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Texas farm grown melons available Thursdays



BY ZACHARY GREEN
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Pat Anthony, of Amarillo, sells Midland farm-grown melons on Thursdays during the summer in Pampa. She sells them out of her truck and trailer in the Wayne's Western Wear parking lot from 11:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Normally, Anthony comes every Thursday, starting around the Fourth of July, until Labor Day. Due to the record rainfall the state has received this year, Anthony was unable to make her first trip here until yesterday.

"The rains slowed everything down. All of the farmers had to completely reseed," Anthony said. "And then it wasn't hot enough for a while for them to ripen up. Usually I come around the Fourth, but the rains slowed it all down this year."

Anthony says she also sells in Amarillo on Fridays.

Her favorite part about coming to Pampa is to see all the people.

"I love the people here," Anthony said. "I have a lot of friends here that I like to see."

This is Anthony's 15th year coming to sell the watermelons. She has a pumpkin patch at Coulter Gardens and a produce guy came and told her she should get into the produce business. So, she decided to do just that.

There has been one time she recalls where she sold out of everything she had on a Thursday. Another occasion she left for home with

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By JOHN LEE
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Pampa Regional Medical Center has launched a survey on their website to assess the needs of the community when it comes to health care and the well being of the Pampa region.

"We are working with an outside company (Blue and Co.) that does this type of work to come in objectively and take a look at our town, our service area (Pampa, Wheeler, Canadian, etc.) and find out what the people feel like we need," PRMC CEO Brad Morse said.

It's not just a survey related to

PRMC staffing. It also covers if the community is getting their needs met in other areas.

"Is our community covering our mental health needs? Do we have a WIC office?" Morse said. "Anything that has to do with the well-being of our community and is that being taken care of?"

This will help PRMC with knowing what some of the needs are that they can help with such as family doctors and specialty care doctors.

Once the survey is finished, the data collected by Blue and Co. will be posted on PRMC's website where the survey currently is.

Before the survey, PRMC had focus groups with hospital employees, doctors and community leaders where consultants from Blue and Co. asked specific questions about what their opinions are on community needs.

"That'll help them (Blue and Co.) formulate some opinions to write in their report, too," Morse said.

This is the first time the survey is being done and it will be updated every three years.

"They will basically go through the progress again and say things like your town has grown, or

shrank, where our births are going and all of that kind of information," Morse said.

The surveys are 100 percent anonymous.

More said the survey will show some of the things PRMC already believes.

"It'll show us we need another nursing home, that we need another OBGYN, that we need more mental health workers," Morse said. "All of those types of things."

Morse said the consulting firm is looking at the entire Top of Texas

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ANOTHER WRECK ON PRICE ROAD



Photo by John Lee

A two-vehicle wreck, with one occupant each, slowed traffic during the lunch rush on Price Road near Gwendolyn St. Both drivers refused service by Pampa EMS and Texas DPS handled the wreck. This is the second wreck at this intersection in two weeks and the third wreck in a month on Price Road.

Harvester Football Camp

STAFF REPORT

The Pampa High School football team will be hosting a football camp July 20-23 at Harvester Field.

The first through fifth grade camp runs from 8 to 10 a.m. Sixth grade through ninth grade will be from 10 a.m. to Noon.

The cost is \$50. There is a family discount of \$35 for the second child and \$20 for each additional child after that.

Bring your cleats, sunscreen and a great attitude.

Snacks and drinks will be available at the camp concession stand.

Each camper gets a T-Shirt.

Please return or mail registration forms to

the Athletic Office at 111. E. Harvester, Pampa, Texas 79065. Please make checks payable to Pampa Football.

For more information contact Jason Farmer at 806-669-4830 or jason.farmer@pampaisd.net.

PHS Football

The Harvester football team will begin two-a-day practices on Aug. 3.

They will have a media day on Aug. 8.

Meet the Harvesters will be on Aug. 20

We will be releasing the schedule sometime in the near future so look for it in the sports section.

The season opener is at 7:30 p.m. on Aug. 28 at River Road High School in Amarillo.

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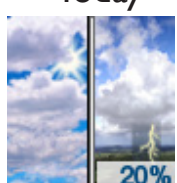
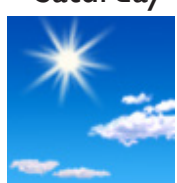
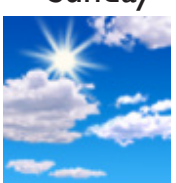
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High 93 Low 71	High 96 Low 72	High 94 Low 68

Today: A twenty percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1pm. Partly sunny, with a high near 93. South wind 10 to 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

Tonight: A twenty percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 1am. Partly cloudy, with a low around 71. South wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Saturday: Sunny, with a high near 96. South southwest wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Saturday night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 72. South wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Sunday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 94. Southwest wind 10 to 15 mph.

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just five cantaloupes left. Anthony has seedless watermelons for \$7, big red watermelons, with seeds, for \$8 and cantaloupes for \$2.

She promises next week she will have sugarbabies for \$4 and Israeli cantaloupes for \$3-5. Those were not ready for this week. Once again, find your fruit fix at the Wayne's Western Wear parking lot (corner of Randy Matson and Hobart) from 11:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Thursdays until Labor Day.

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area such as Borger, Perryton, Canadian, etc., since PRMC receives patients from those cities, roughly 60,000 people. For more information on the PRMC, or to take the survey, visit www.prmctx.com.

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OBITUARIES

Mary 'Earnestine' Cade

Mary "Earnestine" Cade, 88, died July 16, 2015, in Pampa.

Memorial services are pending. Cremation and arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.



