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## DSHS HAS GRAND OPENING



Photo by John Lee

From left, Louis Dills, Anna Arvizo, Sandra Holley, Mary West, Paula McNeese, Deb Forster and Shari Davenport. The Department of Health and Human Services had an open house at their new location at 121 S. Gillespie. The agency moved into their new location on Oct. 1 and now shares an office with the Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services. The office also houses the Department of State Health Services, Department of Aging and Disability Services and Department of Family and Protective Services.

## Winners named in Panhandle 4-H District Roundup

■ Gray County represented in two categories.

**SUBMITTED BY TEXAS A&M AGRILIFE**

**CANYON** - Youth from 16 Panhandle counties qualified during the District I 4-H Roundup on April 24 to compete in the Texas 4-H Roundup June 8-12 at Texas A&M University in College Station, according to Shawnte Clawson, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service specialist for 4-H youth development in Amarillo.

4-H Roundup is a public speaking and talent event providing 4-H members the opportunity to share their knowledge and skills learned through 4-H projects, Clawson said. 4-H is the youth program of AgriLife Extension.

The goals of the project are to: learn organizational skills for a speech or performance; be able to speak convincingly in public; be aware of one's relationship to others – family, peers, state, nation and world; learn life skills needed to be an active, responsible citizen; and learn about vocational choices, career opportunities and preparation related to the project.

Nearly 100 youth competed in the 21 activities, including speaking events, educational presentations and performing arts, Clawson said. Recognition awards were given in ceremonies at West Texas A&M University.

While 4-H youth can compete at the junior and senior levels, only the senior level advances to the state competition, Clawson said.

District 1 Roundup contest winners are as follows:

**Share the Fun Musical Instrument: Junior** - 1. Luke Stockett, Armstrong; 2. Max Engelbrecht, Sherman; 3. Mary Spinhime, Oldham.  
Senior - 1. Emily Boschen, Randall; 2. Joshua Allemann, Oldham.

**Share the Fun Solo/Band: Senior** - 1. Sydney Jones, Collingsworth; 2. Blakelee Brown, Randall.

**Share the Fun Poetry/Prose: Junior** - 1. Veronica Mata, Deaf Smith; 2. Hannah Brown, Dallam; 3. Georgia Bezner, Dallam.  
Senior - 1. Cutter Smith, Deaf Smith; 2. Rylee Barber and Savannah West, Hartley.

**Share the Fun Vocal: Junior** - 1. Isabella Downy, Hall.  
Senior - 1. Genaro DeLeon, Moore; 2. Levi Springer, Sherman; 3. Lainie Dunn, Carson.

**Share the Fun / Choreographed Routine: Junior** - 1. Sedona Bailey, Potter; 2. Chloe Tan-

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## Victim and suspect identified from Monday shooting

**STAFF REPORT**

On April 29, the suspect Monday's shooting case was identified through investigation as Julian Dominguez Lopez, 35, of Pampa. An arrest warrant was issued for Lopez. Information was obtained that Lopez was in Chickasha, Okla. The information was confirmed, and the Chickasha Police Department was contacted and they were able to locate Lopez at a hotel in the city. Lopez was arrested on the warrant for aggravated assault with a deadly weapon a first-degree felony. Lopez was transported to the Grady County Jail in Oklahoma pending extradition back to Gray County.

The victim, 35-year-old David Castaneda, is listed in stable condition at an Amarillo hospital.



**Julian Lopez**

## Notice of appraised value

**STAFF REPORT**

The Gray County Appraisal District is preparing to mail out a wave of new 2015 appraised values.

Chief appraiser Tyson Paronto wants to make sure, first off, that those who receive these notices open and read them. Then, if there are any points of confusion or misunderstanding, he encourages those people to stop by the appraisal office, located at 815 N. Sumner, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on weekdays to speak with an appraiser about these values.

Paronto stresses the importance of reading these notices, as they could pertain new exemptions or a changes in values.

For more information on your appraisal value, call GCAD at 806-665-0791.

## Area vets to offer discounted vaccinations

**BY JOHN LEE**  
jlee@thepampanews.com

When Dr. Ron Easley came to Pampa in 1981, Gray County and Pampa veterinarians were already offering discounted rabies and other animal vaccinations.

In 2015, his hospital, Easley Animal Hospital, and Gray County Veterinary Clinic are offering the same annual discounted vaccination drive.

"The rabies shot used to be an every year thing, and those years it was crazy (getting all the vaci-

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## WHO WANTS SOME BRISKET?



Submitted photo

The men over at Zion Lutheran were cutting the brisket and getting it ready for this weekend's Zion Lutheran Church Big Z BBQ. Tickets are still available for the Big Z BBQ happening Saturday, May 2, from 5 to 7 p.m.

## AimBank ranked No. 37 in SNL Top 100 Banks in the Nation

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PAMPA – AimBank ranked No. 37 among the Nation's top 100 Best-Performing Community Banks in 2014. Ratings were established by SNL Financial, a leading independent data source, evaluating all banks with \$500M to \$5B in assets across the nation.

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**Tonight:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 53. South southeast wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph. Sunset at 8:30 p.m.

**Saturday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 82. South wind 10 to 15 mph. Sunrise at 6:52 a.m.

**Saturday night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 57. South wind 15 to 20 mph. Sunset at 8:31 p.m.

**Sunday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 82. South southwest wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph. Sunrise at 6:51 a.m.

**Sunday night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 57. South wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph. Sunset at 8:32 p.m.

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## AgriLife

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ner, Ochiltree.  
Senior-1. Michaela Smith, Hall.  
**SET Poster Contest:** Senior-1. Ryan Cox, Randall  
**Educational Presentations:**  
**Beef:** Junior - 1. Katelin Berry, Sherman; 2. Payton Berry, Sherman.  
Senior - 1. Austin Breeding, Roberts.  
**Companion Animals:** Junior - 1. Chloe Tanner, Ochiltree; 2. Bryce Killian, Sherman; 3. Miah Zapata, Deaf Smith.  
Senior - 1. Nicole House & Emily Turpin, Deaf Smith; 2. Sydney Grimland, Potter  
**Computer Technology:** Juniors - 1. Connor Gatlin, Hemphill.  
Seniors - 1. Jason Huddleston, Ochil-

tree.  
**Health:** Juniors - 1. Barrett Bezner, Dallam.  
Seniors - 1. Katherine Bezner & Danielle McMillen, Dallam; 2. Brenden James and Thomas Keeling, Deaf Smith.  
**Horse:** Senior - 1. Arianne Cox, Randall; 2. Clay Burkham, Randall.  
**Open Class:** Junior - 1. Brad Turpin, Deaf Smith; 2. *Brycen Epperson, Emily Robertson, Savannah Sellers, Tony Soria and Lorelei Williamson, Gray*; 3. Austin Merrick, Ochiltree.  
**Open Agriculture and Natural Resources:** Junior - 1. Kylie Sawyer and Tess Sawyer, Hemphill; 2. Luke Smulders and Jordan Smulders, Hartley; 3. Ben Bezner, Dallam.  
Senior - 1. Lauren Biggs and Clay Burkham, Randall; 2. Carter Strawn, Ochiltree; 3. Evelyn Baylon, Roberts.  
**Open Family and Consumer Sciences:** Junior - 1. *Jacee Sellers and*

*Keely Williamson, Gray*; 2. Kristen Bezner and Erin McDaniel, Dallam; 3. Kaye Blankenship, Deaf Smith.  
Senior - 1. Shyanne Bailey & Dehle Jones, Potter; 2. Marco Mata, Deaf Smith; 3. James Christian, Jessica Dorshey and McKenna Yauck, Armstrong.  
**Public Speaking:** Senior - 1. Macey Thurman, Randall; 2. Sarah Winters, Randall.  
**Safety and Injury Prevention:** Junior - 1. Ethan Born, Ochiltree; 2. Gatlin Wagner and Alejandro Mata, Deaf Smith; 3. Harrison Blankenship and Cordie Redwine, Deaf Smith.  
**Sheep and/or Goats:** Junior - 1. Isaiah Tanner, Ochiltree  
Public Service Announcement:  
**PSA for Radio:** Senior - 1. Cutter Smith, Deaf Smith; 2. Cole Merrick and Zane McCall, Ochiltree.  
**PSA for Television:** Senior - 1. Isaiah Tanner, Chloe Tanner, Ryan Quist and Alec Jarrell, Ochiltree.

## Aim

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ment,” remarked Kevin Hunt, Senior Vice President. Cody Bivens, Vice President remarked, “This recognition is a testament of the hard work and dedication of our AimBank team.”  
For this ranking, SNL evaluates all community banks each year with 60 locations

or less. In addition, at least one-third of the banks’ balance sheets must be compiled of loans with less than half of the loans attributed to credit cards. The banks have to be well-capitalized according to regulatory standards and cannot have a majority of revenue derived from non-traditional banking activities. SNL uses six core financial metrics focusing on profitability, asset quality and growth throughout 2014.

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## Vet

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nations,” Dr. Easley said. “Now that it’s every third year, it’s not as bad. We used to do it Friday, Saturday and Monday. Now it’s just a Saturday thing. It’s just reduced rates and most vaccinations are roughly 20 percent.”  
Dr. Easley said they can’t do any exams during the drive, but they do offer discounts on all of the vaccinations.  
Dr. Easley said that Gray County and most of the Tex-

as Panhandle doesn’t have a rabies problem, but Ochiltree County has eight of the nine reported cases in the area.  
Dr. Easley said most dogs get the distemper parvo and rabies shots during the drive. Marcy Costley, Easley Animal Hospital’s office manager, said the drive isn’t just for puppies.  
“People don’t realize that these vaccines aren’t just for puppies,” Costley said. “People will say, ‘Oh you know he is a grown dog, he’s three years old he surely doesn’t need that anymore.’ But we recommend them through their life time.”

