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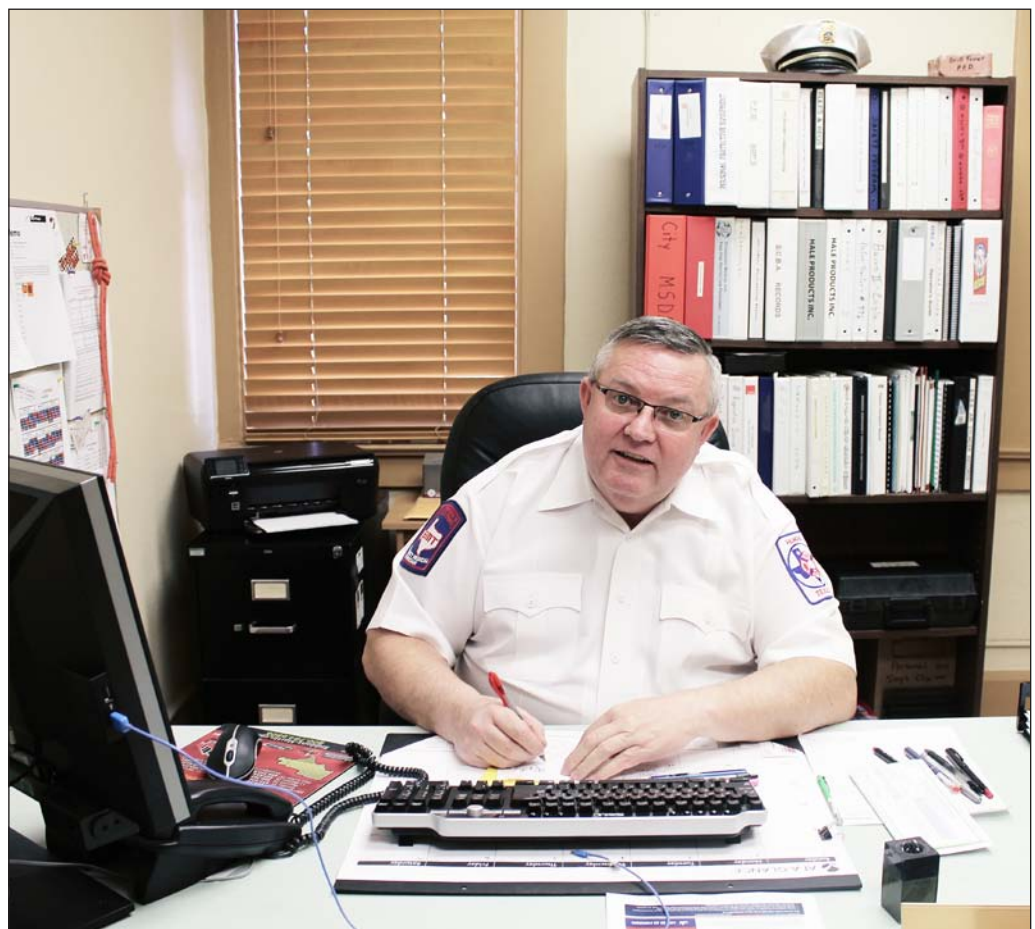


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Pampa Fire Department hires new deputy chief

BY LINDSEY TOMASCHIK
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As many may already know, the Pampa Fire Department has a familiar face in a new position around the station. New deputy chief Mike Day will finish his first week in his new position today after the retirement of Randy Dunham. Day has been an employee of the City of Pampa for more than 30 years now. He started out working at the water treatment plant in October of 1984, and worked there for about seven months before making the decision to transfer over to the fire department in 1985. He will celebrate 30 years with the department on May 1 this year. When asked what made him want to pursue the newly available position of deputy chief, Day said he felt that it was time for him to get off line and continue his career with the fire department from behind a desk. Day hit the ground running in his new position on Monday morning and is excited to be on the other side of things. Having been with the department for 30 years, Day is looking forward to learning the administrative side of the fire service, although he says he is still getting used to not jumping out of his seat and rushing down to the trucks to respond to a call when the tones drop. One of the first things he intends to accomplish as deputy chief is working toward modernizing the way the department keeps its files by putting more onto computers to essentially become paperless. He believes that this will increase organization and help things run more smoothly. Another thing Day is looking forward to in his transition to deputy chief is getting to



Deputy chief Mike Day took on his new administrative position with the department on Monday, March 9. He is excited to learn the other side of the fire service.

work alongside all three of the department's shifts on a daily basis rather than just seeing the other firefighters in passing during shift change. The Pampa News wishes deputy chief Day the best of luck in his new position with the Pampa Fire Department.

REBECCA LEWIS NAMED CULBERSON-STOWERS TEACHER OF THE MONTH



Submitted photo Ms. Rebecca Lewis was nominated for Culberson-Stowers' Teacher of the Month by one of her students. She was given a plant with balloons and \$100 cash. The student that nominated her will receive a pizza party for his or her class. Be sure and nominate your teacher at Culberson-Stowers for Teacher of the Month.

Accolade to sponsor heart screenings for National Heart Awareness Month

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 In an effort to detect heart health, Accolade Home Care and Accolade Hospice are offering confidential Heart Health screenings to Pampa and surrounding area residents on March 24 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at Meredith Place, 812 W. 25th Ave. Accolade screenings take roughly five to ten minutes and will include a five panel screening that will measure: blood pressure, O2 saturation, weight, cholesterol and BMI. Each screening is administered by a qualified healthcare professional and the results from the screening will be made available to participant. Accolade will also provide individuals with informational sheets explaining their numbers from the screenings. Each year in the U.S. six million people are hospitalized due to cardiovascular disease. The number of excess deaths from Coronary Heart Disease is projected to rise from 59 in 2020 (an excess of 9 percent) to 3,600 in 2035. Dr. Arunava Ray, a Texas cardiologist said, "Our patients are educated about their disease in our office or through home health. Home health care has reduced re-admissions into

the hospital by a good fifty percent." "The simplicity of the monitor made things easier and also provided more personal care. It gave me a feeling of comfort that someone would look at my husband daily," Weaver McKamie, wife of Accolade Home Care patient. Telemonitoring has proven to be one of the best ways to manage cardiac patients in their home. Accolade was one of the first agencies in the country to use home telemonitoring to better care for their patients. The monitor is used easily by the patient to daily transmit vital signs to include blood pressure, heart rate, weight, and oxygen saturation to a team of specialized nurses. This information allows Accolade to provide more proactive care. "Like most agencies we utilize the monitors on our cardiac patients. With the monitor, we are able to detect subtle changes in the patients' conditions earlier, thereby reducing unnecessary hospitalizations and ER visits. This type of care empowers the patient to better manage their condition," Maureen Kratzer, RN with Accolade Home Care.

Karl Rove book signing pictures available at TPN

STAFF REPORT
 The Pampa News now has all photos that were taken at the Karl Rove book signing portion of the 84th annual Chamber Banquet. If you have not yet picked up your photos, you may do so any time between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Photos are \$10 for those who have not already submitted the payment. Photos are courtesy of Nikki Shelton of Shutterbug Photography.

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Today: A 10 percent chance of showers after 2 p.m. Mostly sunny, with a high near 66. West wind 10 to 15 mph becoming north northeast in the afternoon. Winds could gust as high as 25 mph. Sunrise at 7:58 a.m.

Tonight: A 10 percent chance of showers before 8pm. Partly cloudy, with a low around 39. North wind 10 to 20 mph. Sunset at 7:50 p.m.

Saturday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 65. North wind 10 to 15 mph. Sunrise at 7:57 a.m.

Saturday night: Mostly clear, with a low around 37. North northeast wind 5 to 10 mph becoming south after midnight. Sunset at 7:51 p.m.