Ernestine Cade

Mary was born in Lubbock, on June 12, 1927, and was the youngest of the family. At a young age she learned to cook, do needlework, played with horned toads and loved to watch things grow. There were not many plants that she had a hard time helping them thrive and she loved to share vegetables and flowers with whomever would take them. For several years she helped with young children's programs and as a nursery worker. She wanted them to be loved and cared for but usually she thought she was right - she would let you know it too. For the past few years she had experienced bad health and the flowers really helped her overcome situations of difficulty. She was a super cook and trained three generations to follow in her footsteps. Usually during the day she could be found humming a tune, and most of the time, it would be an old Gospel hymn although she loved music in general. Her alto voice was beautiful.

Mary holds a special place in many family members and friends heart. She was loved and cherished greatly and will be missed by many. There was one thing you could say about her when you walked into her room; she had some precious pictures to show off of the family members.

She is survived by a son, Danny Cade and wife Donna of Lubbock; a daughter, Marilyn Shelton and husband Lonnie of Pampa; five grandchildren, Brian Cade and wife Sandy of Bozeman, Mt., Brad Cade of Amarillo, Kilyn Shelton James and husband Curtis of Nacogdoches, Audra Shelton Tibboel and husband Kevin of Campbell, and Traci Shelton Baize and husband Todd of Telluride, Colo. Some of her enjoyment came from her 12 great grandchildren, Levi Cade, Madison Cade, Hayden Cade, Kason Cade, Konner Cade, Brock James, Mason James, Brady Tibboel, Avery Tibboel, Paige Tibboel, Savannah Baize and Scarlett Baize.

She was preceded in death by her husband, A.E. "Gene" Cade; a daughter, Christy Cade; a sister Anna Lee Johnson; her mother, Mary Oshea Snider; and her father, Marion Earnest Snider.

As a minister said just recently quoting a scripture, "He who began a good work in you is able to complete it;" this she has done and is rejoicing with her Lord and loved ones. We thank everyone for the prayers and calls of encouragement during her prolonged illnesses. The family offers a special thanks to all the hospice personnel who so lovingly cared for her and the special ladies at the Meredith Place of whom each know who you are.

Family requests memorials to go to Gentiva Hospice, 332 Hobbs Road, Amarillo, Texas 79109.

Sign the online guest register at www.carmichael-whately.com

Four Marines killed in military attacks in Tenn.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP) — A gunman unleashed a barrage of gunfire at two military facilities Thursday in Tennessee, killing at least four Marines and wounding a soldier and a police officer, officials said. The shooter also was killed.

"Today was a nightmare for the city of Chattanooga," Mayor Andy Berke said. "As a city, we will respond to this with every available resource that we have."

U.S. Attorney Bill Killian said officials were treating the attacks as an "act of domestic terrorism," though FBI Special Agent in Charge Ed Reinhold said authorities were still investigating a motive. The first shooting happened around 10:45 a.m.; the attacks were over within a half-hour.

Berke said five people died in all, including the gunman. A police officer was shot in the ankle, and others were wounded, he said.

Two U.S. officials, speaking on condition of anonymity to discuss an ongoing investigation, told The Associated Press four U.S. Marines were among the dead.

A Marine recruiter was treated at a hospital for a gunshot wound to the leg, the Marine Corps said on its Facebook page.

"Lives have been lost from some faithful people who have been serving our country, and I think I join all Tennesseans in being both sickened and saddened by this," Gov. Bill Haslam said.

The shootings began at a recruiting center on Old Lee Highway in Chattanooga where five branches of the

military all have adjoining offices. A gunshot rang out around 10:30 or 10:45 a.m., said Sgt. 1st Class Robert Dodge, 36, the center leader for U.S. Army recruiting at the center.

"Shortly after that, just a few seconds, the shooter began shooting more rounds. We realized it was an actual shooting," he said.

He and his colleagues then got on the ground and barricaded themselves in a safe place. Dodge estimated there were 30 to 50 shots fired.

He did not see the shooter or a vehicle. The Army recruiting office was not damaged, but doors and glass were damaged at the neighboring Air Force, Navy and Marine offices, he said.

Law enforcement officials told recruiters that the shooter was in a car, stopped in front of the facility, shot at the building and drove off, said Brian Lepley, a spokesman with the U.S. Army Recruiting Command in Fort Knox, Kentucky.

The recruiting center sits in a short strip between a Cricket Wireless and an Italian restaurant with no apparent additional security. Nearby, Nicholas Donohue heard a blast of gunshots while working at Desktop Solutions. But he had music playing and wasn't quite sure what the noise had been. He turned off the music and seconds later, a second blast thundered. He took shelter in a back room.

"Even though it knew it was most likely gunfire I heard, you also don't want to believe it's happening in the moment," he said. "Since I didn't see anything, I couldn't be sure."

By the time he emerged, police were

cordoning off the area.

Within minutes of that attack, the shooter then opened fire at the Navy Operational Support Center and Marine Corps Reserve Center Chattanooga, about 7 miles away. Reinhold said all of the dead were killed there.

The center sits between the highway and a pathway that runs through Tennessee RiverPark, a popular park at a bend in the Tennessee River northeast of downtown Chattanooga. It's in a light industrial area that includes a Coca-Cola bottling plant.

The two entrances to the fenced facility have unmanned gates and concrete barriers that require approaching cars to slow down to drive around them.

Marilyn Hutcheson, who works at Binswanger Glass across the street, said she heard a barrage of gunfire around 11 a.m.

"I couldn't even begin to tell you how many," she said. "It was rapid fire, like pow pow pow pow, so quickly. The next thing I knew, there were police cars coming from every direction."

She ran inside, where she remained locked down with other employees and a customer. The gunfire continued with occasional bursts she estimated for 20 minutes.

"We're apprehensive," Hutcheson said. "Not knowing what transpired, if it was a grievance or terroristic related, we just don't know."

They saw dozens of emergency vehicles rush by: bomb teams, SWAT teams, and state, local and federal authorities.