Parvovirus is one of the more lethal diseases for dogs, but another common disease in dogs is the kennel cough.  
“Mortality is almost 0 (for the kennel cough), nobody dies from the kennel cough unless they have a heart problem,” Dr. Easley said. “Everybody exposed to it who aren’t protected, or even if they are, can get it and it’s kind of like the flu shot you or I will get.”  
Dr. Easley said it’s more of a nuisance disease, but it is still a good idea to be preventive with it.  
For cats, there will be a distemper shot to help protect

against feline diseases. Costley said unfortunately more owners of both pets treat their dogs more than their cats.  
“Unfortunately the owner compliance when you’re comparing dogs and cats are very lopsided,” Costley said. “We see so many dogs than cats. People don’t get their cats their preventive care that they get their dogs. So I try to stress to people that cats also need vaccines.”  
There will also be a rattlesnake vaccination offered that day which will help lessen the effects of a rattlesnake bite.  
“It doesn’t make it to where nothing happens but it minimizes the damage and effects from a bite,” Costley said.  
This is recommended for those who live in rural communities or their dogs work in the field for hunting or other purposes.  
The Animal Rabies Vaccination Clinic will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. this Saturday on May 2 at both Gray County Veterinary Clinic (1329 S. Hobart, 665-7197) and Easley Animal Hospital (8741 Loop 171, 665-7188).  
“This is a partnership that we do with them (Gray County Veterinary Clinic),” Costley said. “We coordinate and plan with them to serve the community. We want to reach as many people as we can.”  
Both vets recommend that pet owners have their dogs on a leash and their cats in a carrier because it can be pretty busy. Even the most well-behaved pets can get a little aggravated around other pets.

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# OBITUARIES

## Ruth Clariece Thompson

Ruth Clariece Thompson, 79, of Ponca City, Okla., and formerly of Pampa, died April 28, 2015, in Ponca City.



Ruth Clariece Thompson

Services are pending with Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mrs. Thompson was born Dec. 13, 1935, in Skiatook, Okla. She had been a resident of Pampa from 1949 until 2014 when she moved to Ponca City. She married Elmo Thompson on May 27, 1951, in Clovis, N.M. He preceded her in death on Sept. 24, 2013. Ruth worked at First National Bank in Pampa for 17 years as a bookkeeper, and later at National

Bank of Commerce in Pampa for seven years as a loan teller. She was a member of Central Baptist Church. Ruth loved to do arts and crafts.

Survivors include two daughters, LaDonna Bohannon of Pampa, and Alisa Gibson and husband Greg of Ponca City; a son, Richard Elmo Thompson, Jr., and wife Heather of Groom; a brother, Rodney Miller and wife Olivia of Vail, Colo.; two granddaughters, Ashlee Orand and husband Danny of Pampa, and Holly Gibson of Ponca City; three great-grandsons, Tyler, Cooper and Evan.

Memorials may be made to Central Baptist Church Children's Fund, 513 E. Francis, Pampa, Texas 79065, or Hospice of North Central Oklahoma, 445 Fairview Avenue, Ponca City, Oklahoma 74601.

Family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday, May 3, 2015, at Carmichael-Whately Funeral Home.

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# Man turns in \$1 million lottery ticket dusted with flour

DETROIT (AP) — A postal worker says he couldn't eat or sleep for three days because of something in a container of flour.

What was keeping him up? A \$1 million lottery ticket.

Fred Morgan of Detroit had five winning numbers in the April 17 Mega Millions game. He knew he had won the next day. But he told lottery officials that he stashed the ticket in flour and a few other places while he and his wife considered what to do with the windfall.

Morgan says nobody would "check for anything valuable in the flour." He says he's retiring early after 31 years as a mail carrier.

### Two arrested for stealing meat products

DeLAND, Fla. (AP) — A man and woman have been arrested in central Florida after police say they stole more than \$300 worth of meat from a grocery store.

48-year-old Doris Rowe and 54-year-old Kenneth Edwards drove 26 miles to a Winn-Dixie store in DeLand where a store manager saw Rowe stuffing meat products and other items into her pants.

Deputies say the manager stopped Rowe and she hit the

manager in the neck, dropping pork ribs, two packs of detergent and three water filters. Rowe fled the store and got into Edwards' truck. Deputies apprehended them at a traffic stop. Both were charged with grand theft and robbery.

Deputies found ribeye steaks, ground beef, bacon pork ribs and a gallon of bleach in the car valued at \$361.00.

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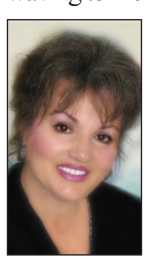
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## Bereavement and Healing Suicide evokes domino effect

As I was paying for my purchases at a warehouse market, I noticed some friends waving to me from over in the deli. I walked over to them and engaged in catch-up conversation. It was so good to see them. She had endured shoulder surgery and spinal injections over this past year, and her husband had lovingly nursed her back to health. They shared stories of their family, and I was sad to hear that they had lost their son-in-law. It is always distressing when a young person dies, and I could hear in their voices that they were heartbroken.



**TRACY LEE**

Their daughter and grandchildren, who live some distance away, have suffered great financial and emotional hardships from their loss. Their eldest grandchild has had to postpone her wedding due to the loss of income in their family. Her younger sister has suffered severe depression so much so that she finds it difficult to exit her bed and thus, has dropped out of school. The child I worry most over, however, is their grandson. He is the youngest of their three grandchildren, and additional circumstances have put him into an extremely dangerous and risky category.

When their son-in-law died, the father of their grandson's best friend also died. Unlike their son-in-law, who died of natural causes, this man committed suicide. Suicide is tragic for everyone who knows the victim, and it puts extreme emotional trauma on the immediate survivors. This trauma is so devastating that if not properly managed, it places other family members at risk of committing the same fate.

My friend's grandson and his best

friend have been inseparable this past year, each relying on the other for emotional support to make it through the trials of their father's respective deaths. Unfortunately, their grandson's best friend fell prey to his father's suicide, and last week killed himself.

This second suicide is beyond tragic and creates a very dangerous situation for his immediate survivors as well as for his best friend. Due to the unique situation of both boys losing their father's simultaneously while relying upon each other for support during their grief recovery, the suicide of this young boy puts my friend's grandson in a uniquely prone situation of committing suicide himself.

After a lengthy conversation with my friends, I suggested they consider professional counseling for their daughter and grandchildren. As it is apparent that she would benefit from their assistance, I also suggested that they leave the warehouse and immediately drive to their daughter's home. Their grandchildren are left to themselves all day while their mother is away trying to replace her husband's income, and it is highly probable that their grandson should be under suicidal watch.

According to my friends, their daughter and her children delayed their grief experience through extended denial and now find themselves in an extremely complicated grief experience. Their eldest granddaughter will probably recover with light intervention. She has suffered personal tragedy before, and she can draw upon the guidance of her professional counseling through her previous experience. She also has her fiancé and wedding plans to occupy her mind, as she has been fortunate enough to receive a generous gift of financial support to accomplish her wedding from a benevolent soul. Their granddaughter, who dropped out of school, is being placed in a particu-

lar program where she will be allowed to self-pace her studies, and will receive grief counseling support through this program's guidance system. The grandson, however, has just been knocked down to a completely new level of pain and anguish, and it is imperative that he not only receive familial support, but immediate professional intervention.

One should never take the possible risk of suicide lightly. If you know someone who might be at risk of suicide, do not take this responsibility upon yourself. A suicidal person needs immediate professional intervention.

**Suicidal melancholy**

If one ever feels overly sad, considers harming, or killing oneself, immediately call 911 and ask for help.

Do not assume that these thoughts are fleeting or of little concern.

Grief exacerbates melancholy and abruptly overcomes one's ability to recover and survive.

I hope my friends are away this week with their daughter and grandchildren. I know that if they were to fall short of preventing further trauma and loss in their daughter's family, they would not be able to endure it.

The curse of suicide is that it often evokes a ripple effect upon the survivors.

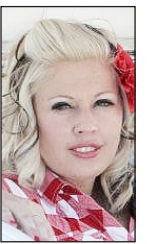
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## Tips, Tricks and Advice Thinking about taking a long distance hike?

If you are one of those people that was inspired by the movie "Wild," here are some things you should know before taking on long distance hikes.

Every year hundreds of people migrate to Southern California to make the trek from Mexico to Canada on the Pacific Crest Trail (PCT). Once a year the PCT organization holds a zero day that is generally in April. Zero day is a great event to attend for anyone that may hike the PCT or any of the long distance trails of the U.S. such as the Continental Divide trail, the John Muir, & the Appalachian. Zero day consists mainly of people that have either hiked the PCT as through hikers or in sections and come together to help future hikers have an easier time.