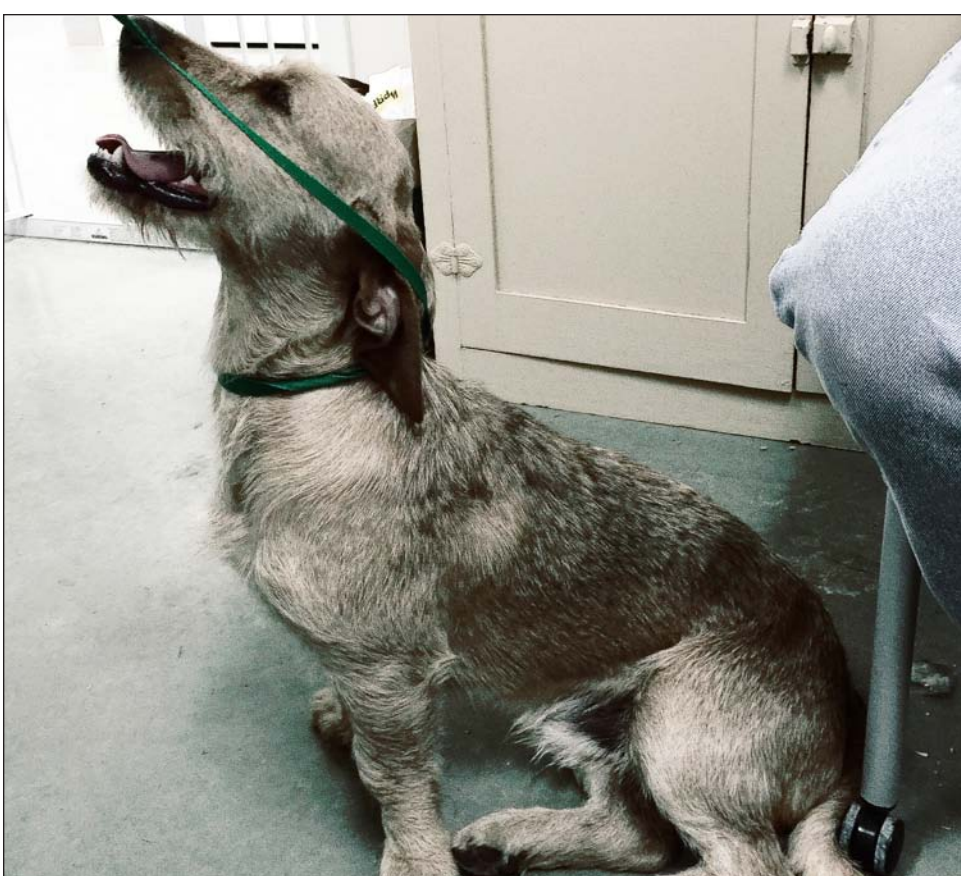
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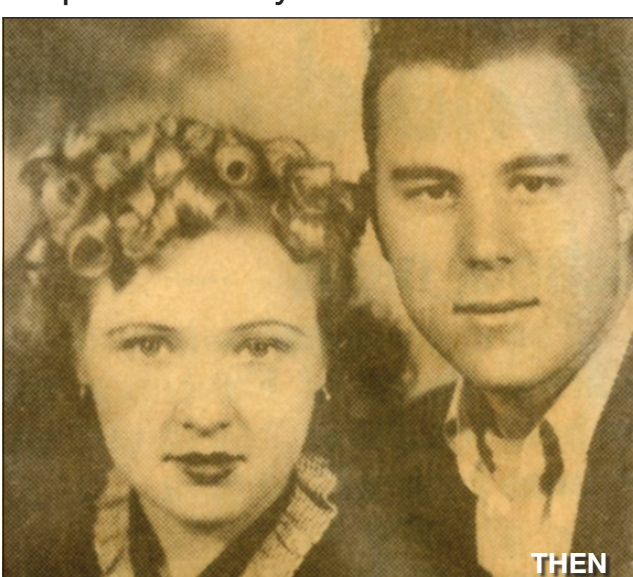
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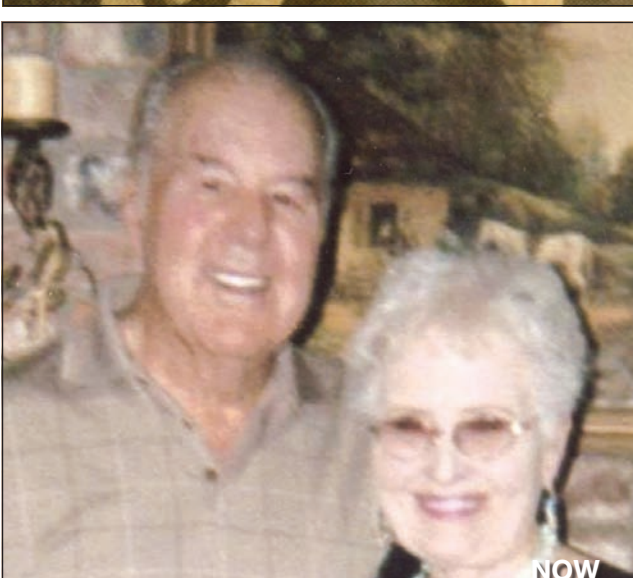
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 This is one of the animal shelter's younger animals. He looks different from most dogs as he is long like a corgi or dachshund, but he is also taller than those dogs and has wiry hair like a terrier. He is very sweet and loving and would love to find a new home. His name is Mack, and you can visit and look into adopting him at the Pampa Animal Shelter during regular visiting hours. The Pampa Animal shelter is located at 752 Municipal Dr. For more information on Mack and other animals at the shelter, call 806-669-5775.

ENDURING LOVE - 72 years

Ralph and Betty Reid



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Ralph Reid Sr. and Betty Jean Anderson Reid were married March 13, 1943. They will be celebrating their 72nd anniversary March 23, at their daughter's home in Pampa, Texas.

Ralph retired from Kem-Weed Inc in 1992. Betty is a housewife and mother. They moved to Pampa from Enid, Okla. in 2006.

Their children are Ginger Duncan and husband Joe of Pampa, Texas, Vincent Reid and wife Susan of Enid, Okla., and Jeffery Reid and wife Ashley of Enid, Okla. They also had a son Ralph Reid II, deceased in 2011. Their children are proud of both of them. They have eight grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

"They said we'd never make it."

Little change at gas pumps

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 AAA TEXAS

COPPELL — As Texans travel or prepare to travel for Spring Break the statewide average for a gallon of regular unleaded fuel remains at \$2.25 this week, according to the AAA Texas Weekend Gas Watch. That's the same as last week but \$1.01 less than last year. Of the major metropolitan areas surveyed in the Lone Star State, drivers in Dallas and Texarkana are paying the most on average at \$2.27 per gallon while drivers in Beaumont are paying the least at \$2.21 per gallon. The statewide average is 19 cents less than the national average of \$2.44.

Retail gas prices typically trend higher this time of year as suppliers undergo maintenance and plan to reduce winter-grade fuel in preparation for the changeover to summer-grade gasoline, which is more costly to produce. West Coast markets have seen particularly dramatic run-ups over the last several weeks due to a number of supply issues. Year-over-year savings continue to decrease in many states as production challenges in California and seasonal refinery maintenance across the country pressure prices higher in many markets.

Here in Texas, people filling up for Spring Break travel will pay about \$31.50 for an average 14-gal-

lon size fuel tank. That's a savings of about \$14 dollars per tank compared to this time last year.

"Spring Breakers taking road trips will definitely see a savings at the pumps compared to last year which will give them more money to spend on other parts of their trips," said AAA Texas/New Mexico Representative Doug Shupe. "As people drive to warmer destinations and take a much needed break from school and work, we remind them to always wear their seatbelts, don't drive distracted, drowsy or after drinking any amount of alcohol."

To help members and non-members identify quality auto repair shops that can assist in the maintenance and repair of their vehicles, AAA offers the Approved Auto Repair program as a free public service. AAA-approved repair facilities meet and maintain high professional standards for training, equipment, cleanliness and customer service. Motorists can look for the Approved Auto Repair sign at local auto repair facilities, or search for a nearby AAA-approved shop online at AAA.com/Repair. AAA Texas branch offices throughout the state can be found by visiting www.AAA.com. Follow AAA Texas on Twitter: @AAATexas and Facebook: www.facebook.com/AAA-Texas.

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OBITUARIES

Bobbie Lee Bond

Bobbie Lee Andis Bond, 72, of Amarillo, formerly of Pampa and Skellytown, died March 11, 2015.

Bobbie Lee was born June 30, 1942 in Pampa. She was a longtime cattle rancher and horsewoman in the Panhandle area. After graduating from Pampa High School, she attended Gulf Park College for Women in Gulfport, Mississippi. While in college, she and Jerry, her husband, eloped and married in Quitman, Texas on January 9, 1961. They recently celebrated their 54 years of loving marriage.

Bobbie Lee was a great mother to her two sons, Bob and Nathan. Each morning, she drove them from the ranch at Skellytown so that they could attend school in Pampa. She served as President of the Parent Teacher Association of Austin Elementary School and Den Leader of the Cub Scout Den at First Baptist Church. In addition to raising a family, she was involved in other civic opportunities in Pampa. For more than 60 years, she was an active member

of First Baptist Church where she sang in the church choir for seven years. She also served as President of the Pampa Junior League and volunteer at the Golden Eagle Resale Shop.

