game matchup with the undefeated Pampa Harvesters (5-0) that is scheduled for next Friday night.

The Harvesters have been putting up a ton of points this season and have outscored their opponents 256-96 through their first five games. They are set to play Perryton this Friday and could be 6-0 when the Steers face them.

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Wide receiver Jose Cantu makes a juke move around a Lubbock defender following a catch in last Friday night's game.

Coahoma moving past Merkel, looking forward to district opener against Idalou

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sports Writer

Coahoma did not take the field last Friday night after coronavirus concerns from Merkel caused the Badgers to cancel the matchup late in the week.

The Bulldogs last won 34-0 in rivalry win over Colorado City two weeks ago and will not take the field again until they travel to Idalou next Friday to take on the Wildcats.

Head Coach Chris Joslin will continue to have his team ready to go and defensive coordinator Mitchell Woodard's defense should be fired up after pitching their second

shutout of the season.

The Bulldogs have outscored their first four opponents by a score of 157-47 this season. Their game against Idalou will be the team's second straight game on the road and they will look to continue building on the successes they have had early this season in their district games.

"We've cut our penalties way back," Joslin said. "The big thing on offense is the way we have been spreading the ball around to everybody."

That versatility has helped them get to 4-0.

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Courtesy Photo/Coahoma ISD

Coahoma tight end Colin Daniels goes untouched into the end zone for a touchdown. It was Daniels' third touchdown on his fifth reception of the season.

Forsan in midst of Bye Week following cancellation of Reagan County contest

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sports Writer

Forsan joined Coahoma with a late-week cancellation of their scheduled game. The Buffs were expected to travel to Reagan County to take on the Owls, but health concerns caused Forsan to change plans.

The last time the Buffs took the field, they were victorious for the second straight week with their thrilling 31-30 overtime victory over the McCamey Badgers on the road.

After scoring the go-ahead touchdown in overtime, the Forsan defense made a crucial, clutch stop when McCamey went for a two-point conversion following their own touchdown.

The Buffs' offense has been much-improved over the last two weeks and they have begun to put up points after a

tough start to the season being matched up against the strong defenses of Coahoma and Post in the first two weeks. They will try to get better next week before heading into their first district battle of the season against Colorado City.

"We've executed better and up-front has been the big difference," Head Coach Jason Phillips said. "Our offensive line has really molded over the last couple of weeks and especially during that second half against McCamey. We were able to impose our will on them and we were firing off of the ball extremely hard and we're moving the line of scrimmage."

Running backs Nate Hernandez and Chris Mendez will need to continue their fast and hard running when the Buffs finally get their district schedule underway.

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Forsan running back Nate Hernandez makes his way off tackle on a designed run play by the Buffaloes.

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District 2-6A	District	Record	PF	PA
Midland Lee	0-0-0	1-0-0	54	40
Odessa Permian	0-0-0	1-0-0	47	35
Odessa	0-0-0	0-0-0		
Abilene	0-0-0	0-1-0	20	26
Midland	0-0-0	0-1-0	13	42
San Angelo Central	0-0-0	0-1-0	35	61
Wolfforth Frenship	0-0-0	0-1-0	14	42

Last Week: Odessa Permian 47, Abilene Cooper 35; Killeen Shoemaker 61, San Angelo Central 35; Wichita Falls Rider 42, Midland 13; Midland Lee 54, Amarillo 40; Lubbock Coronado 42, Wolfforth Frenship 14; Amarillo Tascosa 26, Abilene 20

District 2-5A-I	District	Overall	PF	PA
Amarillo Tascosa	0-0-0	1-0-0	26	20
Lubbock	0-0-0	1-0-0	48	12
Lubbock Coronado	0-0-0	1-0-0	42	14
Lubbock Monterey	0-0-0	0-0-0		
Amarillo	0-0-0	0-1-0	40	54
Amarillo Caprock	0-0-0	0-1-0	0	18
Amarillo Palo Duro	0-0-0	0-1-0	6	47