Some of the legends I met while attending this year zero day ranged from Jackie McDonnell (Yogi) the triple crown hiker and author of several hiking/guide books. Yogi hiked more than 19,000 miles

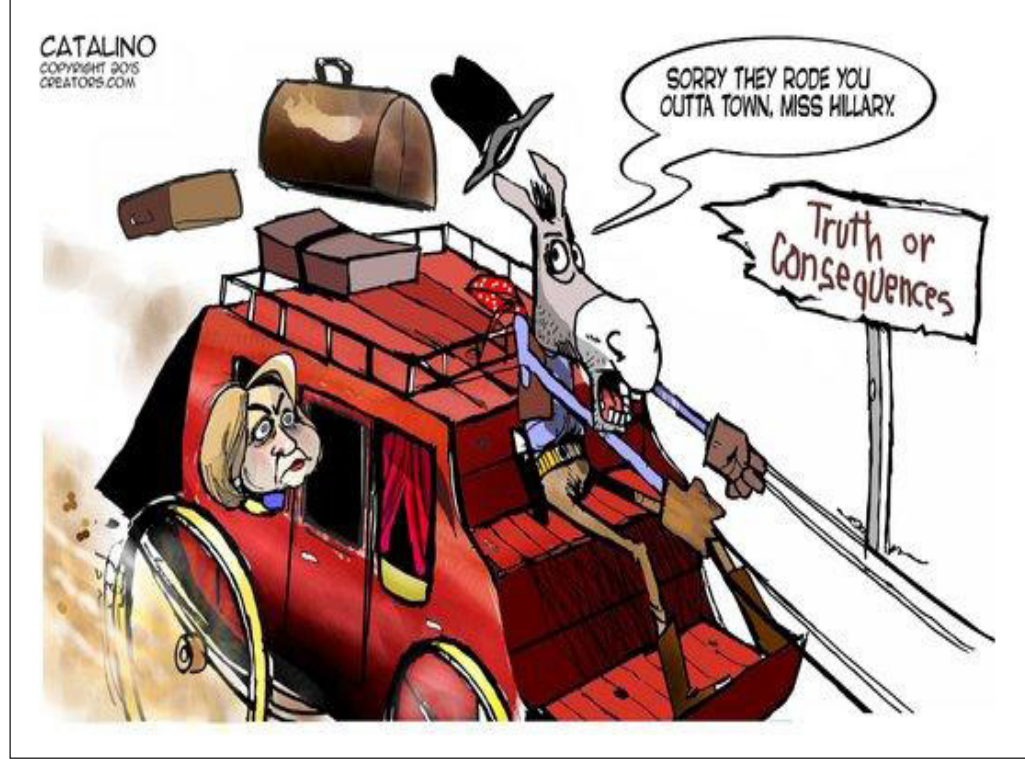


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since 1999. You can find her books at yogisbooks.com. She told me the key to completely these long distance hikes is simply "being determined, if you make up your mind that you can do it you will." She also advised get in shape before you try to make the hike. You can't sit on the couch everyday then hop on a trail and think it's going to go well or smooth for that matter. So start out on shorter trails and get out there and get some miles under your belt!

Another legend of the PCT was Billygoat, who's real name we were not

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## Tell people they're victims — they'll act like victims

In watching Baltimore burn, "progressives" run out of scapegoats. Over a week ago, a black man named Freddie Gray died after being arrested by police. Videotape shows Gray being dragged into a police van. Within a less than half an hour, his spine was somehow severed and he died seven days later.

Did an officer or the officers intentionally or inadvertently cause the injury? Did the vehicle suddenly stop, causing a possibly untethered or poorly tethered suspect/passenger to break his neck? Why was Gray stopped in the first place? Given that he ran from the police, did this provide a



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basis for pursuit, search and arrest? Does this not underscore the importance of police body cams and car-dash cams?

These are, of course, legitimate questions. And, in addition to the Baltimore police investigation, the Department of Justice announced that it, too, would examine the circumstances surrounding Gray's death.

So, why riot? Unlike Ferguson, where riots also took place, black Baltimore residents do not lack political power and representation. The mayor is black. The police commissioner and deputy commissioner are black. The police department is approximately 40 percent black, in a city with a black population of 63 percent. The new head of the Department of Justice, Loretta Lynch, is a black female, the second consecutive black person

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## Biblical values — or Vegas values?

Almost all of the declared and undeclared Republican candidates for 2016 could be found this weekend at one of two events, or both.

The first was organized by the Iowa Faith and Freedom Coalition, and held in Point of Grace Church in Waukee.

Dominated by Evangelical Christians, who were 60 percent of Republican caucus-goers in 2008 and 2012, the Point of Grace Church event drew no fewer than nine Republican hopefuls.

Ex-Gov. Mike Huckabee and ex-Sen. Rick Santorum, past winners of the Iowa caucuses, were there. So, were Sen. Ted Cruz and Gov. Scott Walker. Cruz and Walker are sons of Christian preachers.

All nine GOP hopefuls espoused Judeo-Christian values, and all nine pledged unyielding opposition to same-sex marriage.

"At a forum before evangelical Christians," wrote The New York Times, "the Republican candidates told



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a cheering crowd that the fight over same-sex marriage would not end with a Supreme Court decision.

"Mr. Cruz said advocates of traditional marriage should 'fall to our knees and pray.'" Sen. Marco Rubio declared that the "institution of marriage as one man and one woman existed long before our laws existed."

Onward Christian soldiers! At the second event, however, there was not a lot of kneeling and praying, and not much talk of same-sex marriage. For it was held in Sin City at the Venetian hotel-casino and home of Sheldon Adelson.

Having amassed a fortune of \$29 billion from gambling dens in Macau and Vegas, the 81-year-old Adelson is among the richest men on earth. The event was the annual convocation of the Republican Jewish Coalition.

In Vegas, The Washington Post reports, "a crop of White House aspirants sought to outdo each other in opposition to the Iran nuclear deal."

"Ted Cruz declared that he 'intends to do everything possible to stop a bad Iran deal.' ... Indiana Gov. Mike Pence pledged that 'Israel's enemies are our enemies. Israel's cause is our cause.'"

Now, there is no conflict between being pro-Israel and anti-same-sex marriage. Yet there is still something jarring here.

What are candidates who profess Christian values doing in Sin City courting a casino mogul for millions in contributions, when that mogul compiled his immense fortune by exploiting the moral weakness of Christians and non-Christians alike?

Does not the Bible condemn gambling? Do Evangelical Christians not regard gambling as a vice, and a moral failing? Are not Christians supposed to practice what they preach?

Googling "Evangelicals" and "gambling" one comes across a compelling 2009 essay of Dr. R. Albert Mohler Jr., president of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, flagship school of the Southern Baptist Convention.

"The nationwide explosion of legal gambling may well be the most underrated dimension of America's moral crisis," writes Mohler.

"The Bible is clear on this issue. The entire enterprise of gambling is opposed to the moral worldview revealed in God's word. The basic impulse behind gambling is greed — a basic sin that

is the father of many other evils. Greed, covetousness, and avarice are repeatedly addressed by Scripture ...

"Gambling is a direct attack on the work ethic presented by Scripture. ... Gambling corrupts the culture, polluting everything it touches. ... Why are Christians so silent on this issue? ... The silence and complacency of the Christian Church must end."

In defense of their courtship of Adelson, Republicans say that gambling is now legal. Yet, so is prostitution and marijuana in some precincts, and abortion and homosexuality are constitutional rights.

Would Christian conservatives accept campaign contributions from men who grow rich running abortion mills, or bathhouses for homosexuals, or from selling pot, or from Planned Parenthood?

Reportedly, Adelson contributed \$92 million in 2012, to the campaigns of Newt Gingrich, Mitt Romney and other Republicans. And he is poised to spend more for a Republican president in 2016.

A tiny fraction of that \$92 million, in attack ads, could break a candidate to whom Adelson is opposed. A large fraction could make cred-

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# Rowdy

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allowed to divulge, he stated to know his real name you would have to do some serious hiking with him. Billygoat is held in high esteem by many seasoned hikers. He started hiking in his 50's and is 76 now. You would never know it by looking at him. He has hiked the PCT three times, the Appalachian twice, the Colorado four times, the Continental Divide, and several trails on the east coast such as the Allegheny Trail, Cohos Trail, and Finger Lake Trail. He said the secret to staying young is "keep moving."

Another character I met while visiting zero day was Cliff DeYoung or Ed in the movie Wild. He was the man that helped Reese Witherspoon lighten her load of unnecessary items. Mr. DeYoung is a serial section hiker of the PCT, he was also the statistician for the PCT. He added up the number of hikers that have completed the PCT, surprisingly it's women who have the higher numbers to finish the trails. According to him it's not about being the biggest toughest hiker, it's about pacing yourself.

There were many other seasoned vets there. I met a couple that had completed the trail were 60 and 75. So it's not about age or sex it's about drive.

Other people that were

very helpful that this event include the PCT Wolverines, they hold a shakedown. Which is a site set up for future hikers to bring their packs fully loaded for long distance hikes. The Wolverines go through all of your gear and let you know if it's what you need, should update, or just give away.

Another good source for future hikers is Trail Logistics. Trail Logistics helps you plan out your hike, can setup up care packages, monitor your trek, and basically support you throughout the entire ordeal. They can also get you replacement gear while you are on your hike and have amazing meals that are way better than mountain house meals. I checked out their meals in comparison of price you get twice as much portions for the price along with better flavors. Also if you have food allergies or hate something or maybe you prefer gluten free they will tailor the meals for you. You can find them traillogistics.com

The event is also held so that the current year hikers can meet and get to know each other since most tackle the PCT starting in April due to weather conditions. Don't feel overwhelmed about meeting seasoned hikers here. Everyone was helpful, friendly, looking to pass on their knowledge and experiences. You can get more information about next year's event along with other helpful information at [www.pcta.org](http://www.pcta.org)

# Elder

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to run the Department of Justice. And, of course, the president of United States is black.

There's every reason, therefore, to believe that the investigations will be full, complete and thorough. This does not mean that the results will please everyone, but that the examination will be fair and open. After all, if a wildly popular mayor who received 84 percent of the vote cannot be trusted, who can?

This isn't Mississippi in 1955, where Emmett Till, a 14-year-old boy, was brutally murdered, only to have the obviously guilty killers acquitted by an all-white jury. This is not the 60s of white-run cities, with nearly all-white police departments policing all-black communities. In New York City, for example, most officers are people of color. Los Angeles had back-to-back black police chiefs, and as with New York City, the majority of L.A.'s street cops are people of color or women.

And it is not true, as some protestors claim, that "it doesn't happen the other way around." In Mobile,

Alabama, in 2012, a black police officer shot and killed a white teenager. The white teen, high on drugs, was completely nude, and still the officer — fearing for his life — shot and killed the suspect. An investigation cleared the cop and — despite public pressure — a grand jury refused to indict him. No cameras. No CNN.