In 1994, Bobbie Lee experienced a brain aneurysm that affected her vision and memory, but not her positive attitude and love for people. She will be remembered as a person who loved others and wanted them to know about her strong Christian faith.

She was preceded in death by her father, Bob Andis of Clarendon; and her grandparents, Guy and Maude Andis of Pampa, and Lonna von Brunow of Amarillo.

Survivors include her husband, Jerry Bond of Amarillo; two sons, Bob Guy Bond and wife Karen of Honolulu and Nathan Bond of Austin; her mother, Vera Lee Andis of Amarillo; a sister, Linda Maher of Oklahoma City; three grandchildren, Elizabeth Bond of Dallas, and Jacob and Rachel Bond of Honolulu; and one great-grandson, Heaton of Dallas.

The family thanks Dr. Shilpa Saralaya, Dr. Leonardo Forero, and the nurses and staff at Texas Oncology and Baptist St. Anthony Hospital for their attentive care.

A private memorial service was held on the evening of March 11. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be to B&N Ministries at P.O. Box 51542, Amarillo, TX 79159.



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Several arrested for criminal trespassing

STAFF REPORT

• **Culton John Yokum**, 23, Miami, was arrested Wednesday by the Gray County Sheriff's Office for criminal trespassing.

• **Curtis Allen Brown**, 23, Canadian, was arrested Wednesday by GCSO for criminal trespassing.

• **Ashley Sorrell**, 20, Canadian, was arrested Wednesday by GCSO for criminal trespassing.

• **Cody Hopson**, 31, Pampa, was arrested Wednesday by GCSO for violation of probation — possession of a controlled substance

— between one and four grams.

• **Albert Tambunga**, 55, Pampa, was sentenced on Wednesday.

• **Anthony Steven Detric**, 17, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by the Pampa Police Department

for animal at large, failure to appear.

• **Jordan Paige Mayo**, 18, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by PPD for bond surrender — possession of a controlled substance, bond surrender — tampering with evidence.

White House: Obama still confident in Secret Service chief

WASHINGTON (AP) — A presidential spokesman expressed confidence Thursday in the Secret Service director despite a new investigation into two agents accused of driving into a White House security barrier after a night of drinking.

White House spokesman Eric Schultz said President Barack Obama was disappointed to learn about the March 4 incident. But Obama believes the director, Joseph Clancy, is the right person to address the agency's problems.

"Nobody has higher standards for the Secret Service than Director Clancy," Schultz said.

Clancy has asked the Homeland Security Department's internal watchdog, rather than the Secret Service, to investigate, Secret Service spokesman Robert Hoback said. The agency said the agents have been reassigned to nonsupervisory, nonoperational jobs.

The Washington Post first disclosed the investigation, reporting that the agents drove a government car into the security barrier after attending a party for a retiring agent.

The Post reported that one of the agents, Mark Connolly, is the second-in-command on Obama's security detail. The newspaper identified the other agent as George Ogilvie, a senior supervisor in the Washington field office.

The leaders of the House Oversight and Government

Reform Committee — Republican chairman Jason Chaffetz of Utah and top Democrat Elijah Cummings of Maryland — issued a statement saying the involvement of senior-level agents "is not only embarrassing but exhibits a clear lack of judgment in a potentially dangerous situation."

In the past six months, several top agency officials, including former Director Julia Pierson, have been forced out amid revelations of security breaches. In September, a Texas man with a knife scaled a White House fence and run deep into the executive mansion before being apprehended.

An internal investigation and an outside panel report both described serious problems within the agency.

A four-member panel of former senior government officials concluded that the agency was too insular and starving for leadership. It recommended an agency outsider to replace Pierson, but Obama went with Clancy. The retired agent had led the agency temporarily after Pierson left.

Incidents of drunken behavior have plagued the agency since at least April 2012, when more than a dozen agents and officers were caught up in a prostitution scandal in advance of a presidential visit to Cartagena, Colombia.

Also that year, an officer from the uniformed division was arrested after being found drunk and passed out on a

Miami street corner about 12 hours after a presidential visit.

In 2014 an agent on a trip to the Netherlands was involved in a drunken incident in a hotel. Weeks earlier, two agents in Florida were involved in a traffic accident that The Post reported involved alcohol. Neither agent was charged by local police.

After the Colombia scandal, then-Director Mark Sullivan issued new conduct rules for agents and officers who were traveling, including ordering that agents stop drinking 10 hours before reporting to duty. Agents and officers have also been ordered to drink alcohol

only "in moderate amounts while off duty," according to an updated Secret Service professional conduct manual obtained by The Associated Press.

The new rules would not have applied to the agents involved in the March 4 crash because they both are stationed in Washington.

Chaffetz and Cummings, whose committee has been investigating the problems at the agency, said that while "recent steps have been made to bring new leadership in at the highest levels, this incident begs the question of whether that is enough."

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Bereavement and Healing A funeral director's grief

Have you ever thought a person was off the mark, then suddenly found yourself in their situation and realized it was actually you who was off the mark? I guess the quote, "Don't judge another person until you have walked a mile in their shoes," is a truism.



TRACY LEE

As a funeral director, I often have clients who opt out of services for their decedent. There are numerous reasons for doing so, and I have always defended my clients in their choices. Some forego services as it was the express wish of their decedent, "If they didn't care enough to come see me when I was alive, I don't want them gawking at me when I'm dead." Some have depleted their accounts, "After such a long illness, we just don't have the funds." Others are near exhaustion from the death experience, "We have been through so much, we just don't think we can bare anything else." I understand these claims and have always supported them.

Recently, I lost a very dear relative. The onset of his death was swift, and I was out of town as one of my children had undergone extreme surgery. I followed the events leading to his death through social media. He became gravely ill and had emergency

surgery from which he was unable to recover. I loved this cousin so very much and admired both he and his wife for their kind generosity to others. His children decided to forego services, stating, "they had each had their private time with him before he passed." What a wonderful blessing for them. I would hope that everyone has ample time with a parent before their death, reality, however, shows that this is a rare gift.

As my parents and cousins have come to me asking why his children opted out of services, I have come to realize certain facts of which I was once unaware. People may not visit the infirmed for a number reasons. Often elderly friends and family are themselves infirmed or no longer enjoy driving privileges. It rarely is a purposeful choice however to ignore a dying relative or friend. It is usually just as painful to the absent loved one as it is to the dying loved one that they are unable to visit.

My heart was crushed by not having the opportunity to achieve a final farewell with my beloved cousin. I longed for a moment of communion and quiet reflection to psychologically transition into accepting his death and offering my final condolence. A vital person who had contributed love, kindness and leadership in my life had passed, and I needed an opportunity just to say farewell and accept that he was gone.

His children buried him without services, and I finally realized what friends and family of my clients who opted out of services were saying. My grief is empty. I feel robbed of my opportunity to say goodbye. The reality of his death seems elusive or ambiguous.

In analyzing this experience, I find that I am grateful to my cousins for opening my eyes to the complications brought on by the deprivation of an opportunity to say farewell to the deceased. In college, my professors taught us the advantages and importance of funeral services. I studied complicated grief but didn't understand how a simple choice of foregoing services could be its onset. This experience has broadened my understanding and will allow me an insight that I can offer to my clients. In short, it has made me a better funeral director albeit a sad one.

My name is Tracy Renee Lee. I am a funeral director, author and professional speaker. I write books and weekly bereavement articles related to understanding and coping with grief. I am the American Funeral Director of the Year Runner-Up and recipient of the BBB's Integrity Award. I deliver powerful messages and motivate audiences toward positive recovery. It is my life's work to comfort the bereaved and help them live on. Please follow my blog at <http://pushin-up-daisies.blogspot.com/>, follow me on Twitter @PushnUpDaisies and visit my website for additional encouragement, information or booking speeches at www.QueenCityFuneralHome.com.

Tips, Tricks and Advice

It's that time of year again, when everyone is getting a little stir



ROWDY LEBEAU

crazy and spring cleaning is in the air. Here are some things to consider when you are making your lists of things to clean, keep, throw out or donate:

Wash linens once a week and spray beds with some type of germ killer, like Lysol.

Some of the dirtiest places at home are door handles and light switches, so be sure to clean those as well.

A more effective way of cleaning is to have a few laundry baskets to carry around and separate the things that belong in other rooms, than sort them out as

you get to those rooms.

This is also a good time to change the filters in your heating/ac unit. It's recommended to change them every six months.

Run a broom along your baseboards before vacuuming to get that dusty build up.

Clean out the trap on your dishwasher, this should be done once a month.

If you hate the smell of oven cleaner or the burning smoke of self-cleaning make a paste of vinegar and baking soda rub on the interior and let it set for a few hours while you take care of other chores.