Last Week: Lubbock 48, Big Spring 12; Lubbock-Cooper 18, Amarillo Caprock 0; Canyon Randall 47, Amarillo Palo Duro 6; Midland Lee 54, Amarillo 40; Lubbock Coronado 42, Wolfforth Frenship 14, Amarillo Tascosa 26, Abilene 20

District 3-5A-II	District	Record	PF	PA
Abilene Wylie	0-0-0	1-0-0	28	7
Canyon Randall	0-0-0	1-0-0	47	6
Lubbock-Cooper	0-0-0	1-0-0	18	0
Wichita Falls Rider	0-0-0	1-0-0	42	13
Plainview	0-0-0	0-1-0	36	42
Wichita Falls	0-0-0	0-1-0	33	57

Last Week: Lubbock-Cooper 18, Amarillo Caprock 0; Hereford 42, Plainview 36; Abilene Wylie 28, Brownwood 7; Iowa Park 57, Wichita Falls 33; Canyon Randall 47, Amarillo Palo Duro 6; Wichita Falls Rider 42, Midland 13

District 2-4A-I	District	Record	PF	PA
Andrews	0-0-0	4-1-0	226	161
Big Spring	0-0-0	3-1-0	96	85
S.A. Lake View	0-0-0	3-2-0	196	185
Fort Stockton	0-0-0	1-4-0	75	142

Last Week: Lubbock 48, Big Spring 12; San Angelo Lake View 63, Brownfield 40; Pecos 28, Fort Stockton 21; Andrews 45, Lubbock Estacado 44

District 1-4A-II	District	Record	PF	PA
Sweetwater	0-0-0	3-1-0	186	145
Midland Greenwood	0-0-0	2-2-0	79	124
Pecos	0-0-0	2-2-0	133	95
Snyder	0-0-0	2-2-0	100	66
Monahans	0-0-0	2-3-0	115	154

Last Week: Canyon 48, Midland Greenwood 0; Monahans 29, Lamesa 8; Pecos 28, Fort Stockton 21; Sweetwater 54, Clyde 10

District 3-3A-I	District	Record	PF	PA
Early	0-0-0	3-2-0	115	108
Wall	0-0-0	3-2-0	127	88
Tuscola Jim Ned	0-0-0	2-1-0	115	67
Clyde	0-0-0	1-4-0	104	177
Breckenridge	0-0-0	0-4-0	12	75
San Angelo TLC	0-0-0	0-5-0	33	285

Last Week: Midland Christian 40, Wall 6; Sweetwater 54, Clyde 10; Stanton 68, San Angelo TLC 0; Early 36, San Angelo Grape Creek 0; Holliday 35, Breckenridge 12

District 1-3A-II	District	Record	PF	PA
Crane	0-0-0	4-0-0	108	51
Alpine	0-0-0	2-2-0	62	71
Anthony	0-0-0	0-0-0		
Tornillo	0-0-0	0-0-0		
Odessa Compass A.	0-0-0	0-4-0	7	257

Last Week: Lockney 67, Odessa Compass Academy 0; Crane 31, Denver City 21

District 4-3A-II	District	Record	PF	PA
Lubbock Roosevelt	0-0-0	5-0-0	208	7
Coahoma	0-0-0	4-0-0	157	47
Idalou	0-0-0	3-0-0	125	27
Big Lake Reagan Co.	0-0-0	3-1-0	183	59
Abernathy	0-0-0	3-2-0	89	97
Stanton	0-0-0	2-3-0	130	85

Last Week: Lubbock Roosevelt 58, Floydada 5; Abernathy 34, Littlefield 20; Stanton 68, San Angelo TLC 0

District 3-2A-I	District	Record	PF	PA
Anson	0-0-0	3-1-0	122	112
Hawley	0-0-0	3-2-0	153	115
Stamford	0-0-0	3-2-0	133	138
Forsan	0-0-0	2-2-0	78	90
Haskell	0-0-0	1-3-0	40	154
Colorado City	0-0-0	0-5-0	15	199

Last Week: Stamford 54, Archer City 46; Bangs 39, Hawley 15; Coleman 47, Colorado City Colorado 13