Just two days after Ferguson police officer Darren Wilson shot and killed Michael Brown in Ferguson, Missouri, a "not white" cop in Salt Lake City, Utah, shot and killed an unarmed 20-year-old man whose race has been described as Hispanic. The family of the dead man believes that the cop is a murderer. No cameras. No CNN.

So, why riot in Baltimore? The answer is that for some people facts and reason don't matter. It's about anger, excitement, disruption. Some call it a "subculture." Others say these are "at-risk youth." Still others call it the "underclass." But the 800-pound elephant in the room is the absence of fathers — responsible, involved fathers. Obama has said that a child growing up without a father is 20 times more likely to end up in jail. Today over 70 percent of black children are born to

unwed mothers compared to 25 percent in the 1965.

To earn their near-monolithic 95-percent black vote, the Democratic Party repeatedly tells blacks of their continued oppression. During the 2012 election, Democratic National Committee chair, Debbie Wasserman Schultz, accused Republicans of seeking to "literally drag us all the way back to Jim Crow laws."

So, when a questionable white cop/black suspect takes place, some people, conditioned to react with anger and distrust, lash out — it's "us against them" and "they are trying to oppress us."

Come election time, Democrats fan and exploit this anger. Rep. Charlie Rangel, D-N.Y., for example, made this accusation in his last race: "Everything we believe in, everything we believe in (Republicans) hate. They don't disagree — they hate. ... Some of them believe that slavery isn't over and that they won the Civil War." This is how Democrats get 95 percent of blacks to vote one way -? by telling them the other side is evil, that "the system" is corrupt and racist. So when a Freddy Gray, in police custody, turns up dead under suspicious circumstances,

some will take to the streets to vent that "slavery isn't over."

Yes, Martin Luther King Jr. said, "A riot is the language of the unheard." When he said that, none of America's major cities had a black mayor. The country did not have back-to-back black attorneys general. The country did not have a black president elected — and reelected.? Baltimore's riot is the tragic language of modern welfare state.

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# Vegas

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ible a candidate who would otherwise be an also-ran who would not survive the first primary.

With that kind of money on offer, the temptation to tailor one's views to accommodate Adelson is great. But it is a temptation.

In this tale of two cities this weekend, Waukee and Vegas, we may be witnessing a shift in moral power in the Grand Old Party.

It is hard to imagine that the Moral Majority of Rev. Jerry Falwell in the Reagan years would have been comfortable with the ascendancy of Sheldon Adelson in the Republican Party hierarchy.

And as America appears to be accommodating herself to same-sex marriage, do the Family Research Council and Focus on the Family have the same following they once did?

When the Iowa caucuses are behind us, and the nominee chosen, will the Republican ticket still be eager to be associated with the Iowa Faith and Freedom Council? Or will the ticket be putting the social issues on a back shelf for the November election?

Is the triumph of Vegas values over Biblical values inevitable?

Patrick J. Buchanan is the author of the new book "The Greatest Comeback: How Richard Nixon Rose From Defeat to Create the New Majority."

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# Annual wheat field day set for May 21 at Bushland research facilities

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AMARILLO — Wheat updates on everything from new varieties to food quality to dual-purpose management will be highlighted at the annual Wheat Field Day on May 21 near Bushland.

The free event will begin with registration at 8:30 a.m. in the Porter Wheat Building at the Conservation and Production Laboratory, which is operated by Texas A&M AgriLife Research and the U.S. Department of Agriculture Agricultural Research Service.

Tours and indoor presentations will run from 9 a.m. to 2:15 p.m., and include a lunch sponsored by the Texas Wheat Producers Board. Drinks and donuts will be provided throughout the day by Attebury Grain.

Three Texas Department of Agriculture continuing education credits will be offered for private pesticide applicators — one general and two integrated pest management — and five certified crop advisor units will be offered in nutrient management, soil and water management, integrated pest management, crop management and manure manage-

ment.

Producers will be able to see historic, current and new varieties growing in the field, said Dr. Jackie Rudd, AgriLife Research wheat breeder in Amarillo. The two newest varieties that will be highlighted are TAM 114, released because of its exceptional baking quality, and TAM 204, released for grazing and dual purpose use also as grain.

“Variety selection is one of the most important decisions a producer can make,” said Dr. Jourdan Bell, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service agronomist in Amarillo. “Selecting a variety based on yield potential as well as the variety’s disease and insect resistance and/or tolerance, lodging and drought tolerance can enhance yield and ultimately minimize risk.”

In addition to having the traditionally strong program on wheat breeding, this year more emphasis has been added on the relationship between wheat in the High Plains and the cattle industry, said Dr. Qingwu Xue, AgriLife Research crop physiologist in Amarillo.

While about 3 million acres of wheat are planted each year in this region on average, only about 1.6 million acres are harvested for grain, Bell said. Crop failure accounts for some loss, but the majority of the non-harvested acreage is directed toward annual grazing for stocker cattle.

Guest speakers for the indoor portion of the field day will be Dr. Steve Amosson, AgriLife Extension economist in Amarillo, discussing “The

Importance of Agriculture and Small Grains to the Texas High Plains,” and Dr. Joseph Awika, with Texas A&M’s Cereal Quality Laboratory in College Station, discussing “Wheat Quality — Importance, Measurements and Progress.”

The tours have been divided up to look at irrigated and dryland variety trials and breeding nurseries, rotational practices on terraces, plant pathology plots and irrigation management, and management for dual-purpose grazing/grain production.

Tour topics and speakers will be:

– Small grains forage trial, Dr. Clark Neely, AgriLife Extension state small grains and oilseeds specialist, College Station.

– Rapid estimation of forage growth rate, Dr. Srirama Reddy, AgriLife Research assistant research scientist in wheat breeding, Amarillo.

– Wheat variety trials in the High Plains, Bell.

– New TAM wheat varieties, Rudd.

– Using wheat in rotations to conserve soil and water, Dr. Louis Baumhardt, USDA-ARS soil scientist, Bushland.

– Long-term soil nitrogen availability and dryland wheat nitrogen requirements, Dr. Robert Schwartz, USDA-ARS soil scientist, Bushland.

– Drought tolerance in the new wheat varieties, Xue.

– New sensor technology and variable rate irrigation, Luke Britten, USDA-ARS technician, Bushland.

– Wheat streak mosaic virus, Dr. Charlie Rush, AgriLife Research plant pathologist, Amarillo.

– Other diseases in wheat, Dr. Ron French, AgriLife Extension plant pathologist, Amarillo.

– Greenbug and wheat curl mite dam-

age and control, Dr. Ed Bynum, AgriLife Extension entomologist; and genetic resistance, Dr. Shuyu Liu, AgriLife Research small gains geneticist, and Dr. Chor Tee Tan, AgriLife Research assistant research scientist, all of Amarillo.

– Wheat grazing research: Use of resistant varieties and planting date study, Dr. Jacob Price, AgriLife Research senior research associate, Amarillo.

– Supplementation to improve cattle performance on wheat pasture, Dr. Jenny Jennings, AgriLife Research beef nutritionist, Amarillo.

Also available inside during registration and the morning program will be booths featuring plant disease and pest diagnostics, tables with AgriLife Extension publications and seed company brochures, and selected research posters.

Other indoor and lunch speakers will include:

– Texas Wheat Producers Board update, Katie Heinrich, director of communications and producer relations in Amarillo.

– USDA-ARS update, Dr. Larry Chandler, USDA-ARS Northern Plains Area director, Fort Collins, Colorado.

– AgriLife wheat research, Dr. Bill McCutchen, AgriLife Research associate director, College Station.

– The making of a TAM wheat variety, Rudd.

The coordinators said several area businesses have donated items for door prizes, including Sunray Co-op, Syngenta, Crop Production Services, Wylie Sprayers and Bayer CropScience.

For more information, contact Bell at 806-677-5600 or Jourdan.bell@ag.tamu.edu; Xue at 806-354-5803, qxue@ag.tamu.edu; or Rudd, 806-677-5600, jcrudd@ag.tamu.edu.

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## Nepal may let Everest climbs restart despite massive quake

KATHMANDU, Nepal (AP) — Despite a massive 7.8 magnitude earthquake that triggered a landslide that killed 19 people at Everest base camp, govern-

ment and trekking officials in Nepal said Thursday that expeditions to summit Mt. Everest may resume if climbers decide to go ahead.

“The route damaged by the avalanche and the ropes can be fixed by next week,” Tushi Prasad Gautam, chief of Nepal’s Tourism Department said, adding there was

still time left to attempt to scale the peak. Bad weather normally ends the Everest summit season in mid-to-end May.

The climbers and Sherpas who were attempting to summit from the north face of the mountain, in Tibet, have already packed their gear and left after Chinese authorities closed all climbing for the spring season.

But in Nepal, Gautam said, “the time for the expedition teams can be extended to June if necessary. Most of the teams are still in the region and many are still undecided if they are going to abandon.”

Several Sherpa guides are willing to go back to work if the expeditions resume.

Ang Tshering Sherpa, president of Nepal Mountaineering Association, the umbrella body of mountaineering agencies and climbers in Nepal, said some expeditions are still debating what to do.

It was not clear how many teams had decided to quit or stay back on the mountain. Tshering was more pessimistic than the tourism official about their prospects.

“It does look like it is going to be difficult for the expeditions that decide to continue. The route above the base camp has been destroyed by the avalanche,” Tshering said.

“The future of the Everest climb this season is quite uncertain,” he said, adding that Sherpas were worried the season may be over.

Despite the terrible dangers of their jobs — a year rarely passes without at least one death on Everest — the Sherpas, once among the poorest and most isolated people of Nepal, also now have schools, cellphones and their own middle class.

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# Obama aide, Baltimore native says worst may be over

WASHINGTON (AP) — The leader of President Barack Obama's initiative for minority males says it has been painful to watch violence and looting unfold in his Baltimore hometown, but he feels optimistic that the worst is over.