This is also a good time to replace the filters in your vacuum cleaner. Depending on how often you vacuum, these should be changed every three to

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The Defend Freedom Tour

Patrick Henry once said, "The battle, sir, is not to the strong alone; it is to the vigilant, the active, the brave." And for me, those special qualities have always

been epitomized in our courageous men and women in uniform.

I have written countless times on the need to support and serve our nation's heroes who have selflessly volunteered to serve us. Few and far between are legitimate and proactive avenues through which the average citizen can return the favor and help our service members around the country.

Luckily, one of those opportunities is rolling through Texas this April, and it's thanks to a group called Concerned Veterans for America. The nonprofit veterans and military families organization will be bringing its 2015 Defend Freedom Tour to Dallas, Houston and Austin from April 23 to April 25, so please mark your calendars.

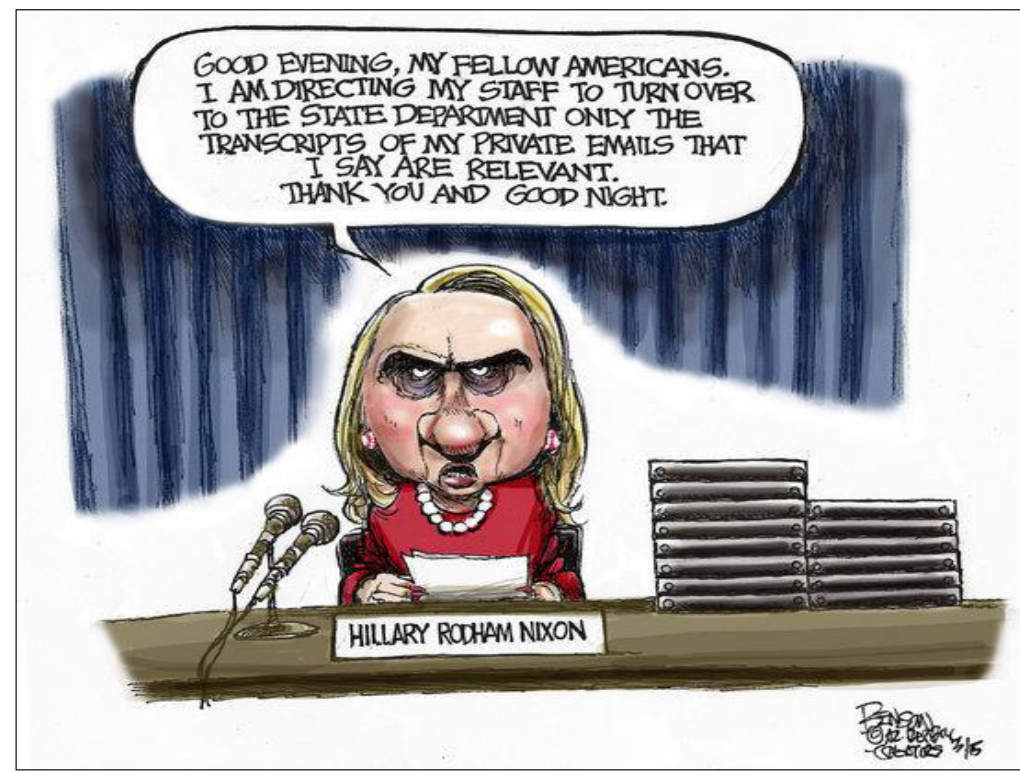
The Defend Freedom Tour is a speaking program and concert tour that is traveling the country to galvanize like-minded veterans, military family members and patriotic Americans to strap up their boots again and fight here at home for the America they believe in.

America's best can be seen in the faces of those who willingly signed on the dotted line to risk their lives in service of America and the freedoms it bestows upon its citizens. But as those of you who have sworn that oath know, things are not the same when you get home. It's hard to find that sense of purpose again, and it's very easy to get your benefits and put your days of service behind you.

However, CVA is one of those groups that are giving veterans purpose again. Its Defend Freedom Tour is working to re-enlist America's best — and the loved ones who fought along with them — here at home to continue the mission of defending freedom.

If you've read my past columns, you're well aware of the many

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Does Iran really want a bomb?

America, we have a problem.

In the blood-soaked chaotic Middle East, with few exceptions like the Kurds, our friends either can't or won't fight.



PATRICK BUCHANAN

The Free Syrian Army folded. The U.S.-armed Hazm force in Syria has just collapsed after being routed by the al-Nusra Front. The Iraqi army we trained and equipped fled Mosul and ran all the way to Baghdad.

The Turks could annihilate ISIS in Syria, but they won't fight. Saudi Arabia and the Gulf Arabs have sent zero troops to fight ISIS. A handful of air strikes is it.

Now consider what our old enemies have done and are doing.

Hezbollah and Iran have sustained Bashar Assad's Syrian army for four years and have ISIS and the al-Nusra Front on the defensive around Aleppo.

Iran and its allied Shiite militia in Iraq are battling

ISIS for Tikrit.

Backed by Hezbollah, Houthi rebels have seized Yemen's capital and are battling al-Qaida in the Arabian Peninsula. AQAP is the No. 1 terrorist threat to the U.S. homeland.

While Iran and its allies are fighting al-Qaida and ISIS, Turkey and our Arab allies are malingersers at best and collaborators at worst.

How explain this? Not difficult.

The Shiites, a religious minority in the Muslim world — Hezbollah, Assad's regime, Baghdad, Tehran — see ISIS as a mortal threat and are willing to fight to kill the monster.

Our Sunni allies won't go out and fight ISIS, because that would make them allies of Iran and the Shiites, whom they fear even more.

Our Sunni friends want America to crush ISIS and al-Qaida, then to crush Hezbollah, Syria and Iran. But why is it in our interest to send U.S. troops back into any of these wars?

Is America more threatened than our Arab allies?

Rather than listening to

allies who are non-combatants, we should take a hard look at the Mideast. To whom does the future belong? And with what can we live?

The Republicans want to give a blank check to Obama and any future president to fight ISIS and al-Qaida everywhere and forever. And they want the United States to treat Iran as we should have treated Nazi Germany had Hitler been about to get the bomb.

But if the GOP platform takes the neocon-Netanyahu line that we must not only fight ISIS and al-Qaida, but also Iran and Syria, the party will imperil its improving chances for 2016.

Americans don't want another war.

And if John Kerry comes home with a deal on Iran's nuclear program, Americans are likely to reject a party that is seen as trying to torpedo that deal, when the alternative is war with Iran.

We do not know exactly what is in the Kerry deal, but what has been revealed thus far is no cause for panic or hysteria.

Though Israel has 200 atomic bombs, Iran has not produced a single ounce of uranium enriched to bomb-grade 90 percent.

Since talks began, Iran has diluted all of its 20-percent enriched uranium and halted production. Tehran is willing to cut her operating centrifuges by a third.

Inspectors and cameras are now in all of Iran's nuclear facilities. The heavy-water plant at Arak, which would produce plutonium, has been halted. The reprocessing plant that would be needed to extract bomb-grade material has not even been started.

U.S. intelligence agencies in 2007 and 2011 declared, with high confidence, that Iran has no active bomb program.

While Bibi Netanyahu says the Ayatollah tweeted that Israel must be "annihilated," the same Ayatollah issued a fatwa against Iran ever producing nuclear weapons.

We cannot trust Iran, we are told. Correct. Nor should we, as history has proven. Moscow cheated on Nixon's SALT I agree-

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Tour

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issues that have plagued the veteran community just in the past year or so. CVA has been at the tip of the spear in the fight to give veterans the voice they deserve in Washington and to shed light on these issues in an effort to push for tangible and real change.

For example, when the Department of Veterans Affairs was blanketed in scandal last year, CVA was there to fight for much-needed accountability within the decaying culture at the department. Its fight materialized in the form of the Veterans Access, Choice and Accountability Act of 2014, which gave the department the ability to fire poorly performing executives.

But CVA is taking the fight even further. The group is not only fighting for veterans themselves but also striving to be a group that acts as an advocating voice for patriotic military families and Americans who support them, on issues across the board. It addresses foreign

policy and the lack of coherent strategies abroad, which has made America weaker and emboldened extremists everywhere. It addresses spending and debt, citing the country's exploding debt as "our biggest national security threat." And it addresses the overbearing government, which is wiggling its way into every aspect of our lives that it possibly can.

But how can veterans fight to fix these sorts of problems? Having spent considerable time fighting for veterans awareness, I found it easy to see just how extraordinary the experiences and points of view of our service members truly are.

They are a special breed, and CVA knows it.