Gas price average drops three cents this week

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COPPELL — Drivers in Texas are now paying an average of \$2.55 for a gallon of regular unleaded fuel, according to the AAA Texas Weekend Gas Watch. That price is three cents less than last week and 83 cents less per gallon than last year.

Of the major metropolitan areas surveyed in the Lone Star State, drivers in El Paso are paying the most on average at \$2.65 per gallon while drivers in Beaumont are paying the least at \$2.47 per gallon. Nationally, drivers are paying \$2.77, which is one cent more than last week, 83 cents less than a year ago, and 22 cents more than the average in

Texas.

While a handful of states have seen prices rising and falling sharply, pump prices have been relatively stable across much of the country over the past seven days. Drivers in Texas and across the country continue to save at the pump compared to one year ago.

Domestic supply factors continue to influence gas prices in some states. However, lower global crude oil prices are contributing to downward pressure on gasoline prices across the nation. Texans are now paying about \$36 to fill up a typical 14-gallon size fuel tank, which is about \$12 less per tank than one year ago.

"With the dog days of summer upon us, increased temperatures can take their toll on vehicles," said AAA Texas/New Mexico Representative Doug Shupe. "We remind drivers to check their vehicle batteries, engine fluids and coolant levels, tire inflation and air conditioning filters before heading out on long summer road trips."

Motorists can find current gas prices along their route with the free AAA Mobile app for iPhone, iPad and Android. The app can also be used to map a route, find discounts, book a hotel and access AAA roadside assistance. Learn more at AAA.com/mobile.

FOR the RECORD

Pampa pair arrested for nonpayment

STAFF REPORT

• Hunter Kevin Morrison Kane, 18, Pampa, was arrested Wednesday by the Pampa Police Department for eight capias pro fine charges.

• Hannah Mary Kane, 52, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by PPD for nonpayment of court costs/fees and a capias pro fine charge for theft under \$50.

• Catherine Munsil, 36, Taft, Calif., was arrested Wednesday by the Gray County Sheriff's Office

for violation of probation for possession of a controlled substance less than four grams but greater than one gram.

• Christopher Antonio Perez, 18, was arrested Wednesday by GCSO for sentence of possession of marijuana.

• Steven Paul Echols, 52, was arrested Wednesday by GCSO for manufacturing and delivery of a controlled substance and unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon.

• Stephanie Amanda

Parker, 35, was arrested Thursday by GCSO for manufacturing and delivery of a controlled substance, greater than four grams but less than 200 grams and possession of a prohibited substance in a correctional facility.

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Bereavement and Healing Mementos

I received an email through my blog, www.MourningCoffee.com, this week, concerning a common issue among grieving families. I have seen many families suffer and argue through this issue over the past years, but until now, I have never heard of a better way to overcome it. Thank you, Amy in Alaska, for your email.



TRACY LEE

Amy's mother passed away several months ago, and she traveled to the lower 48 for the services. The day after her mother's services, Amy and her siblings met at her mother's house to begin the arduous tasks of clearing out her mother's belongings and preparing the house for liquidation. Each sibling was very surprised at how difficult it was to sort through their mother's belongings and separate them into categories. Things that no one wanted went into one room to sell at an estate sale. Things that each of them could not part with went into another room. Although this phase of the task went fairly slowly, there was cooperation, and it seemed that they would be able to get through the task in time for the siblings to fly back to their respective homes.

The following morning as the siblings returned to their mother's

home to collect the mementos each had set aside, confusion and emotions began to surface. It seemed that more than one sibling wanted certain items, and each felt they deserved it due to their experiences shared with the item and their mother. The morning did not go well, and the brothers and sisters decided to go to a restaurant for lunch. Perhaps discussing the items in a different environment would relieve the tension between siblings and make the task less volatile. Lunch did not go as well as they had hoped.

It was decided that as time was exhausted, the siblings would return to their respective homes. They would then send a list of the items they would like to have, to a local relative who would separate the items accordingly, and ship them out as requested. If two or more children wanted the same item, that particular item would be placed in storage until each of the siblings had their undisputed items in their possession for three months. After the three-month period, the siblings who had not received all of the items they had requested were required to resubmit their requests.

Amy said that when the new lists of requests arrived, they were much shorter than before. It seemed that having the undisputed items had allowed the siblings to relax a bit and relinquish some of the items they had originally thought were essential. This made the second release of

mementos very successful. Even with this success, however, there remained a few items that multiple siblings still thought they should possess rather than their siblings. As before, the siblings were required to wait an additional three months to request these last remaining items.

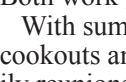
At the end of the second three-month period, the siblings were required to come together at their mother's home and discuss their reasons for their claim on the last few items. It had previously been agreed that they would return to their mother's home at this time, to make the final preparations to engage a brokerage firm for listing the property. As each of the siblings gathered at their mother's home, they found the last few items beautifully displayed on the kitchen island. In the middle of the items was a letter written to them by their sweet mother. She expressed her love for each of them, and her sorrow, as she had prepared for the final days of her life. She told them that she had tried to assign her life's collection of mementos for them but had found that the memories were so precious, that she could not bring herself to accomplish the task. She asked her children to cooperate with each other and apologized for leaving them with a task that she knew would break their hearts, as deeply as it had broken her own. She

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Tips, tricks and advice

Kitchen tips and family reunions

If you can't get the smell out of the refrigerator and baking soda isn't doing the trick, try some crumpled up newspaper on a few shelves. The ink absorbs smells. Or you could use a tray of charcoal. Both work great.