District 1-2A-II	District	Record	PF	PA
Wink	0-0-0	5-0-0	222	128
McCamey	0-0-0	3-1-0	205	51
Iraan	0-0-0	0-3-0	20	166
Seagraves	0-0-0	0-4-0	28	122
Plains	0-0-0	0-5-0	77	191

Last Week: McCamey 41, San Antonio Cole 7; Ralls 58, Plains 12; Rocksprings 54, Iraan 12; Wink 52, Smyer 22

UIL Six Man	District	Record	PF	PA
Lamesa Klondike	0-0-0	5-0-0	258	14
Ackerly Sands	0-0-0	3-2-0	217	129
Loop	0-0-0	2-3-0	174	221
Wilson	0-0-0	1-4-0	132	266
Welch Dawson	0-0-0	0-0-0		

Players of the Week



ISAIAH HOLLOWAY



ELIJAH DARROW

Holloway was one of the lone bright spots for the Steers in their big road loss to Lubbock High. The junior stepped in running back and rushed 10 times for 92 yards while powering his way through the Westerner defense and refusing to go down easily. Holloway also added two catches through the air for an additional 15 yards. He ran hard all night and was a vocal leader for the Steers on the sidelines.

The big senior defensive tackle made his presence felt in the middle of the line throughout the night and was responsible for the two biggest hits of the night. Darrow picked up a sack in the game and also found his way into the opposing backfield for two tackles for a loss. On one play, the Lubbock quarterback tried to scramble out of the pocket and to the left but was met by the brick wall of Darrow who tackled him hard.



Coahoma did not play last Friday night and therefore do not have any players of the week. The entire starting offensive line of Grayson Glidewell, Issac Ortiz, Kaden Paul, Kobe Cervantes, and Ashton Kimball were worthy of being named as Coahoma's offensive player of the week following the 34-0 win over Colorado City and will now set their sights on Idalou next Friday. The Coahoma offense has been lighting up scoreboards through their first four games of the season and will look to continue that trend when they start district play. Head Coach Chris Joslin has been utilizing the talents of his big offensive line and the versatile Brysen Kerby out of the backfield to form a lethal offense that will challenge for the district title. Defensively, the group led by coordinator Mitchell Woodard has been great at causing pressure and forcing the opponent into mistakes.



Forsan, like Coahoma, did not play their scheduled game last Friday night because of COVID-19 concerns. They are not practicing this week and the expectation as of now is that they will return to the gridiron next Friday night to take on district foe Colorado City. Head Coach Jason Phillips has been sticking to his ground-and-pound philosophy this season with the running back duo of Nate Hernandez and Chris Mendez handling the majority of the load. The Buffs have also recently begun increasing the utilization of the dual-threat ability of quarterback Major Stockton. On defense, the unit seems to be meshing better as the season has moved along. Forsan kicked off their season against two great football

teams (Coahoma & Post), and those early challenges have increased Forsan's resiliency. The Buffs will now look forward to their district opener.

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STEERS

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Pampa is led by Head Coach Greg Poynor and their senior starting quarterback Jack Studebaker. The senior has thrown for over 1,200 yards and 15 touchdowns through his team's first five contests while also adding an additional 107 yards on the ground.

The other Harvesters that the Steers will need to hone-in on over their next week of practice are the three-headed-monster of junior running backs Sam Anguiano, Jordan Lacy, and Cornelius Landers. That trio has combined for 18 rushing touchdowns and 844 yards through their first handful of games and will be trying to add to that total against the Steers.

Pampa has three receivers with over 20 receptions this season and six that have caught more than 10 balls so far. The main

receiver to watch for is junior Hunter Dyer (24 receptions, 316 yards, 6 TD) but Landers is also a big threat in the passing game while coming out of the backfield.

Over the next week, Big Spring will be trying to get all of their players back and healthy while also preparing for their toughest game of the season so far. Defensive coordinator Brad Harman will be coming up with his best plan to stop the many weapons that Pampa possesses while McWilliams will be looking to scheme up some new things that they can take into the district schedule with them.

The Steers are chomping at the bit to get back out onto the field and everyone is hoping to see the high-powered Steers that we saw in the first three weeks of the season.