Who better to speak on such issues as the VA scandal than the veterans actually affected by the failed government-run system? Who better to speak on failed foreign policy strategies than veterans who fought on the front lines that have since been lost?

If not veterans, then who? And if not now, when?

CVA is offering a platform and strategy for veterans to make their voices heard.

Washington and the media that support it have made clear that they will only make veterans a priority when headlines are appealing or politicians need votes.

Well, it's about time veterans and like-minded Americans alike took matters into their own hands and made Washington listen to them instead of having it always be the other way around. That's what CVA is trying to do with its Defend Freedom Tour. It wants to build a grass-roots movement that can't be ignored by the headlines, politicians or pundits in our nation's capital. It wants to drive the conversation and hold accountable those who continually make empty promises to America's heroes.

If this is the kind of action and change that sounds like something you'd like to get behind, then join my friends at CVA at one of their events this April.

Each event will feature high-profile veteran speakers, such as New York Times best-selling

author of "Outlaw Platoon" and decorated Army Ranger Sean Parnell, Gold Star mother and military families advocate Karen Vaughn and CVA's own CEO, Fox News contributor Pete Hegseth. These are speakers who are true American heroes and pack inspirational messages of action and change that will leave you with chills.

The events will also include musical performances from the patriotic rock band Madison Rising and country music singer Ayla Brown.

For more information on Concerned Veterans for America or to RSVP for one of its Defend Freedom Tour stops, visit its website, at <http://cv4a.org>.

Ronald Reagan was right when he spoke about those who have fought for us: "We owe them a debt we can never repay. All we can do is remember them and what they did and why they had to be brave for us."

Follow Chuck Norris through his official social media sites, on Twitter @chucknorris and Facebook's "Official Chuck Norris Page." He blogs at <http://chucknorrisnews.blogspot.com>.

Iran

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ment by replacing its light single-warhead SS-11 missiles with heavy SS-19s with multiple warheads.

But as Meir Dagan, ex-head of Mossad points out, if Iran cheats at any of its facilities, we will know it, and it would take a year before Tehran could produce enough highly enriched uranium even to test a bomb.

Plenty of time to gas up the B-2s.

Another question, too rarely raised, is this:

Why would Iran test and build a nuclear bomb, when this would set off a nuclear arms race across the Middle East and put Iran in mortal peril of being smashed by the United States, or by Israel

with a preemptive strike?

Right now, Hezbollah dominates Lebanon. Assad is gaining ground in Syria. Iraq, thanks to "W," is Iran's ally, not the mortal enemy of Saddam's day. The Houthis have Sanaa.

The Shiite majority in Bahrain, where the U.S. Fifth Fleet is berthed, will one day dominate that Gulf state. And the Shiites in oil-rich northeast Saudi Arabia will one day rise up against Riyadh.

Why build a bomb, why get into a war with a nuclear-armed superpower, when everything's going your way?

Patrick J. Buchanan is the author of the new book "The Greatest Comeback: How Richard Nixon Rose From Defeat to Create the New Majority." To find out more about Patrick Buchanan and read features by other Creators writers and cartoonists, visit the Creators Web page at www.creators.com.

Spring

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six months. Prior to vacuuming sprinkle some baking soda on the carpets to eliminate odors.

Vinegar is a great alternative disinfectant for bathrooms.

This is also a good time to change tooth-

brushes and pillows. These are a few of the grubbier items in everyone's home.

Comforters should be cleaned every three to six months.

To keep mattresses from becoming a hotbed of germs consider buying a mattress cover that can be removed and washed.

Another good idea is to use washing machine cleaning solution once

a month to keep down the buildup of soap and grime.

It's also tree and shrub trimming time. Don't forget about those flowerbeds that could use some TLC now that winter is coming to a close. Throwing some fertilizer out and some new mulch before the last snow to hold in the moisture and start feeding the cold weather depleted soil.

Beauty tip: If you are suffering from dry scalp or dull locks. Invest in a jar of coconut oil. Use a pea size amount rubbed into hand them work through the roots. With a boar hair brush work it to the ends while hair is still damp from washing. It's a great natural moisturizer without the expensive price tag or heavy perfumes.

Xcel to add solar power to its New Mexico-Texas portfolio

ROSWELL, N.M. (AP) — Two planned solar generating stations are expected to boost Xcel Energy's renewable energy portfolio for electric customers in New Mexico and Texas.

The utility announced Thursday it has signed

power purchase agreements with affiliates of NextEra Energy Resources, which plans to build solar farms near Roswell.

The agreements require the approval of the New Mexico Public Regulation Commission.

Xcel spokesman Wes

Reeves says the cost of solar has come down and tax incentives have helped to make it more competitive with gas-fueled generation.

Most of the utility's renewable energy comes from wind generation, but Xcel is looking to add

more solar before investment tax credits expire.

Through the subsidiary Southwestern Public Service Co., Xcel serves nearly 385,000 customers in New Mexico and the Panhandle and South Plains regions of Texas.

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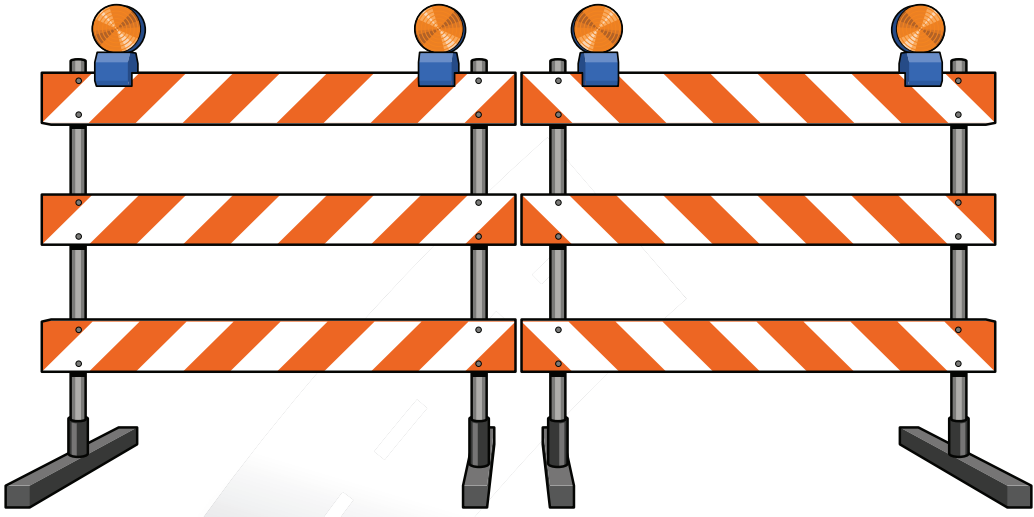
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HOUSE OF CHEER



Submitted photos

Competitors from Pampa's competitive cheer squad, House of Cheer, just finished competing in their Nationals Competition recently in Oklahoma City. The competition was hosted by ASC (American Spirit and Cheer). Competing in the level two junior All-star division they brought home the fourth place trophy. There were teams from Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas competing in the two day nationals. House of cheer will wrap up this season with their final competition, MCDA, at Frontier City in April. Members of the team are: Abigail Ramirez, Analyssa Rios, Abbi Crain, Brookelynn White, Yahaira Zamudio, Ellie D'Jesus, Gabby Lopez, Celeste Ortiz, Semirah Garcia, Destiney Porter and Mariyah Baxter. They are coached by Kathy Rice, Karami Rice and Steven Botello.