ROWDY LEBEAU

With summer comes cookouts and family reunions and no one looks forward to store bought food. So if you don't have time to make a nice cake from scratch try kicking up a box mix batter with a few simple ingredients. You can add a few tsp of cinnamon or a pinch of nutmeg. Pumpkin pie spice is nice in the fall; coffee

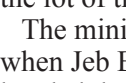
instead of water in chocolate, or even get a bottle of coffee flavoring and spritz a little on the cake itself as it cools. All bakeries use a pre-made batter it's what you add to it that makes it a stunner.

Another thought on family reunions: get out all those old pictures that other generations can identify and get them to tell you the names of those you are unsure of so you don't lose that history. I suggest writing on the back in pencil and for those older pictures that are all black get a white grease pencil in the hardware section.

I am here to tell you that if you don't ask while you can and start putting names on those pictures now you will wish you had later in life when your own kids and grandchildren start asking. Plus everyone likes to see the old pictures and chances are a lot of them would like to make copies.

Job bests Hillary in an American worker tweet-off

Job Bush is right and Hillary Clinton is wrong. You can probably say that about a lot of things. But in this case it's about the need for more part-time American workers to work full-time in order to improve



LAWRENCE KUDLOW

their own lots as well as the lot of the economy. The mini spat started when Jeb Bush short-handed the point that "people should work longer hours" in a meeting with New Hampshire's Union Leader, Hillary Clinton — who doesn't say anything to anybody — then tweeted, "Anyone who believes Americans aren't working hard enough hasn't met enough American workers."

A few hours later, Bush clarified his position with his own tweet: "Anyone who discounts 6.5 million people stuck in part-time work and seeking full-time jobs

hasn't listened to working Americans."

Bush is right about Americans needing to work longer hours. He's also right that there are far too many involuntary part-time workers — 6.5 million today compared to a pre-recession 4.2 million. These folks are stuck because of economic reasons, traceable in large part to a slow-walking recovery and a variety of government policies that are discouraging full-time work.

Much of this is reflected in the U-6 unemployment rate. In June it stood at 10.5 percent, nearly double the 5.3 percent U-3 unemployment rate that gets the media headlines. The unusually wide spread between these rates in part reflects discouraged people who want to work and can't find a job, and in part the people who want to work more but can't get longer hours. You have to go back about 20 years to find such a large gap between the

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San Francisco: repeat offenders, come and stay

San Francisco is not likely to change its ill-conceived sanctuary-city policy because City Hall must bow to progressives who don't believe in deporting undocumented immigrants with serious criminal records. Activists such as Angela Chan of the Asian Law Caucus believe that Sheriff Ross Mirkarimi was right



DEBRA SAUNDERS

to release Juan Francisco Lopez-Sanchez rather than turn him over to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement as requested. They don't care that Lopez-Sanchez had been convicted of seven felonies and deported five times before he was arrested for the July 1 shooting death of Kathryn Steinle.

Lopez-Sanchez has pleaded not guilty to murder. Already, city pols are treating Steinle's death as an anomaly. Supervisor Malia Cohen told the San Francisco Chronicle, "I'm not going to let one extremely unfortunate situation frame the policy."

It wasn't always so. In 2010, when he was California's attorney general, now Gov. Jerry Brown opposed the sanctuary-city policy and supported the federal Secure Communities program, which automatically passed on the fingerprints of new arrestees to ICE. The idea was to deport criminal aliens. Advocates called for an end to the program. Brown, however, reasoned that it eliminated the possibility of racial profiling: "Using fingerprints is faster, race-neutral and results in accurate information and identification."

By 2013, Brown had signed the California TRUST Act, which prevents local law enforcement from honoring ICE detainers except in cases of serious or violent felonies. Brown had vetoed earlier legislation with no exception for convicted felons; he actually had to fight for that provision before he caved to the Legislature. Good for Brown, but why would any lawmaker want to shield immigrants who keep breaking criminal laws even though they should be on their best behavior because they are here illegally and should be afraid of being kicked out of this country?

San Francisco's Due Process for All ordinance, approved unanimously in 2013, is even more porous. It directs local law enforcement to comply with ICE detainers only if an individual has committed a violent felony in the past seven years. By that sorry standard, the sheriff followed city law in not complying with the federal detainer.

The Chronicle's Emily Green reports that not one single San Francisco supervisor wants to change the 2013 law. Jesse Waters of Fox News confronted supervisors about the policy on camera. Supervisor Jane Kim said the real issue is "gun control," as no one with Lopez-Sanchez's criminal record should have access to a gun. (It turns out the gun was stolen from a federal agent's car, so I don't see how gun control applies.) Supervisor Katy Tang used two F-words, one an expletive and the other "Fox News." Supervisor Scott Wiener chanted, "Fox News is not real news." Then he ducked into his office. A woman is dead, and these swells only see Fox News.

San Francisco Mayor Ed Lee faults his nemesis, the sheriff — whom Lee tried to fire after Mirkarimi pleaded guilty to a count of

domestic violence — for releasing Lopez-Sanchez. Lee is right to assert that Mirkarimi could have — should have — made a phone call to ICE. Lee is right to fault Mirkarimi for instructing deputies in March to limit communication with ICE absent a warrant or court order. But Lee was wrong to tell the San Francisco Board of Supervisors on Tuesday, "Our sanctuary policy was never intended to create a safe haven for criminals who tear our communities apart."

That's exactly what the 2013 ordinance was intended to do — to create a safe haven for criminals, except for recently violent felons, against deportation. The truly unintended part was that some San Franciscans might object. Now the truth is out. City Hall is more invested in protecting undocumented immigrants convicted of nonviolent felonies than shielding the general law-abiding public from repeat criminals.

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59. Best pizza _____
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COMMUNITY

66. Best community event _____
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US stocks rise as eBay, Citi, others report strong earnings

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks are rising broadly in afternoon trading Thursday after several big companies reported better-than-expected earnings.