Broderick Johnson, an assistant to the president, commended the efforts of ordinary people who he said are rejecting violence and trying to help restore peace after protests left more than a dozen police officers injured as businesses were looted, pelted with rocks or set ablaze hours after the funeral for 25-year-old Freddie Gray, who died in police custody. "That filled me with a lot of hope and it reminded me that there are a lot of wonderful things about the people who grow up in Baltimore," Johnson said in an interview.

But what happened Monday night was a little surreal for Johnson, who heads the

minority-male initiative Obama named My Brother's Keeper.

"I was 12 years old during the 1968 riots in Baltimore so it just reminded me of images that I thought I'd never see again," Johnson said as he recalled regular shopping trips to a mall that was looted and watching on television as the CVS drugstore in the neighborhood where an aunt still lives went up in smoke and flames.

"So it was very painful to see all of that and to realize that in many respects a lot of the same issues are still there," he said.

Tensions across Baltimore seemed to ease after the city cleared its first two nights of a weeklong curfew without repeated widespread violence. Thousands of police and National Guard troops are policing city streets to keep the peace and prevent any new outbreaks of violence.

Obama sent Johnson to represent the administration Monday at Gray's funeral,

which was held, coincidentally, at the church that Johnson's late mother attended. He had already returned to the White House when the situation about an hour's drive north of Washington spiraled out of control.

"Like everyone else who wasn't there, I was noticing what was happening because of the coverage it was starting to get," said Johnson, who is the secretary to Obama's Cabinet.

Johnson also attended the funeral for Michael Brown, the unarmed, black 18-year-old whose shooting death in Ferguson, Missouri, last year by a white police officer thrust the issue of law enforcement treatment of black males and the minority communities they protect to the forefront.

Johnson said it was emotional in both cases to see all the young people filing past the casket of a contemporary.

"This was a reminder of how far too often you've got young people attending funerals, something that's been happening, you know, not just in the past couple years, something that's been the case for far too long," he said. "But that's a jarring image. Very much so."

Obama said the situation has been a "slow-rolling crisis" for a long time. "This is not new, and we shouldn't pretend that it's new," he said.

Besides his duties as the Cabinet secretary, Johnson also leads the My Brother's Keeper Task Force.

Obama, who grew up without his father and says he drifted as a young man, created the year-old initiative to help young men of color. Businesses, foundations and community groups coordinate spending to develop or support programs to increase educational and other opportunities for boys and young men of color.

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# The PAMPA NEWS Community Calendar

## City Commission meetings

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

## Free estate planning workshop coming to Pampa

CLA Estate Services is hosting a free Estate Planning Workshop Tuesday, March 31 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at The Plaza Restaurant located at 1201 N. Hobart St. in Pampa. The workshop will provide valuable information for seniors on securing one's estate and retirement planning. Guests will receive a workbook and gain useful information on: pros and cons of wills and trusts; how to avoid probate; long term health care concerns; and tax reduction planning. Please call 1-866-252-8721 to RSVP.

## School board meetings

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

## Immunization clinic three times a

## month

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

## PAWS meets first Tuesdays

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

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

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

## County Commission meetings

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

## TOT Republican Women's Club

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

669-1990.

## Jam sessions every Friday night

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

## Meredith House presents live music

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

## Monday night dance club

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

## PPQG Meets fourth Thursdays

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

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

## Pampa Post VFW meetings

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

## CASA of the High Plains

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

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

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

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

The Citizens for a Better Pampa meetings are scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 1925B North Hobart. The group

is made up of individuals who want to work with our city commissioners and the city government/employees to help make Pampa a better place to live for all Pampa residents and visitors. All who have concerns, positive ideas, suggestions, and solutions for concerns are encouraged to attend these meetings.

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

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

## May 2015 DSHS Immunization Clinic

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

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

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

## Quails Forever meetings

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

## Gospel Pickin' and Grinnin'

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

## Lovett Memorial Library

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

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

*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.*

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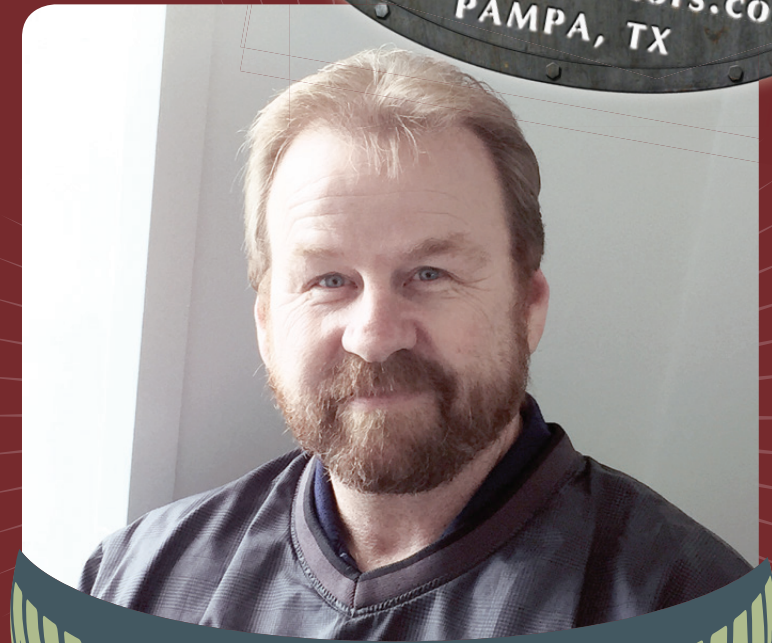
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Mike Lane

Mike Lane is the Service Manager at Fenton and has been for 22 years (11 years at Fenton and 11 years for Robert Knowles). He started as a service advisor then 2 years later became the Service Manager. He is Ford Master Certified, Service Manager Certified, Dodge and Chrysler Certified.

Before working at Fenton he worked for the Sheriffs office for 7 years; working in the jail and also a deputy. Before that he served in the United States Airforce for 4yrs. This

is his 3rd job in his entire life! Mike is originally from Pampa and currently lives here with his wife, Heather of 25 years.

Mike has 8 children total; His sons are: Toby, Tyler, Trekker and daughters: Sara, Hannah, Holly, Hope and Haley. Toby and Tyler are currently serving in the United States Army and have been for the past 9 years-both have had deployments to Iraq and Afghanistan. He also has 12 grandchildren ranging from 3 weeks to 8yrs old.

He enjoys working for Fenton because its a fantastic organization and is family owned!



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## Storms last weekend in Texas cause estimated \$65M damage

AUSTIN (AP) — An insurance group says last weekend's storms across north and central parts of Texas have caused at least \$65 million in damage to vehicles.

The Insurance Council of Texas reported Thursday that damage estimates for homes and businesses are still being compiled.

A statement from the Austin-based industry group says four Texas storms in the past two weeks are blamed for about 60,000 auto insurance claims.

The National Weather Service says at least eight tornadoes touched down southwest of Fort Worth late Sunday. No body was hurt.

Those storms included hail, heavy rain and flash flooding that swamped some roads and prompted several high-water rescues.

Other storms happened west of Austin and north of Houston on April 18, near Amarillo on April 22 and west of San Antonio last Saturday.

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# The PAMPA NEWS Church Calendar

## Hi-Land Christian Church

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

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

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

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

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

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

## Cornerstone Baptist Church

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

For more information call the church at 669-6509.

## New Life Assembly of God

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Right across from the high school. Bible Classes start at 9:30 a.m. with Sunday Morning Worship at 10:30 a.m.

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

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

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

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

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

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

For more information call 806-665-0031.

## McLean Cowboy Church

McLean Cowboy Church is a non-denominational spirit-filled Christian church. The pastor is Ronnie Ferguson.

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

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

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

For more information, call 806-779-0260.

## Southside Church of Christ

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

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

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

## First Presbyterian Church

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

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

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

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

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

This coming Sunday we are having a baked potato pile on lunch after worship. Come worship with us and stay to socialize with us. Try us out and see if we can fill your worship needs.

For more information please call our church office at 665-1031.

*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.*

## Pampa Area Support Groups

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

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

■ **Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault**, meet at 6 p.m., Thursdays, at the Tralee Crisis Center, 308 S. Cuyler St. For more info, call the Center at 806-669-1131.

■ **Narcotics Anonymous** — **The Pampa Group** meets at 7:30 p.m., Tuesdays, and at 6 p.m., Saturdays, at 805 N. Gray St. **Narcotics Anonymous** — **Rufe Jordan Unit** also meets at 6 p.m., Mondays, and at 5:30 p.m., Wednesdays, at 1992 Hilton Road.

■ **Cancer Support** meets from 12-1 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month at Central Baptist Church. For more info, contact Beth Kean at 800-274-4673

■ **Alcoholics Anonymous** Open Door Club meets daily at noon and 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky Ave. **Al-Anon** meets at noon on Mondays. For more information, call 665-9072.

■ **Alcoholics Anonymous** Primary Purpose meets daily at noon and 8 p.m. at 112 W. Foster Ave.

■ **Alcoholics Anonymous** Keep It Simple meets Thursdays at 6 p.m. at the Methodist church in White Deer.

■ **Pampa Caregiver Support** meets at the Pampa Nursing Center on 1321 W. Kentucky Ave. at 6 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month. For more information call 806-669-2551.

■ **Accolade Home Care** sponsors a **Parkinson's Support Group** the second Thursday of each month at 6 p.m. The group meets at Accolade at 1313 N. Hobart St. They also have an **Alzheimer's support group**, which is held on the third Monday of each month at First United Methodist Church, located at 201 E. Foster, at noon. For more information, call Lindsey Presson at 806-665-9700 or 806-324-3230.