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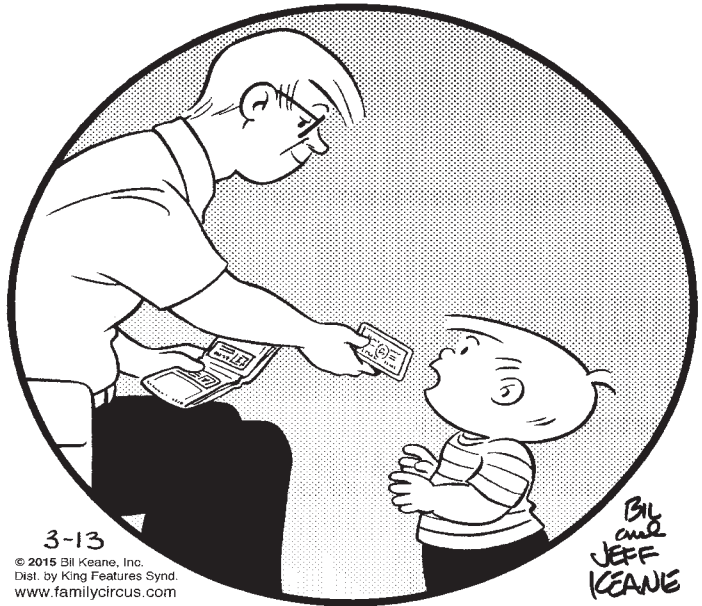
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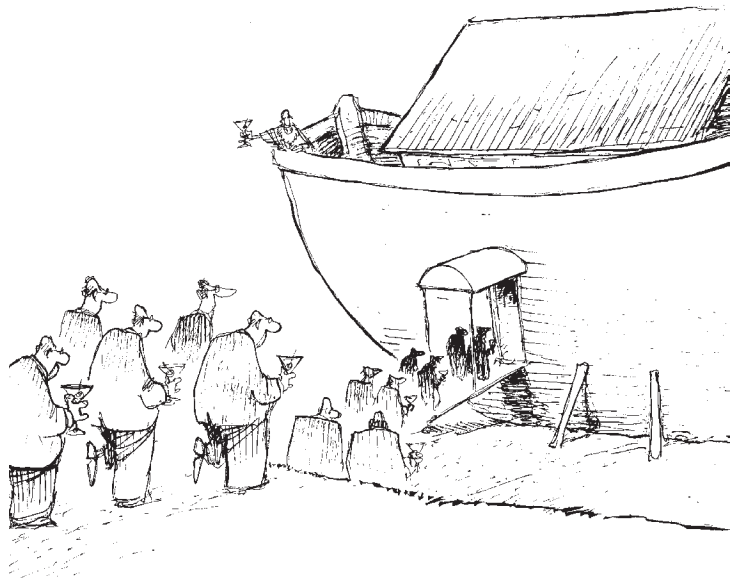
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DAILY Horoscope

A baby born today has a Sun in Pisces and a Moon in Sagittarius if born before 2:40 a.m. (PST). Afterward, the Moon will be in Capricorn.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, March 14, 2015:

This year, you might want to travel less and stay closer to home. Your friendship with an older person evolves to a new level, as he or she plays a stronger role in your life. You generally will be upbeat and positive. If you are single, you open up to new people and different types of cultures. Come fall, Mr. or Ms. Right could walk right through the door. If you are attached, the two of you will open up to more fun, loving and sharing. What more could you ask for? **CAPRICORN** is practical.

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

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ As much as you might be upbeat about a pending trip, know that a change could occur. Your sixth sense speaks and guides you. In any case, let go of a need to be in control. A loved one could delight you with his or her flights of fancy. Tonight: Let it all hang out.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ Take the opportunity to break a pattern and do something very different. You come from a place of security and well-being, so you can take a small risk. A family member or roommate might attempt to entice you to stay close. Tonight: Make yourself at home wherever you are.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ A loved one seems to have been waiting for the weekend to spend more time with you. You could be in a position of having to juggle plans. Explanations always help, but the bottom line remains: This person needs time with you. Make it happen. Tonight: Go for cozy.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Forget about errands and your to-do list for now. Make time for the people who affect your life. Someone close to you might be upset. Be sensitive, yet initiate a discussion. You can't control anyone, but you can put in your two cents. Tonight: Invite friends to dinner.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★ You could be inspired to be more practical and less social. Whatever project you are doing, it is likely to involve a loved one. You might not be getting all the information you need, but your positive at-

titude will help you get it. Tonight: Reach out to a friend at a distance.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ You might be delighted by someone's offer. What is important is that you spend time with a loved one with whom you can relax and be yourself. Remember, this person is human like you and can make mistakes. Tonight: As if there were no tomorrow.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ You have been running around nonstop. You could be taken aback by what is happening on the homefront. Deal with a family member directly. You will discover that you have a lot to do, but you might be making it seem worse in your mind than it really is. Tonight: Order in.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Make calls, return messages and catch up on emails. Once you take care of what you need to do, join a friend. Be sure to enjoy the moment and the caring that exists between you and this person. Tonight: Try to avoid rambling on and on.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ You could be out of touch with a financial matter. You might have unrealistic expectations for a major expense. Be aware that the dream and the reality are significantly different. Consider a way to test the waters without making a firm commitment. Tonight: Chat with a dear friend.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ You might feel odd yet empowered as your ruling planet, Saturn, goes retrograde. You could be slowed down in the process of realizing a goal. Make plans with a friend where you can listen to music or stroll by the water. Tonight: A loved one has a confession to make.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★ Do your vanishing act. Honor your innate independence, and spend a day doing what you want. This timeout will help recharge your batteries and allow for more upbeat interactions to occur later on. Someone clearly misses you. Tonight: Tune in to your needs.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ You might not be as clear as you think you are. You could be communicating on a different level. If there is confusion regarding plans, don't blame others. Better yet, confirm meeting times and places. Tonight: Whatever you do, don't be alone.

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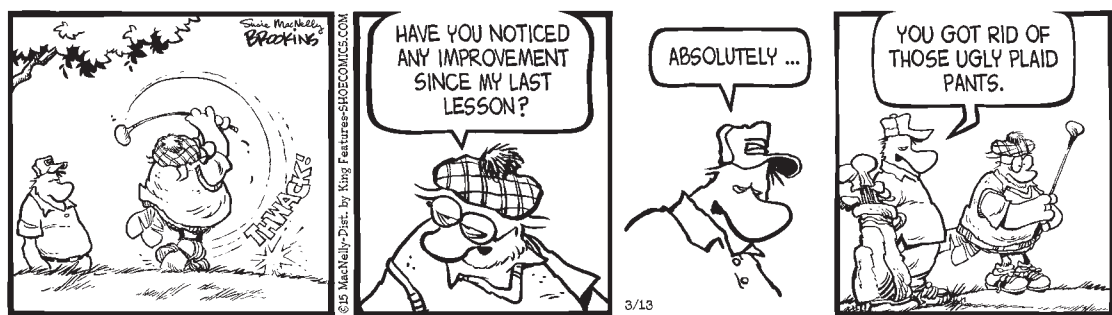
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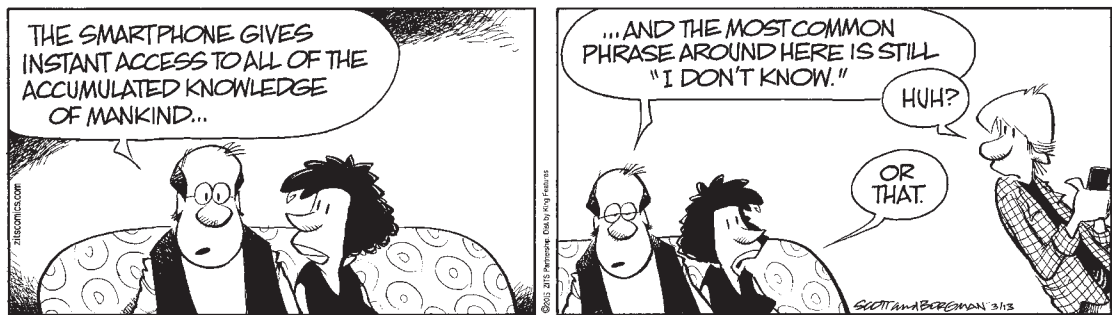
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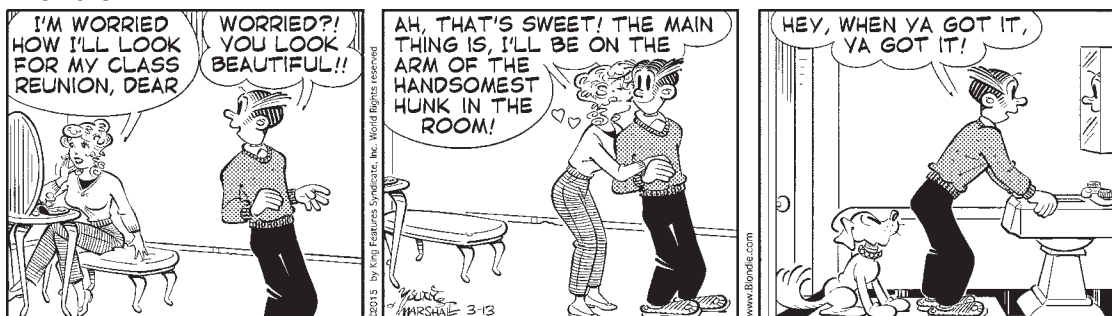
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Community Calendar

City Commission meetings

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

School board meetings

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

Immunization clinic three times a month

The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) hosts an immunization clinic in Pampa three times a month. The clinics are held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from 1 to 3 p.m. on the first three Wednesdays of each month. The first 10 people in line for the morning and first 10 in the afternoon will always receive shots. However, if there are more than 10, they still may be able to accommodate the patients, or ask them to come back at another time. The Department of State Health Services can be reached at 806-669-5323 and is located at 121 S. Gillespie St. in Pampa.