The rise in U.S. stocks follows a rally in European markets on news that Greece's parliament approved tax hikes, cuts to pensions and other measures demanded by its creditors. The country got more loans and assistance to its banks.

KEEPING SCORE: The Dow Jones industrial average was up 51 points, or 0.3 percent, at 18,101 as of 3:16 p.m. Eastern time. The Standard & Poor's 500 index gained 15 points, or 0.7 percent, to 2,122. The Nasdaq composite climbed 56 points, or 1 percent, to 5,155.

GREEK RELIEF: Eurozone creditors agreed to start discussions about a new bailout package for Greece after that country's lawmakers approved a strict austerity bill that the creditors had required. Separately, the European Union agreed to provide a short-term loan to Greece, and the European Central Bank decided to raise the amount of emergency liquidity available to the country's banks.

THE QUOTE: "Some of the red flags in the market have come down, and now the market can

look to earnings," said Kevin Dorwin, managing principal of Bingham, Osborn & Scarborough, a San Francisco-based investment firm.

NETFLIX SOARS: Netflix jumped 18 percent, the biggest gainer in the S&P 500, after announcing late Wednesday that it had added far more subscribers than projected to its service in the second quarter, some 3.3 million. Netflix earnings fell 63 percent for the three-month period, but still beat expectations. Its stock rose \$17.73 to \$115.86.

CITI BEATS: Citigroup climbed \$1.95, or 3.5 percent, to \$58.41 after announcing profits had rebounded in the second quarter from the same period a year earlier, when the bank recorded a huge legal settlement with regulators for its role in the housing bubble and financial crisis.

EBAY RISES: eBay rose \$2.23, or 3.5 percent, to \$66.67 after announcing earnings that topped Wall Street expectations. The company also said it sold a business that helps develop online sites for retailers as it prepares to spin off PayPal.

EARNINGS SO FAR: Since the unofficial start to earnings season a week ago, 38 companies in the S&P 500 have reported results and most

have beaten expectations. That has raised hope that earnings won't be as bad as many have expected. S&P Capital IQ is still predicting that earnings at companies in the S&P 500 will fall 3.8 percent from a year earlier.

ONE EXPERT'S VIEW: "Just like every earnings season, expectations are low," said Jack Ablin, chief investment officer of BMO Private Bank. He added, though, that "if today is any indication, three-quarters of the companies will beat."

EUROPEAN RALLY: Major stock indexes in Europe rose after the news about Greece. Germany's DAX and France's CAC-40 each climbed 1.5 percent. Britain's FTSE 100 gained 0.6 percent.

CHINA GAINS: The Shanghai Composite Index rose after two days of big drops, climbing 0.5 percent. In other Asian markets, Japan's Nikkei 225 advanced 0.7 percent and South Korea's Kospi added 0.7 percent. Hong Kong's Hang Seng edged up 0.4 percent.

ENERGY: Benchmark U.S. crude lost 50 cents to close at \$50.91 a barrel in New York. Brent crude, a benchmark for international oils used by many U.S. refineries, rose 46 cents to close at \$57.51 a barrel in London.

In other futures trading on the New York Mercan-

tile Exchange:

— Wholesale gasoline rose 3.8 cents to close at \$1.897 a gallon.

— Heating oil fell 0.3 cent to close at \$1.666 a gallon.

— Natural gas declined 6.4 cents to close at \$2.854 per 1,000 cubic feet.

BONDS, CURRENCIES: U.S. government bond prices didn't move much. The yield on the 10-year Treasury note held steady at 2.35 percent. The euro fell to its lowest level since the beginning of June, slipping to \$1.0876 from \$1.0954 in late trading Wednes-

day. Against Japan's currency, the dollar was roughly flat at 124 yen.

METALS: Precious and industrial metals futures closed mostly lower. Gold lost \$3.50 to \$1,143.90 an ounce, silver fell 6 cents to \$14.96 an ounce and copper was little changed at \$2.53 a pound.

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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two measures. And Jeb Bush was probably also thinking about the low labor-force participation rate, which stands at a rock-bottom 62.6 percent compared to 66 percent in the prior cyclical peak.

Or perhaps Bush has been briefed by the Hoover Institution's Ed Lazear, the former Council of Economic Advisers chair. Lazear points out that the employment-to-population ratio stands at an unusually low 59.5 percent today. At the peak of the last economic cycle it was 63.5 percent. The difference is about 7 million or 8 million jobs. The difference in participation rates is at least 6 million jobs.

So I don't know which candidate is "closer to the people," but Bush is closer to the statistical truth — at least as registered by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

In other words, facts. AEI columnist and TV

personality Jim Pethokoukis cites this fact: Of the 6.5 million Americans who work "part time for economic reasons," about a quarter want to work full time. And that share is about double what it was before the Great Recession.

So Bush is basically saying: There are too many part-timers, they would like to work longer, and if they had that opportunity, they and their families and the economy would benefit.

I still believe these labor-market problems are deeply rooted to this slow-paced recovery. We never had the snapback that other deep recessions produced. And there are a number of ill-conceived tax, regulatory and monetary policies that have discouraged work, undermined incentives and created obstacles to the kind of 4 or 5 percent growth that should have occurred over the past six years.

For example, means-tested small entitlements — such as overextended unemployment insurance, Social Security Disabil-

ity Insurance and food stamps — have clearly perverted work incentives. Eligibility has been substantially raised and time limits have been removed. So in many cases, on a net after-tax basis, it pays more not to work.

Then there's Obamacare, which throws off a million economic disincentives. But here's one that goes directly to the Jeb Bush part-time employment issue: the so-called 29ers. If an employee works 29 hours a week, the employer does not have to purchase overly expensive Obamacare. So instead of working 34.5 hours a week, the long-term trend, you now have a lot of people at 29 hours or less because of bad government health-care policy.