BULLDOGS

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Courtesy Photo/Coahoma ISD

The Bulldogs have been giving consistent touches to running backs Brysen Kerby and Isaiah Martin while also involving talented wide receivers Tony Hagins and Sean Striegler in the gameplan weekly. Tight end Colin Daniels has found himself in a role as an offensive threat that always seems to coast under the defense's radar.

Daniels has three touchdown receptions on five catches this season and found himself wide-open for the score against Colorado City on his one and only offensive snap of the game.

"We're trying to make our opponent play sideline-to-sideline and get the ball around to everybody," Joslin said. "In our offense, the tight end is one of the most important, if not the most important players. Whenever we do throw it to him, he's usually pretty open because people are not accounting for him a whole lot in the passing game."

Joslin is satisfied with all of the progression his squad has made so far through the first four games. With the district schedule now slated to begin with one less game played than was expected, Joslin knows what he wants to see out of his players in practice over the next week.

"The biggest thing is to stay healthy," Joslin said. "We just also need to continue to get better and eliminate the mistakes and the penalties. I feel like each week we've gotten better in certain areas that we've been working on and we just need to put it all together."

Coahoma will now have an unexpected Bye Week to figure out some of their smaller issues and install some new concepts for the district schedule. Joslin has preached all-season long about how district games are the ones that matter most.

The Bulldogs will be ready.

BUFFS

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When they take the field against Colorado City next Friday night, they will be facing a team that has yet to win a game and is struggling to find the end zone. The Buffs, along with Phillips, will be looking to continue and add to those problems for the Wolves.

The Wolves have scored just 15 points all-season (with 13 of those coming last Friday against Coleman). Forsan's fast defense should be able to contain the C-City playmakers and this could be a big game for the linebackers to make their mark on the outcome of the game.

Phillips seems to like the current split he has at quarterback with Stockton taking the majority of the snaps after beginning the season with a 50/50 split.

Forsan is currently in virtual learning and will not return to the practice field until next week. They are also not expecting to re-schedule their missed game or to schedule another opponent with this week being their intended Bye Week anyways.

Forsan won this game 34-14 last year at home and will look to replicate that performance on the road this time around.

STATS FROM WEEK FIVE BIG SPRING STEERS

Passing: E. Cobos - 17/39, 130 yards, 2 TD, INT
 Rushing: I. Holloway - 10 rushes, 92 yards, Fumble
 V. Ortiz - 3 rushes, 13 yards
 O. Sanchez - 2 rushes, 1 yard
 E. Cobos - 6 rushes, 0 yards
 J. Cantu - 2 rushes, 0 yards
 Receiving: J. Cantu - 5 receptions, 34 yards
 K. Mitchell - 4 receptions, 46 yards, TD
 P. Dehoyos - 2 receptions, 32 yards, TD
 I. Holloway - 2 receptions, 15 yards
 M. Yanez - 2 receptions, 7 yards
 Defense: D. Manning - 9 tackles
 R. Escovedo - 5 tackles
 J. Ford - 5 tackles
 I. Holloway - 4 tackles
 K. Mitchell - 4 tackles
 P. Dehoyos - 3 tackles
 T. Galaviz - 3 tackles, 2 TFL, 1 sack
 E. Darrow - 3 tackles, 2 TFL, 1 sack
 B. Pearson - 3 tackles, TFL, 1 sack, FF
 Q. Lewis - 3 tackles
 A. Lopez - 3 tackles, TFL
 V. Ortiz - 2 tackles, TFL
 S. Cerda - 2 tackles
 J. Miller - 1 tackle, TFL
 K. Rodriguez - 1 tackle
 A. Ortiz - 1 tackle
 E. Burton - 1 tackle, TFL
 W. Woolverton - 1 tackle