PAWS meets first Tuesdays

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

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

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

County Commission meetings

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

TOT Republican Women's Club

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

Jam sessions every Friday night

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

Meredith House presents live music

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

Monday night dance club

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

PPQG Meets fourth Thursdays

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

St.

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

Pampa Post VFW meetings

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

CASA of the High Plains

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

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

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

Citizens for a Better Pampa Meetings

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

attend these meetings.

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

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

March 2015 DSHS Immunization Clinic

The March 2015 Department of State Health Services Immunization Clinic Schedule has been announced. All three clinics will be at 121 S. Gillespie from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. Each time-frame is for the first 10 clients.

The clinics will be on March 4, March 11 and March 18.

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

Quails Forever meetings

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

Editor's note: Email submissions to jcllee@thepampanews.com. Submissions should be 100 words or less and written in the third person. Please include the title of the event, the date and time, physical address, the admission cost or whether it is a free event and a contact number and/or email address for the public.

Church Calendar

Hi-Land Christian Church

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

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

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

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

The classes are open to anyone interested in learning more about their Bible.

Child care will be provided for anyone who is attending either class.

Cornerstone Baptist Church

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

For more information call the church at 669-6509.

New Life Assembly of God

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

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

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

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

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

This will be effected through small group bible studies, both Bi-lingual services, and bibles."

Services are Sunday at 10 a.m. and Sundays and Wednesdays at 7 p.m. **Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ**

Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of

Christ is located at 1342 Mary Ellen St. Corner of Mary Ellen and Harvester.

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

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

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

For more information call 806-665-0031.

First United Methodist Church

Every Friday, First United Methodist Church will be holding Gospel Pic'n and Grinnin'.

The weekly event will be at 5:30 p.m. at Gathering Space in the church.

For more information call 806-669-7411.

McLean Cowboy Church

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

The pastor is Ronnie Ferguson.

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

10:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.

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

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

For more information, call 806-779-0260.

Southside Church of Christ

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

The church extends an open invitation to all to come and worship where the gospel, "God's Word," is always taught and preached.

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

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

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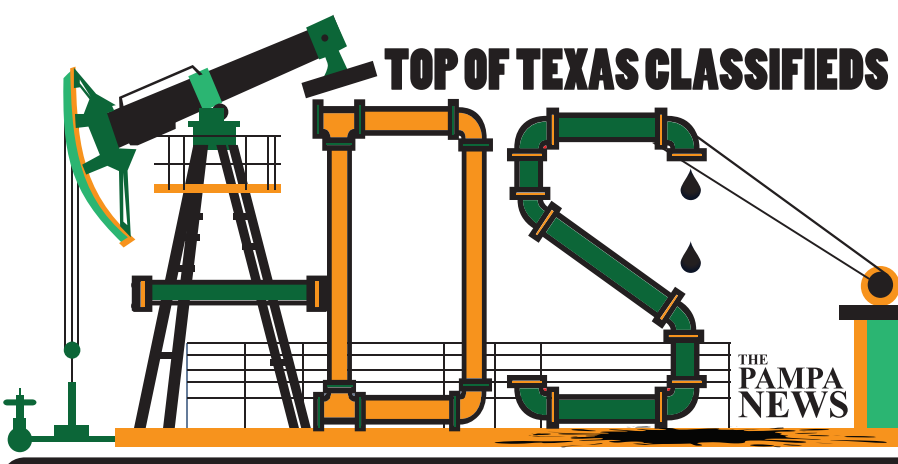
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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: TO SUCCEED, YOU NEED TO FIND SOMETHING TO HOLD ON TO, SOMETHING TO MOTIVATE YOU, SOMETHING TO INSPIRE YOU. — TONY DORSETT

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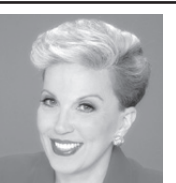
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Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I have been dating my boyfriend, Mike, for about two years, and things are going great. During this time, I have become very close with his family. Both of his parents came to the United States from Europe, and with their culture comes his mother's traditional cooking and the need to make sure everyone's bellies are full.

I have always enjoyed her food; however, in the last six months I have become a vegetarian. Out of courtesy for her, I have been making sure to eat at home before spending time at Mike's house. I can see that his mother feels a bit put off because I have been eating less of her food, but I feel it would be rude to ask her for a separate meal to accommodate my diet. What should I do? — NERVOUS IN NEW ENGLAND

DEAR NERVOUS: Your boyfriend's mother may be put off because she doesn't understand why you seem to be enjoying her cooking less. If you and Mike have been seeing each other for two years, you and his mother should be able to have an honest conversation with each other. TELL her you enjoy her cooking, but that you have changed your diet and no longer eat meat, etc. If she volunteers to prepare something else for you, it would be gracious of her. However, if she doesn't, I agree that it would be rude to ask her to do so.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I were close friends with another couple, seeing them once or twice a week. Then we had to move away from our hometown because of a job opportunity. We tried to stay in touch, but predictably were not as close as when we were neighbors. A few months ago, we were able to move back home, and we have been trying to revive the friendship. We have invited them to dinner three times only to be told: "We have commitments this week, and next week is crazy at work. Let's try to get together next month when things calm down." But there was no follow-up. They do travel a lot, have small children and demanding jobs, so it's hard to know if the delays are real or if they aren't interested in being

friends any longer. How much do we try before feeling we're annoying them and giving up? — BACK HOME IN OHIO

DEAR BACK HOME: Do as your friends suggested and give them a call in a month or six weeks. If they are still unavailable, say, "OK. Then the ball is in your court," and see if they follow up. And if they don't, then realize it's time to give up. When you moved away, they moved on.

DEAR ABBY: As a Valentine surprise, my boyfriend of two years presented me with a donation he had made in my name to his favorite charity. I thought it was impersonal and it hurt my feelings. Am I wrong to think he really doesn't care much for me? — ROSE-LESS IN NORTH CAROLINA

DEAR ROSE-LESS: Let me put it this way, your boyfriend isn't very good when it comes to gift selection. Many men aren't. But more important than candy or flowers is how he treats you the other 364 days of the year, and that's how you should judge him.

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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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- 14 Less well done
- 15 Macramé bit
- 17 Racket
- 18 Big gulp
- 20 Solemn promise
- 22 Grenade part
- 23 Ma, for one
- 26 Brat's opposite
- 28 Met performer
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- 31 NFL Hall of Famer Marchetti
- 32 Opera set in Egypt
- 33 With skill
- 34 Blubbered
- 36 River of Arizona
- 38 Watchful
- 40 Taboo acts
- 43 Greenish songbird
- 44 Finish
- 45 School paper

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Yesterday's answer

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PAMPA Sports

From the Press Box

■ Eagles' Chip Kelly not an idiot, just a risk taker.

Tuesday at 3 p.m., the floodgates of NFL free agency opened and it was quite an eventful first hour and a half. From the New Orleans Saints trading all-star tight end Jimmy Graham to Seattle for a linemen and a draft pick to DeMarco Murray taking his time finding a home, there were plenty of topics to be discussed.



JOHN LEE

One of them happened to be what is going on in Philadelphia.

Head coach Chip Kelly, entering his third year in Philly, is transforming the team drastically and nobody on the roster is safe.

All-pro running back LeSean McCoy (1,319 yards, five touchdowns in 2014) was traded to Buffalo for Kiko Alonso, who is recovering from an ACL surgery which kept him out in 2014.

Wide receiver Jeremy Maclin (85 catches, 1,318 yards, 10 touchdowns) was allowed to leave in free agency and went to Kansas City where he will catch passes from "Captain Check-down" Alex Smith. The move also reunites Maclin with former Eagles coach Andy Reid.

As if losing two players who accounted for almost 40 percent (2,792 of 6,348 total) of their offense wasn't bad enough, the Eagles traded Nick Foles, one of their quarterbacks, to St. Louis for Sam Bradford, who also missed all of last year with a knee injury.

The Eagles were planning to bring in Ryan Mathews (74 carries, 330 yards, three touchdowns in 2014) to "replace" LeSean McCoy.

The Eagles also brought in Walter Thurmond III on a one-year deal and re-signed Mark Sanchez on a two-year deal. They also re-signed linebacker Brandon Graham.

The Eagles best move is probably

bringing in Byron Maxwell from Seattle, though. Thursday former Dallas Cowboys running Demarco Murray was flying to Philadelphia with the intent to sign with the Eagles, according to ESPN. Should Murray sign, that will be their best move of the offseason so far.