By the way, every one-tenth of an hour less worked costs the economy between 350,000 and 400,000 jobs. This is the damage that Bush

was likely thinking about when he pointed to involuntary part-timers hurting the economy.

We don't yet know all the details of Jeb Bush's economic plan. But on the campaign trail, according to New York Sun columnist Ira Stoll, he's talking about fixing how we tax and regulate, a broken immigration system and unleashing a domestic energy revolution.

And we know he favors a 4 percent economic-growth target as a means of recovering from past policy sins and restoring American opportunity and prosperity for all. Governor Chris Christie has adopted the same target. It's way too early to endorse, but both of these gentlemen have the story right.

Hillary Clinton so far has it wrong.

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Tracy

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asked them to realize that although each of them had lost their mother, she had lost each of her children. She reminded them and asked them to rely upon each other, to love each other and cooperate with each other, just as she had these past few years after she had lost their father. She reminded them that they were not alone, that they had each other to draw upon for comfort and love.

As the reader finished reading the letter aloud to the siblings, there was no fighting, no bickering, and no hard feelings over the precious mementos that sat on the island in their mother's kitchen. Suddenly, the items were of little value compared to the sweet letter their mother had written expressing her unwavering dedication and love for each of her precious children. The last remaining items were disbursed with love and coopera-

tion among the siblings. It seems their value paled in comparison to the expressions of their mother's love and her concern for each of them within her letter.

Amy and her siblings agree that the mementos from their mother's home are wonderful to have within their own homes. The item of greatest value, however, is the one that each of them has - a copy of the written expressions of their mother's love as she prepared to leave them behind just before she died.

That memento is more priceless than rubies.

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Gary Mack, JFK assassination museum mastermind, dead at 68

DALLAS (AP) — Gary Mack, a former television news producer whose interest in the death of President John F. Kennedy helped launch a museum at the warehouse where Kennedy's assassin opened fire, died Wednesday. He was 68.

Mack died after a prolonged illness, according to a statement issued by the Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza. The Dallas museum's statement did not provide additional details about his death.

Mack was an announcer, camera operator and news producer for KXAS-TV in Fort Worth and Dallas from 1981 to 1993. Privately, he was a student of Kennedy's assassination, developing a reputation as a leading expert.

Mack served as a consultant in planning "John F. Kennedy and the Memory of a Nation," the exhibit that opened the Sixth Floor Museum in 1989. The museum is in the former Texas School Book Depository, and its sixth floor is the vantage point from which Lee Harvey Oswald shot at Kennedy as the president's motorcade made its way through Dealey Plaza on Nov. 22, 1963.

Mack joined the museum staff in 1994 as an archivist and was named curator in 2000, becoming a name and face familiar to Kennedy history buffs. He also became the voice of the museum, providing the recorded narrations to exhibits and self-guided tours.

"I doubt if anybody anywhere knew more details about all aspects of the JFK assassination and aftermath than Gary," author Hugh Aynesworth, a frequent writer on the assassination, told The Dallas Morning News.

Mack had long professed at least the suspicion that Oswald did not act alone in the assassination. Yet he was active in debunking many conspiracy theories, and even those confirmed in the belief that Oswald was a lone actor revered Mack's expertise.

"He was always a remarkable source of information about the case and a wise guide who helped me avoid the many investigative pitfalls and black holes of JFK's murder," Gerald Posner, author of the book "Case Closed," in which he concluded Oswald acted alone, told The Morning News.

46 indicted on charges related to smuggling drugs on flights

DALLAS (AP) — Dozens of people are facing charges related to smuggling drugs into several U.S. cities on commercial flights from Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport, federal prosecutors said Wednesday.

The U.S. Attorney's Office in Dallas released a statement saying most of the 46 defendants are from northern Texas and would appear in court beginning Wednesday. Charges include intent to distribute cocaine and methamphetamines, conspiracy and money laundering.

Undercover agents gave some suspects packages, purporting they contained drugs, that were then carried onto flights for payments of up to \$9,000, according to an indictment unsealed Wednesday. Prosecutors said the drugs were flown to Las Vegas, Phoenix, Chicago and San Francisco, as well as Newark, New Jersey, and Wichita, Kansas.

It wasn't immediately clear how many of the defendants were in custody Wednesday. The U.S. attorney's office declined comment beyond its press release. Airport spokeswoman Cynthia Vega said airport officials were aware of the FBI sting investigation, and that none of the indicted individuals works for the airport, which has about 1,800 employees. She said only two of those indicted work for companies that operate out of the airport, where about 63,000 people work daily.

The indictment, issued last month by a federal grand jury in Dallas, said the scheme began in 2011. Authorities said four defendants either worked at the airport or used ties to an airport worker to bypass security screening. Investigators believe that a man who worked at the airport, for a company not identified in the indictment, helped relatives smuggle drugs from the airport. The worker's cousin allegedly told an undercover agent that he or other relatives could arrange to have drugs transported on passenger flights. Agents gave the cousin a backpack containing what they said was cocaine, and he and his uncle flew to Las Vegas and delivered it to another undercover officer, the 17-count indictment alleges.

The uncle told an undercover agent that his name would be put on an employee list instead of the standard passenger list. The uncle also said he had been flying several times a month to watch how Transportation Security Administration agents conducted checks in various cities, and he had been waiting for an opportunity to transport drugs on an American Airlines flight. Fort Worth-based American Airlines, which uses the airport as its main hub, issued a statement saying it was taking the matter seriously and has been cooperating with law enforcement throughout the investigation. It says the company's top priority is "the safety and security of our customers and employees."

More than two dozen airlines serve the airport, where five terminals include restaurants and other shops to serve the estimated 174,000 daily passengers, according to the airport website.