OFFENSIVE SEASON STATS BIG SPRING STEERS

Passing: G. Baeza - 63/104 (60.6%), 714 yards, 6 TD, 3 INT
 E. Cobos - 17/39 (43.6%), 130 yards, 2 TD, INT
 G. Padron - 6/6 (100.0%), 32 yards
 Rushing: G. Baeza - 34 rushes, 214 yards (6.3 YPC), 7 TD, 3 Fumbles
 O. Sanchez - 25 rushes, 101 yards (4.0 YPC)
 I. Holloway - 11 rushes, 94 yards (8.5 YPC), 1 Fumble
 V. Ortiz - 7 rushes, 33 yards (4.7 YPC)
 I. Johnson - 8 rushes, 29 yards (3.6 YPC), 1 Fumble
 J. Cantu - 4 rushes, 0 yards (0.0 YPC)
 E. Cobos - 6 rushes, 0 yards (0.0 YPC), 1 Fumble
 Receiving: K. Mitchell - 19 rec., 258 yards (13.6 YPR), 3 TD, 1 Fum.
 J. Cantu - 18 rec., 217 yards (12.1 YPR), 3 TD
 P. Dehoyos - 14 rec., 157 yards (11.2 YPR), TD
 M. Yanez - 13 rec., 94 yards (7.2 YPR)
 O. Sanchez - 9 rec., 55 yards (6.1 YPR), TD
 I. Holloway - 3 rec., 27 yards (9.0 YPR)
 I. Johnson - 2 rec., 14 yards (7.0 YPR)
 S. Cerda - 2 rec., 17 yards (8.5 YPR)
 J. Ford - 2 rec., 20 yards (10.0 YPR)
 I. Solis - 1 rec., 7 yards (7.0 YPR)

COAHOMA BULLDOGS

Passing: K. Redden - 38/69 (55.1%), 589 yards, 5 TD, 2 INT
 N. Dials - 4/10 (40.0%), 91 yards, TD
 K. Kemper - 1/2 (50.0%), 24 yards
 Rushing: B. Kerby - 68 rushes, 582 yards (8.6 YPC), 11 TD
 I. Martin - 26 rushes, 154 yards (5.9 YPC), 2 TD
 K. Redden - 20 rushes, 114 yards (5.7 YPC), 2 TD
 K. Kemper - 14 rushes, 87 yards (6.2 YPC), TD
 N. Dials - 12 rushes, 27 yards (2.3 YPC), TD
 B. Bailey - 3 rushes, 8 yards (2.7 YPC)
 A. Emerson - 2 rushes, 16 yards (8.0 YPC)
 S. Brooks - 2 rushes, 1 yard (0.5 YPC)
 S. Striegler - 1 rush, 10 yards (10.0 YPC)
 T. Hagins - 1 rush, 7 yards (7.0 YPC)
 Receiving: T. Hagins - 12 rec., 149 yards (12.4 YPR)
 S. Striegler - 10 rec., 198 yards (19.8 YPR), 2 TD
 K. Kemper - 6 rec., 40 yards (6.7 YPR)
 C. Daniels - 5 rec., 90 yards (18.0 YPR), 3 TD
 B. Bailey - 4 rec., 59 yards (14.8 YPR)
 S. Brooks - 3 rec., 88 yards (29.3 YPR), TD
 B. Kerby - 2 rec., 71 yards (35.5 YPR)
 B. Gartman - 1 rec., 9 yards (9.0 YPR)

FORSAN BUFFALOES

Passing: M. Stockton - 10/21 (47.6%), 72 yards, INT
 S. Stallings - 9/18 (50.0%), 119 yards, TD, 2 INT
 Rushing: N. Hernandez - 58 rushes, 263 yards (4.5 YPC), 6 TD
 C. Mendez - 52 rushes, 264 yards (5.1 YPC), 2 TD
 M. Stockton - 44 rushes, 167 yards (3.8 YPC)
 S. Stallings - 10 rushes, 8 yards (0.8 YPC)
 D. Henry - 3 rushes, 7 yards (2.3 YPC)
 Receiving: C. Morgan - 5 rec., 57 yards (11.4 YPR)
 B. Valdez - 4 rec., 44 yards (11.0 YPR)
 C. Hair - 2 rec., 22 yards (11.0 YPR)
 M. Stockton - 2 rec., 55 yards (27.5 YPR), TD

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