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# PAMPA Sports

## HARVESTERS FINISH DISTRICT WITH BIG 13-1 WIN OVER DALHART IN STINNETT



Photos by Zachary Green

Top left, Nathan Furgason deals a pitch. Top right, Ty Hooper tries to throw down to first for an out. Left, Jordan Green looks for the sign. Above, Braden Keown makes a play in center. Below left, Rhett Harden looks at Coach Snelgrooves for the call. Below, Ryan Lee tries to tag a man out. Second below left, Colton Thompson snags a ball in left. Second below right, Zach Hill waits to take off from first base. Bottom left, Zack Gates scores a run in the game. Bottom right, Adam Zuniga throws to first for an out. Pampa won 13-1 and will play Friona tonight in a playoff warmup at 4:30 p.m. They will travel to Lubbock Christian High School May 8-9 for a playoff series with Big Spring.



# PAMPASports

## Harvesters close out district with big 13-1 run-rule over Dalhart

■ Pampa will play Big Spring May 8-9 in Bi-District playoffs at Lubbock Christian HS.

By ZACHARY GREEN  
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The Pampa Harvesters (3-5, 9-10-1) traveled to Stinnett to play the Dalhart Wolves (0-7, 1-11) in their final district game of the season on Wednesday. The game was moved to Wednesday due to torrential rains that fell in the area Monday. The game also had to be moved to West Texas High because they had a turf playing surface.

Junior Nathan Furgason started the game on the mound for Pampa and went the distance. He picked up the win in his five innings of work. He held the Wolves to three hits, walked none, struck out six and allowed just one run.

“That was a big one. Nathan did a good job,” head coach Kaleb Snelgrooes said. “We needed him (Nathan) to get some exposure so that it’s not game three of the playoffs and I say, ‘hey go win us a series.’ We needed to get him some innings because he hadn’t pitched in a while. It was a good deal for him getting in. Woelfle, Brody and Zach have all pitched in district so I needed to get that fourth guy. So when it comes playoffs I don’t say hey remember that time you pitched a month ago, let’s go do it again.”

Senior Ty Hooper started the game off by reaching base after getting hit by a pitch. Sophomore Brendon Woelfle then singled to short. Junior Cade Engle smashes a triple to center on a line drive to score

both runners.

Junior Adam Zuniga followed with a big double to center to score Engle.

Junior Rhett Harden singled to short on a ground ball. Jordan Jordan Green grounded out to short but Harden scored. Zuniga had already scored on an error in the at-bat before Green’s. The scoring ended there for Pampa but the Harvesters put five on the board in the inning.

Dalhart went down in 1-2-3 order in the bottom of the first. Furgason struck out one batter, sandwiched between two groundouts.

After one, Pampa led 5-0.

Hooper reached on an error to begin the second. That was followed by two quick fly outs. Junior Zack Gates then came in to run for Hooper. Zuniga singled to left to score Gates. Harden doubled to center and Zuniga advanced to home. Pampa added two more runs to their lead.

Furgason hit the first batter of the second. That runner was gunned down trying to steal second. The next batter struck out. The inning ended with a ground out. So it was an unconventional 1-2-3 inning for the Wolves.

After two, Pampa led 7-0.

Green singled to third to start the third for Pampa. Hooper walked after two outs were recorded. Gates courtesy ran for Hooper again. Green scored on a steal of home as Dalhart made an error trying to get Gates out at first. Woelfle then singled

to center to score Gates. Pampa added two more runs again.

Dalhart went down in 1-2-3 order again with a strikeout and two fly outs in the bottom of the third.

After three, Pampa led 9-0.

Pampa went down in 1-2-3 order in the fourth.

The first two batters grounded out for the Wolves in the fourth. The next batter struck out but still reached first on a dropped third strike. The inning ended with a fly out.

After four, Pampa led 9-0.

Junior Colton Thompson singled on a bunt with one out in the fifth. Senior Braden Keown walked. Hooper sacrificed to score Thompson. Woelfle doubled to left to score Keown. Engle doubled to right to score Woelfle.

Zuniga singled to left to score Engle. Junior Zach Hill came in to courtesy run for Zuniga. The inning ended after Pampa put a four spot on the board.

Dalhart had a double and a single to start the bottom of the fifth. Furgason struck out the next batter. The next one singled to right to score one runner. Furgason struck out the next batter and the final out was recorded as Hooper threw to Zuniga to gun down a man trying to steal third.

Final/5: Pampa 13, Dalhart 1.

Ty Hooper was 0-1 with a walk, an RBI and a run scored. Brendon Woelfle was 3-4 with two runs scored, an RBI and a

double. Cade Engle was 2-4 with three RBIs, two runs scored, a double and a triple. Adam Zuniga was 3-4 with three RBIs, two runs scored and a double. Rhett Harden was 2-4 with a run scored and a double. Jordan Green was 1-3 with a run scored and an RBI. Colton Thompson was 1-1 with a run scored and a walk. Braden Keown was 0-2 with a run scored and a walk. Zack Gates scored two runs as a courtesy runner. Jordan Green, Colton Thompson, Rhett Harden, Ty Hooper and Zack Gates all had stolen bases.

Pampa plays Friona tonight at the Amarillo Thunderheads stadium.

“Friona is a good ball club. They made the playoffs in their district. I don’t know anything about them. We get to play in the Thunderheads stadium in Amarillo. It will be like a minor league feel. We will kinda get these kids some exposure like the playoffs. We want to go into that game and play well. Then get ready for next week playing Big Spring,” Snelgrooes said. “We’re excited to get into the playoffs. I told these seniors to make it all four years. And five out of the six years I’ve been here. I told them that’s a big deal. I played here and I only made it three of the four years.”

Snelgrooes said they were going to start preparing for Big Spring as soon as they got on the bus after the Dalhart game Wednesday.

Pampa will play Big Spring at 8 p.m. on Friday, May 8, at Lubbock Christian High School. Game two of the series will be at 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 9, with an if necessary game three to follow.

## From the Press Box

■ Is Winston-Mariota really the next Manning-Leaf?

Every time the NFL draft rolls around, two quarterbacks become linked as if they are Peyton Manning and Ryan Leaf in the 1998 NFL Draft.



JOHN LEE

In 2012, it was Andrew Luck and Robert Griffin III. This year they are trying to link Florida State quar-

terback Jameis Winston and Oregon quarterback Marcus Mariota.

I hate to tell all those talking heads this, but it’s not the same.

Yes, they are arguably the two best quarterbacks in this draft. And they may have gone 1-2 in the draft Thursday (this is written before the draft because of press time).

But here is why they aren’t Manning-Leafesque.

Winston is without a doubt the best quarterback in the draft, physically anyways. If the Tampa Bay Buccaneers (if that’s who he went to) can put a support group similar to what Dallas did with wide receiver Dez Bryant a few years ago, they can keep him out of trouble and keep him focused on football.

Winston played in a pro-style offense and has shown he can be a leader of men. He has all of the intangibles. But those off-the-field issues and maturity problems are the question.

Mariota is the exact op-

posite. Mariota’s off-the-field resume is squeaky-clean and can also lead a squad to victory.

But he is a system quarterback. The jury is still out on whether or not Mariota will be able to make reads and go through his progression. I find it hard to believe that he played in Oregon’s system for so long and didn’t master that aspect of an offense.

Some are comparing him to San Francisco quarterback Colin Kaepernick without the arm strength. I don’t know about that, but if he gets in the right system I think Mariota can be successful.

But Winston-Mariota aren’t the same as Manning-Leaf.

In 1998, everyone knew Peyton Manning and Ryan Leaf could play wherever they landed. Ryan Leaf didn’t fail because he couldn’t play. He failed because he had maturity issues and couldn’t handle the pressures of the playing in the NFL.

I don’t think Winston’s maturity is the issue of handling the limelight of the NFL, he played primetime ball at Florida State all the time last season. His issue is that he is a 21-year-old college student who is about to make more money than some people make in a lifetime.

Mariota may have just entered the draft at the wrong time since really there are only three teams in need of a stable quarterback: Tampa

Bay, Tennessee and New York.

The best thing that could happen to Mariota is if the San Diego Chargers do indeed trade quarterback Phillip Rivers and some draft picks to Tennessee to take him.

Chargers head coach Adam Gase is one of the best, young offensive minds in the NFL and could make Mariota work. Gase, who coached in Denver for several years, basically changed the engine of the offense with the motor running in 2011 when the Broncos switched to Tim Tebow at quarterback.

If Gase can make an offense run, and put up points, with the read-

option, I have no doubt he can make a system for Mariota.

Winston playing in Tampa Bay under former Chicago Bears head coach Lovie Smith is also a good fit. Smith is definitely the leader of that team and Winston will hopefully be under his thumb.

There you have it. Today we know where these quarterbacks went and Winston is probably in Tampa Bay, but Mariota on the other hand, could be in San Diego, Tennessee or Cleveland, or he could have slipped to tonight’s second round of the draft.