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The PAMPA NEWS Church Calendar

First Church of the Nazarene

The Church of the Nazarene is sponsoring some great family activities in July! We are planning to have FREE movie nights outside and show the film on the wall of the fellowship hall at dusk on Fridays July 3, 10, and the 17th. Please bring a lawn chair, mosquito repellent, and some friends to see a wonderful show good for the whole family. It will start at dusk each evening. There will not be an offering- just come enjoy a summer evening and have a good time with the neighbors. And we are also planning to have Vacation Bible School on the Wednesdays of July 8, 15, 22, 29 for children who have completed Kindergarten through the 5th grades from 6:30 to 8 Pm. There will be Bible stories, great singing, and other activities too. We are asking for an offering at VBS for a children's Special Needs ministry. Thanks in advance for your interest and participation.

Our services are Sunday School at 9:45 Am and Sunday Worship at 10:45 Am at 500 N. West St. You may call 806-669-3144 for more information. Pastor Jimmye and the congregation welcome one and all. God bless you and God bless America!! God is still in charge.

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.

Keith Feerer is the Preacher. For more information call 806-665-0031.

Saint Matthew's Episcopal Church

Located at 727 West Browning, St. Matthew's Episcopal Church openly welcomes everyone to a place of worship rich in outreach to the community of Pampa and the surrounding area.

Worship services for the week begin on Sunday 8 a.m. (No music) Sunday School and Adult Christian Education begins at 9:30 a.m. Our main worship service begins Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Our Wednesday 10 a. m. we offer a service which follows the "Litany of Healing" where prayer needs throughout the community and the world are identified. The Episcopal Church Women's bible study immediately follows the Wednesday 10 a.m. service. Additionally, there is a

Wednesday 6 p.m. worship service.

Please note that Saint Matthew's opens its doors to everyone on the third Wednesday of each month with an open invitation to eat with us during our monthly Community Ministry dinners. We serve dinner from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. There is no charge and we do not ask for donations. It is through God's blessings that we are able to freely offer these meals. We welcome all with open loving arms.

Please call (806) 665-0701 for additional information.

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

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

Our Wednesday evening WOW program is on summer break as well as the choir practice. Watch for future notices in early September for our kick off for the new year.

Like us on Facebook too for all of the latest updates.

First Presbyterian Church is located at 525 N. Gray Street in Pampa. For more information please call our church office at 665-1031.


Highland Baptist Church VBS

Highland Baptist Church invites all children; Kindergarten through fifth grade (completed) to join us for VBS SpaceQuest. Get ready for an awesome adventure that is too good to miss. It will include an exciting worship rally, adventure-filled Bible stories, wonderful space crafts, creative recreation, and an "out-of-this-world" lunch and snack.

We are happy to offer this opportunity to every child in our community between the ages of five to 12 years old. Our focus will be "Exploring Our Mission with Jesus!"

VBS SpaceQuest will be held at Highland Baptist Church, 1301 N. Banks on Saturday, July 25 for one day only. We will begin at 9:30 a.m. and end at 2:30 p.m. For more information please call 665-3300. Come have a blast with us!

Editor's note: Email submissions to thowsare@thepampanews.com. Submissions should be 100 words or less and written in the third person. Please include the name of the church, the dates and times of worship services and community events, physical address, and a contact number and/or email address for the public.

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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.

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.

July 2015 DSHS

Immunization Clinic

The July 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.

The clinics will be on July 1, July 2, July 8, July 14, July 15 and July 22.

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

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 so 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 a 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.

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 806-665-7411.

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.

Meredith House

Meredith House is hosting an event, Helping Hands for Aging Parents, on Tuesday July 28, from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Dinner is provided. It is free taco Tuesday. The guest speakers are Ann Thompson (PRMC), Shannah Heymer (Golden Phoenix) and Linda Littlefield (Hospice of the Plains). This event is for the entire community. Please RSVP to Nita Hogue 661-9111 or Lindsay Jones 665-5668 by July 24.

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George HW Bush, 91, falls, breaks bone in neck, hospitalized

KENNEBUNKPORT, Maine (AP) — Former President George H.W. Bush, 91, the oldest living former president, was being treated at a hospital early Thursday for a broken bone in his neck suffered in a fall.

Bush, the 41st U.S. president, fell on Wednesday at his summer home in Kennebunkport but was doing OK and was wearing a neck brace, a Bush spokesman said.

"41 fell at home in Maine today and broke a bone in his neck," spokesman Jim McGrath tweeted on Wednesday night. "His

condition is stable -- he is fine -- but he'll be in a neck brace."

Bush was being treated at Portland's Maine Medical Center, where a children's hospital is named for his wife. The medical center confirmed his condition was stable but said it was premature to speculate about when he'll be released. It said he would be there at least overnight.

Bush, who has a form of Parkinson's disease and uses a motorized scooter or a wheelchair for mobility, has suffered other recent health setbacks.

He was hospitalized in Houston in Decem-

ber for about a week for shortness of breath. He spent Christmas 2012 in intensive care at the same Houston hospital for a bronchitis-related cough and other issues.

Bush, a Republican, served two terms as Ronald Reagan's vice president before being elected president in 1988. After one term, highlighted by the success of the 1991 Gulf War in Kuwait, he lost to Democrat Bill Clinton amid voters' concerns about the economy.

Bush, the father of Republican former President George W. Bush, was a naval aviator in World War

II and was shot down over the Pacific. He also was a former U.S. ambassador to China and a CIA director.

He has skydived on at least three of his birthdays since leaving the White House. He celebrated his 90th birthday by making a tandem parachute jump near his Kennebunkport home. He celebrated a low-key 91st birthday with his family there.

During the winter, Bush and his wife, Barbara Bush, live in Houston.

Another Bush son, Republican former Florida Gov. Jeb Bush, is running for president in 2016.