So what is to make of all of these moves? ESPN "First Take's" Stephen A. Smith made the ridiculous claim that Kelly is racist because he let "brothas" like DeSean Jackson, Maclin and McCoy all go, but kept under-performing wide receiver Riley Cooper.

So let's actually look at what Chip Kelly has done. On offense he has Bradford, Murray (or Mathews) and will ultimately draft a new wide receiver to help out Jordan Matthews at that position. On defense they added Kiko Alonso, Walter Thurmond and Byron Maxwell. The loss of outside linebacker Trent Cole looks to be remedied with the addition of Alonso.

Honestly I don't find Chip Kelly to be an idiot. He is reworking this roster to his liking. He is getting rid of the big personalities like DeSean Jackson, LeSean McCoy and Jeremy Maclin on the team. I don't know if he is worried about these big personalities creating a rift in the team or something, but Chip Kelly is definitely in control of this team.

There are those out there who also think Kelly just got Bradford so he has trade bait to move up and get former Oregon quarterback Marcus Mariota.

I really think he was unhappy with Foles, wants a work horse not a versatile back and didn't want to give Maclin a big deal.

Why go after players with a history of injuries? Because the potential reward is worth the risk.

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Texas rolls to 65-53 win over Tech in Big 12 tournament

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Isaiah Taylor kept dumping the ball into the post. Cameron Ridley kept finishing plays.

Texas kept pulling away in a game that it desperately needed.

Behind the inspired play of its flashy point guard and bruising forward, the seventh-seeded Longhorns put away Texas Tech 65-53 on Wednesday night to help its NCAA tournament hopes.

"I thought Isaiah's demeanor was as good as it's been all year in terms of running it for us," Texas coach Rick Barnes said. "And I do think Cam is more confident now. Why he hasn't been, I'm not sure how to answer that."

Speaking of confidence, the Longhorns (20-12) can feel a whole lot more confident about their NCAA hopes if they can beat No. 2 seed Iowa State in Thursday's quarterfinals. The Cyclones won both meetings with Texas earlier this season.

"I think we have a good chance to get into the tournament," Taylor said, "but right now, that really can't be the focus. We're looking to win the Big 12 tournament."

Toddrick Gotcher scored 12 points to lead No. 10 seed Texas Tech (13-19), which was out-rebounded 39-24 and struggled to deal with the Longhorns' superior size

in the post. Robert Turner and Norense Odiase finished with 11 points apiece for the Red Raiders.

"We needed some more scoring punch," Texas Tech coach Tubby Smith said.

The Red Raiders hung around into the second half, closing within 35-31 when Turner got a floater to go. But the Longhorns rattled off the next nine points to take control, then slowly extended their advantage over the next several minutes to rob the outcome of drama.

"They really made an emphasis to get it inside to their big guy," Odiase said.

That would be Ridley, the 6-foot-9, 285-pound junior.

At one point, he converted three-point plays on back-to-back trips down floor. Ridley also made a nimble putback off his own miss and showcased his athleticism by catching an inbound pass from Taylor above the rim and dunking it with authority.

"That's the way we should play, inside out," Ridley said. "I did a good job of making myself a presence inside and the guards delivered the ball."

Taylor, so often the Longhorns' scoring leader, was content to be the distributor in this one. After setting up Ridley, he fed Connor Lammert for

an easy bucket and a 57-40 lead.

Texas never let Smith's team back into the game, finishing off a sweep of its in-state rival this season with its 14th win in their last 15 meetings.

"The hole we've been trying to dig out of, we just knew we had to win games," Barnes said. "I know everyone is talking about, 'We need to win this game, three in a row, four in a row.' I tell everyone, 'You need to win 'em all.' Because you never know."

The Longhorns finished with 17 assists on 25 made field-goals, and only had nine turnovers as a team. Those numbers helped to offset some lousy shooting — just 4 for 19 from the arc.

Tip-ins

Texas Tech: Devaughnah Williams, coming off a 28-point performance against Baylor, was held to five points on 2-for-10 shooting. ... The Red Raiders were 13-6 at home, 0-13 everywhere else. ... One of their three league wins this season was against the Cyclones.

Texas: The Longhorns have won three straight after a four-game skid, including a win over Baylor. ... Barnes has been under fire despite leading Texas to at least 20 wins for the 15th time in 17 seasons. ... Barnes improved to 33-4 against Texas Tech.

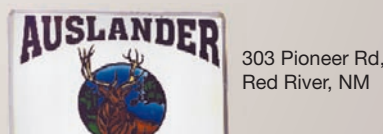
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AAC: Quarterfinal.....	ESPN2 11 a.m.
Atlantic 10: Quarterfinal.....	NBCS 11 a.m.
Big 10: Quarterfinal.....	ESPN 1 p.m.
AAC: Quarterfinal.....	ESPN2 1 p.m.
Atlantic 10: Quarterfinal.....	NBCS 1:30 p.m.
Atlantic 10: Quarterfinal.....	NBCS 5:30 p.m.
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AAC: Quarterfinal.....	ESPNU 6 p.m.
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Big 12: Semifinal.....	ESPN or ESPN2 8 p.m.
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It has a good atmosphere. Santacruz said, "I would like to thank Culberson-Stowers for the opportunity to work here, I am very happy and grateful for the chance they gave me.

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PAMPASports

Pampa Harvester wrestlers reflect on season

By JOHN LEE

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Having sent three wrestlers to state and a Pampa High School record 14 grapplers to the regional tournament, it's very clear the Pampa High School wrestling program is on the rise.

The Pampa High School wrestling team held their annual end of season banquet at the Pampa High School commons on Wednesday evening and it gave the wrestlers and their parents a chance to reflect on the season and enjoy camaraderie with the departing seniors one more time.

After checking in, Becca Ferguson welcomed those in attendance to the banquet followed by a prayer from Shalor Sokolosky.

Following a meal provided by Desperado's BBQ, Pampa Junior High wrestling coach Jason Burklow recapped the wrestling year for PJHS. Burklow said a majority of the wrestlers were first-year competitors and it showed early in the year. But by the end of the year, Burklow said the team had 13 to 14 first-place finishes and says that'll set the tone for next year.

"The sky's the limit," Burklow said. "I am really excited for next year."

Before Pampa High School head wrestling coach Clint Wood introduced the wrestling team, he gave a speech called "Where are the Heroes?" Wood reminded the students that they are heroes, and there is a responsibility to act like a hero and see a hero every day when they look in the mirror.

Wood then gave the year-in-review, which included 14 participants in the regional tournament and three going to state. The three included juniors J.T. Belcourt, Austin Hernandez and Shiann Regalado. Regalado finished with Bronze, Belcourt finished fourth and Hernandez finished in the Top 8.

"It was a season of change, and the wrestlers showed it in their character and humility," Wood said. "If they stay true to that, their level will rise."

After the year-in-review, Wood awarded the letterman certificates. The following received their letterman certificates, Amelia Rodriguez, Destany Young, Juana Salazar, Jaycee Garth, Kenda Young, Miranda Foreman, Savannah Chaney, Sarai Zarate, Cheyenne Williams, Jeremy Mears, Alexander Karson, Jordan Archibald, Cylar Wood, Justin Beck, Isiah Baggett, Grayson Roberts, Tacoma Matthews, Cade Ferguson, J.T. Belcourt, Austin Hernandez, Kyler Kitchens and Shalor Sokolosky.

Next to receive awards were Regional Qualifiers:



Photos by John Lee

Above, the PHS regional wrestlers. Below, the PHS wrestling seniors. They are Cheyenne Williams, Shalor Sokolosky, Savannah Chaney, Kyler Kitchen, Miranda Foreman and Sarai Zarate. Congratulations on a great season to all the Pampa wrestlers.



Jordan Archibald, Tacoma Matthews, Cylar Wood, Cade Ferguson, Isiah Baggett, J.T. Belcourt, Shalor Sokolosky, Austin Hernandez, Miranda Foreman, Shiann Regalado, Savannah Chaney, Juana Salazar, Cheyenne Williams and Jaycee Garth.

The next awards given out were the Most Improved Wrestler awards. On the girls' side, Cheyenne Williams received the award. Wood said this was Williams' first year on the team and he was very impressed with her athletic ability. On the guys' side, Austin Hernandez received the award. Wood added that Hernandez was in a number of situations where he had to fight back. At state he lost his first match, but won the next four.

Wood gave out the Fighting Heart awards next. The awards went to Shalor Sokolosky and Cade Ferguson.

The outstanding wrestlers awards went to JT Belcourt and Shiann Regalado. Both went to state for the third time in their wrestling careers.

The Pampa News would like to congratulate the wrestlers on an exciting and successful season. Good luck to the seniors on their future endeavors.

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