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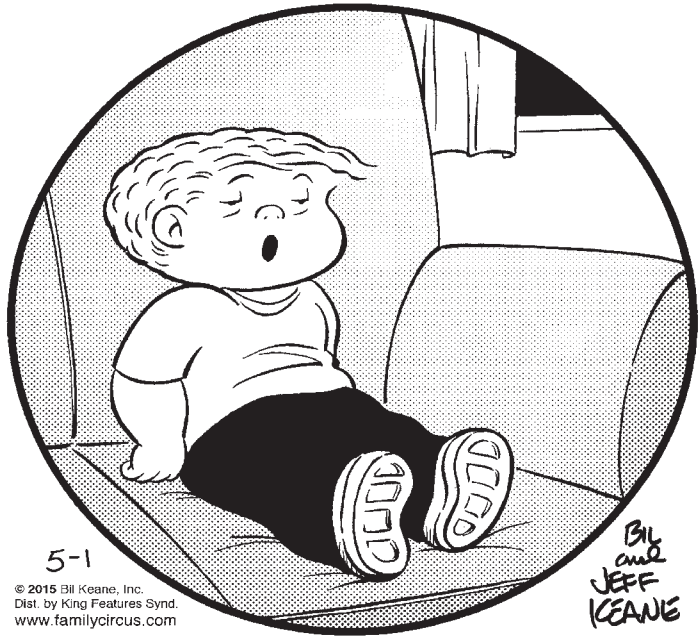
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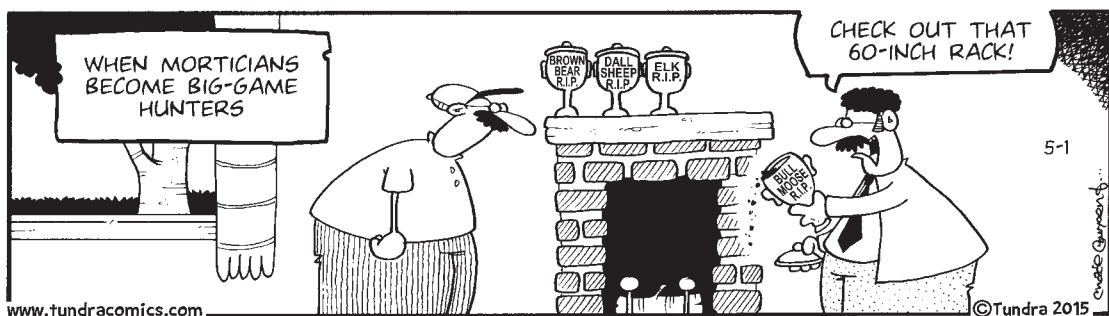
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"Mommy, I don't think my eyes want me to watch anything else today."

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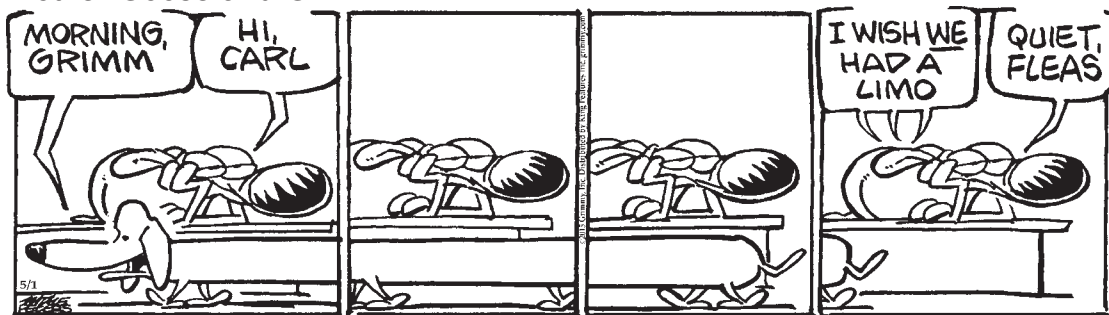
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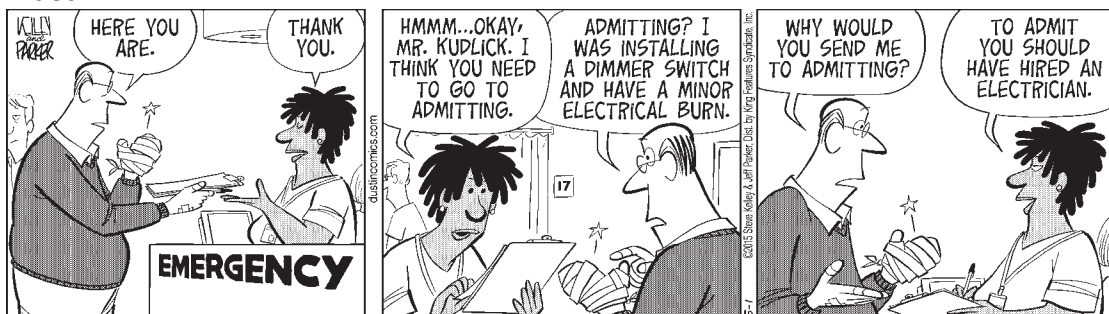
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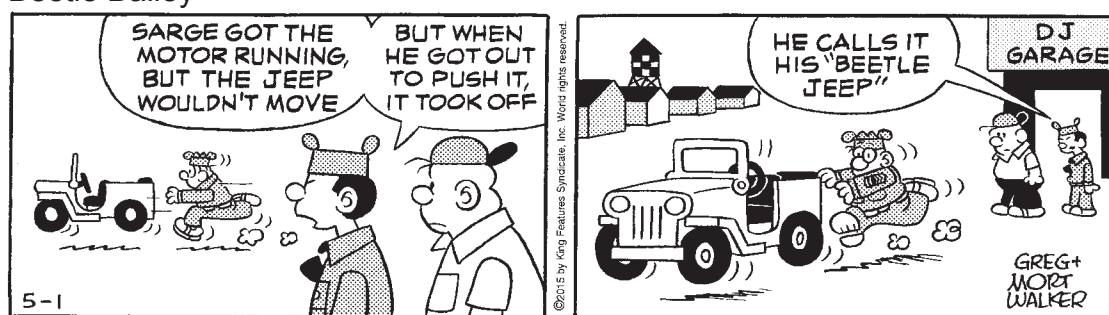
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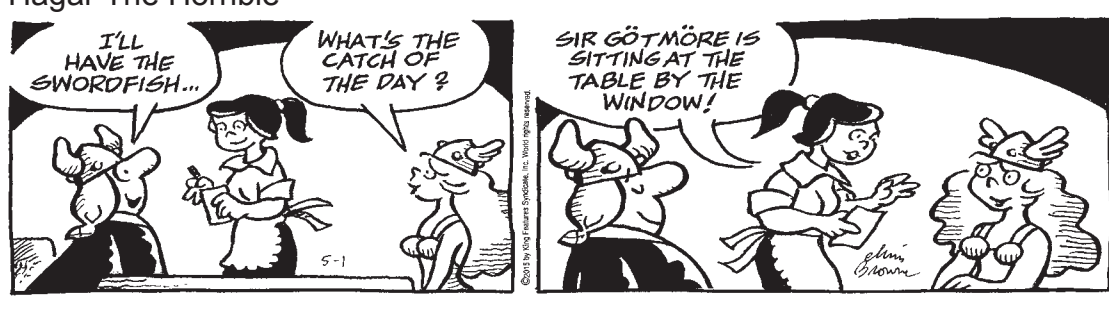
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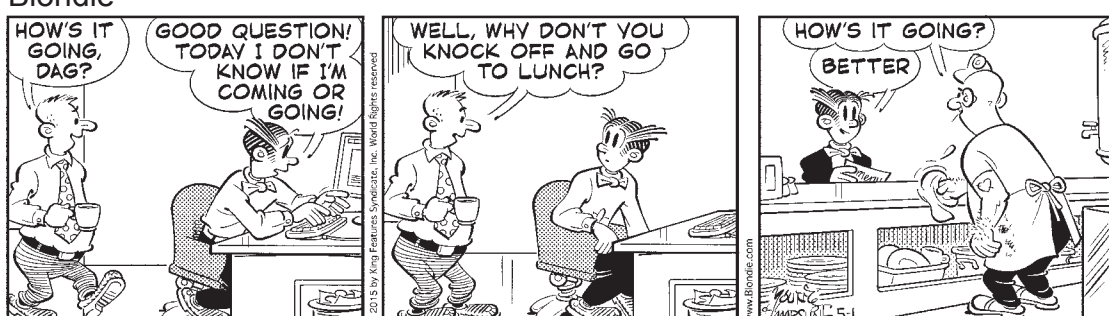
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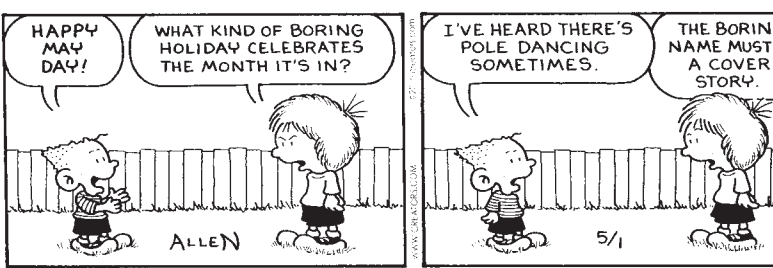
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## Nest Heads



# DAILY Horoscope

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, May 2, 2015:

This year you open up to a new set of needs and desires. You also are concerned with your emotional security. You have a tendency to dote on others. If you are single, you have a strong drive to be part of a pair. Make no commitments until after August; the period that follows could produce a person of significance. If you are attached, a partner who can be touchy and withdrawn will warm up. You are in the process of revitalizing your bond. The period after August could be quite fulfilling for you as a couple. SCORPIO often challenges you.

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

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19)  
★★★ You could be uncomfortable with the costs of proceeding as you have been. Still, you won't be able to stop right now. Let go of the issue if you cannot tackle it without messing up plans. Awkwardness might exist between you and someone else. Tonight: Don't say "no."

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)  
★★★ You have been putting off a project for a while. The time has come to look it squarely in the face and get it done. The sooner you clear it out, the sooner you can enjoy yourself. Expenses could go overboard if you are not careful. Tonight: Celebrate what you have done.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)  
★★★★ Reach out to someone you care about, as this person has a profound influence on your life. This person might be a new friend or a loved one. Your laughter will open up a conversation that might not be easy to begin otherwise. Tonight: Flirt the moment away.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)  
★★★★ Your sense of self and the choices you have made might color the moment more than you would like. Interacting with a key person could be awkward at best. Your creativity surges as you attempt to find the path of least resistance. Tonight: Add a little naughtiness to the mix.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)  
★★★★ You could discover that someone cares more than you realize. Keep the conversation moving, even if you do not feel the same way. You won't want to shut out this person,

because you could be creating a problem for yourself if you do. Tonight: Hang close to home.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)  
★★★ You might be more possessive or jealous than you realize, so be careful what you say and do. Set aside time for yourself. Go get a massage or add a few new items to your wardrobe. Tension seems to build from other sources. Tonight: Make sure you have plans.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)  
★★★★ Though there could be an odd quality to your interactions, you seem content and won't mind. Keep reaching out to someone at distance. Once you connect, you will feel on top of the world. Make plans for the near future to get together. Tonight: Try not to go overboard.

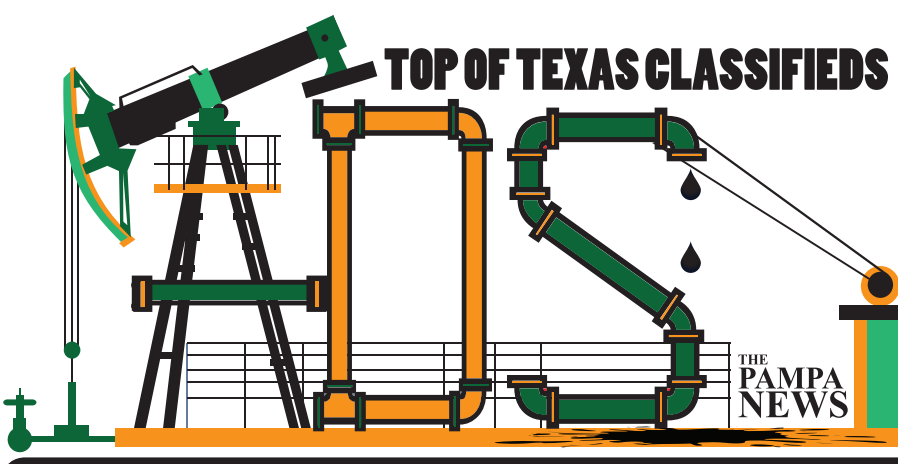
**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)  
★★★★ Do what you want today -- get your hair cut or colored, schedule a massage, relax. Your schedule will fill up soon enough, and your time will be precious. A conversation that you might have considered unsuccessful will pay off later. Tonight: In the limelight.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)  
★★★★ You have the ability to zero in on what you want. This skill will take you to a new level of understanding. Touch base with a friend who means a lot to you, and accept an offer to get together. You will benefit from being around this person. Tonight: Call it an early night!

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)  
★★★★ You could be in a situation in which you have the ability to come out on top. Others gravitate toward you for solutions. You might want to let go of certain responsibilities in order to have a little fun. Why not? Tonight: A force to be reckoned with.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)  
★★★★ Reach out to someone at a distance. You could find the conversation to be a little awkward if the focus turns to your personal life. Recognize that the feelings are mutual. What to do with this situation will be your call. Tonight: Know when to call it a night.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20)  
★★★★ Deal with someone directly, and discuss your feelings. This person might be more than a handful to deal with. Discuss a special opportunity that could make a big difference in your life, and make sure it works for those you live with. Tonight: Take in a concert or a movie.



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3 Family Garage Sale. Fri. & Sat. 8am-?? 736 N. Dwight.

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**Garage Sale**

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**5-1 CRYPTOQUOTE**

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**Yesterday's Cryptoquote:** I BELIEVE IN THE PRINCIPLE THAT I CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THIS WORLD. IT MAY BE EVER SO SMALL, BUT IT WILL COUNT FOR THE GREATER GOOD. — GORDON B. HINCKLEY

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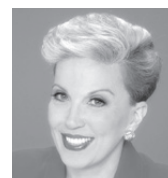
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## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: May is Lyme Disease Awareness Month. I'm a longtime Canadian reader who has suffered from it for many years. More than 300,000 people are infected by this tick-borne illness every year, yet people know little about it.

If someone doesn't recognize the symptoms and seek treatment immediately, Lyme disease becomes chronic and debilitating. For many years it wasn't well understood, and many sufferers like me have gone from doctor to doctor with their long list of symptoms, becoming increasingly frightened and depressed.

Please suggest your readers learn about Lyme disease by visiting [ILADS.org](http://ILADS.org) or [canlyme.com](http://canlyme.com). It isn't as rare as some people believe. It has been found everywhere on the planet except Antarctica. — LYN D. IN "ABBYLAND"

DEAR LYN: I'm glad to do that. Sev-

eral years ago, my husband caught Lyme disease while sitting in a friend's living room in California. Our friend's dog had been running loose through some marshland that afternoon, and several ticks it picked up bit my husband. When he noticed the bulls-eye inflammation, we called our doctor, who said to come in right away and have it checked. After taking one look, the doctor called in his partner — a doctor from Connecticut — to take a look. (Lyme disease is named for a city in Connecticut.) They said the rash was "classic."

My husband was lucky for the quick and accurate diagnosis. Because it was caught early, strong antibiotics headed off any serious problems. But not everyone is so fortunate, and people with chronic Lyme disease have been known to suffer

for life. A word to the wise: Be informed.

DEAR ABBY: My father always wanted a son, but he and Mom had only one child — me. Now that I am the mother of two boys, he has taken over their schedule and signs them up for activities they often are not interested in pursuing. This results in my spending my time away from work taking them to activities and sports they don't enjoy.

How can I respectfully tell Dad I don't want him doing this? He often calls my children and me lazy if we say we don't want to participate in the swimming, karate, soccer, baseball, gymnastics and other activities he constantly signs them up for. We just want some downtime once in a while. This has caused many angst-ridden arguments. Please help! — NOT INTERESTED IN ILLINOIS

DEAR NOT INTERESTED: Everyone enjoys downtime once in a while, but if your children are spending their days sitting around, your father may have a right to be concerned. Daily physical exercise is important for good health.

Because none of the activities your father has chosen "for" your sons appeals to them, suggest they choose a sport that DOES interest them and have them sign THEMSELVES up for it. Then inform your dad that you no longer want to hear critical comments about your boys because they are not constructive, and if it doesn't stop, he will be seeing less of all of you.

P.S. Because your dad signed his grandkids up for activities, I'm mystified that he wasn't more involved in providing their transportation.

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## Glo-Valve picks up come from behind win

Casey Cambern knocked in the tying run with a single and scored the winning run on a wild pitch as the Glo-Valve Service Dodgers came from behind in the top of the sixth inning to edge the Duncan, Fraser & Bridges Insurance Agency Cardinals 4-3 Tuesday in Pampa Optimist 11-12 Cal Ripken League action.

Jose Molina, who took the mound in the fifth inning with Glo-Valve trailing by a run, picked up his second win of the season. He did not give up a run or a hit. He struck out six, walked one and hit a batter in the two innings he pitched. Tristen Vanderburg started for Glo-Valve. He surrendered one unearned run and no hits in two innings. He struck out two and walked three. Brady Brotherton pitched the third and fourth innings for Glo-Valve. He was touched for two runs and one hit. He struck out two and walked four. Gavin Hudson, Brekyn Gaines and Pacey Plaster pitched for DFB.

DFB scored the first run of the game in the bottom of the first inning. Gaines walked. Hudson reached base on a catcher's interference. A Glo-Valve error on a ball hit by Plaster allowed Gaines to score.

Michael Adamson started a Glo-Valve rally in the top of the third with a single. He stole second, took third on a fielder's choice

and tied the score on a wild pitch. Ezekial Scoggin walked and went to second on a walk to Trevor Holt. Molina drove in Scoggin with a booming double to left centerfield.

DFB went ahead in the fourth inning. A single by Plaster and consecutive walks to Pratt Doucette, Esai Calderon, Austin Bruce and Justice Burk forced in two runs. DFB led 3-2.

Molina opened the sixth inning with an infield single.

He stole two bases and came home to tie the game at three on Cambern's single. Cambern stole two bases and, with two outs, scored the game winner on a wild pitch. Molina fanned three batters in a row in the bottom of the sixth to end the game.

The defensive play of the game came in the first inning when DFB's left fielder Bruce chased down a ball hit over his head, threw to Plaster at short who relayed to Noah Johnston at third to gun down a Glo-Valve batter trying to stretch a double into a triple. Molina, who was then at catcher, hustled to the back stop after a wild pitch and tagged out a run-

ner trying to score from third for an outstanding defensive play for Glo-Valve. Vanderburg fielded a ground ball at the mound and tagged a runner coming from third for another Glo-Valve defensive gem.

Molina paced Glo-Valve offensively with three hits, including two doubles, a run and one RBI. Plaster made the only hit for DFB.

Glo-Valve leads the league with a season record of 3-0. The Sportszone Giants, a 10-5 winner over the Rotary Club Indians in the night-cap Tuesday, DFB and Rotary are tied for second with 1-2 records.

On Thursday the early game at 6 p.m. will find DFB at Sportszone.

In the late game at 8 p.m. Glo-Valve will visit Rotary. Saturday's games will feature Pampa teams against teams from the High Plains League in the Pampa Optimist Official Opening Day. Rotary plays at 10 a.m., Glo-Valve at 2 p.m., Sportszone at 4 p.m. and DFB at 6 p.m.

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United States v. Finland World Champ.....NBCS 9 a.m.

#### MLB Baseball

New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox.....MLB 6:10 p.m.  
Oakland Athletics at Texas Rangers.....FSSW 7 p.m.

#### Rugby

Australia v. New Zealand.....FS2 5 a.m.

#### Golf

LPGA Tour Golf: North Texas Shootout.....GOLF 9:30 a.m.  
United Leasing Championship.....GOLF 11:30 a.m.  
Champ Tour Golf: Insperity Invitational.....GOLF 1:30 p.m.  
WGC-Cadillac Match Play Champ.....GOLF 4 p.m.

#### Horse Racing

Kentucky Oaks Day.....NBCS 11:30 a.m.

#### Softball

Norfolk State at Hampton.....ESPNU 2 p.m.

#### Auto Racing

ARCA in Talladega.....FS1 5 p.m.

#### NFL Football

Draft Rounds 2-3 in Chicago.....ESPN/NFL 6 p.m.  
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LSU at Mississippi State.....ESPNU 7 p.m.  
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