Texas inmate set for execution for killing 93-year-old woman

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — A Texas death row inmate was scheduled to be put to death Thursday for killing a 93-year-old woman at her home during a robbery a decade ago, though his lawyers sought a day earlier to have the execution delayed.

Clifton Lamar Williams was convicted of killing Cecelia Schneider, who was found by firefighters as they responded to a call about smoke com-

ing from her home in Tyler, about 85 miles east of Dallas, in July 2005. Investigators later determined she had been beaten and stabbed before her body and her bed were set on fire.

If the death sentence is carried out, Williams, 31, would be the 10th inmate to receive a lethal injection this year in Texas. The state carries out the death penalty more than any other state, and has at least seven other executions scheduled in the coming months.

The U.S. Supreme Court refused in April to review Williams' case. But late Wednesday, defense attorney James Huggler asked Texas courts for at least a 60-day delay after the Texas Attorney General's Office disclosed that two witnesses at Williams' 2006 trial used incorrect statistics provided by the FBI when testifying about population and DNA probabilities.

Huggler said what wasn't clear was what effect the errors had on their analysis.

Prosecutors said Williams broke into Schneider's home to get money to buy cocaine. Her missing car was found later that day, wrecked and abandoned. Williams, then 21, was arrested about a week later.

"His DNA and fingerprints were found in the victim's vehicle," Melvin Thompson, Williams' lead trial attorney, recalled Wednesday. "They had some significant evidence."

The revised figures

cede Williams' guilt but the "biggest objective in a capital case is to save the offender's life."

"It was frustrating, very frustrating," he said of the outcome. "I'm vehemently opposed to the death penalty. ... It's just vengeful killing."

Williams had been dating a woman who lived a few doors away from Schneider's home and had been seen in the neighborhood. Investigators said Williams led police to a pond where Schneider's purse that had contained about \$40 was found, along with a knife from her kitchen that investigators believe was used to stab her.

During the trial, a pathologist testified that Schneider was stabbed four times, including in her heart and lungs, and was beaten and may have been strangled.

According to trial testimony, Williams told a psychiatrist he began smoking marijuana at age 15, started lacing it with embalming fluid, then moved on to cocaine by the time he was 17.

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Texas corrections officer killed in inmate attack

NEW BOSTON, Texas (AP) — A corrections officer escorting an inmate to his cell was beaten to death Wednesday at a far northeast Texas prison, Department of Criminal Justice officials said.

The officer was escorting the inmate from a dayroom at the Telford Unit when he was attacked with an object, prison agency spokesman Jason Clark said. Officials did not immediately identify the weapon.

"It's still under investigation," Clark said.

The officer, Timothy Davison, 47, was taken to a hospital in Texarkana, about 20 miles east of the prison, where he died, Clark said. Davison, who lived near the prison, had been with the agency since December.

"Our hearts are deeply saddened by this tragic loss of life," Brad Livingston, executive direc-

tor of the prison system, said. "This dedicated correctional officer came to work each day determined to make Texas a safe place to live."

The inmate involved was identified as Billy Joel Tracy, 37.

Prison records show he has at least seven convictions dating back to 1995 and is serving a life sentence for robbery and aggravated assault from Rockwall County, a suburban county east of Dallas. He has other convictions from Tarrant and Potter counties, including possession of a deadly weapon while in prison. At least three convictions are for assaults on corrections officers.

"We will see that the offender who is responsible for this murder will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law," Oliver Bell, chairman of the Texas Board of Criminal

Justice, said.

Clark said the Telford Unit was properly staffed and had not been the scene of recent serious security problems.

"Of course, any time there's a serious incident like this, there will be a review," he said. "That's standard procedure."

Investigators from the agency's Office of Inspector General were at the prison and "processing the crime scene," Clark said.

It's the first slaying of a Texas corrections officer since 2007, when 59-year-old Susan Canfield suffered fatal head injuries during the chaos and gunfire as two inmates broke away from a work detail outside a Huntsville-area prison. Both inmates were recaptured. One of them convicted of her death has since been executed.

The Telford Unit in Bowie County can hold nearly 2,900 inmates.

Civilians begin shadowing 'Jade Helm' war exercise in Texas

BASTROP (AP) — No citizens were rounded up and imprisoned at Wal-Mart. Tanks didn't rumble down city streets in a declaration of martial law.

Eric Johnston wore his handgun on his hip Wednesday, but didn't really believe soldiers participating in one of the largest U.S. military training exercises in history were coming to confiscate it.

Still, he was ready if Jade Helm 15 came to the worst.

"I would like to think that if the situation were to turn afoul, many more of our people would stand up and come to assist," said Johnston, a retired Arizona sheriff's deputy and the Texas organizer of a national group called Counter Jade Helm.

In fact, the seven-state war exercise launched in the exact manner Army officials have spent months patiently describing to conspiracy theorists: With no fanfare or cause for alarm, and almost entirely out of sight to the general public. Pops of gunfire echoed beyond the front gates of Camp Swift near Bastrop, Texas, though that hardly seemed out of the ordinary on what is a training ground for the Texas National Guard.

Parts of Arizona, Florida, Louisiana, Missis-

sippi, New Mexico and Utah are also hosting the three-month training exercise, which the Army has acknowledged as unique given the size and scope. Military officials have said the topography in selected areas is ideal to replicate foreign combat zones.

Suspensions intensified after some conservative political websites seized on an Army map that labeled Texas and Utah as "hostile" for the purposes of the simulation. Fears spilled into public view in April when about 200 people packed a community meeting here in Bastrop County and questioned an Army commander about whether martial law was imminent.

Texas Gov. Greg Abbott even ordered the State Guard to monitor the military's movements, drawing sharp rebuke from critics who accused the new Republican governor of pandering to fringe theorists. At least two people mailed tinfoil to his office, with one note reading, "For your hat!"

No other governor greeted Jade Helm with similar actions, and Abbott has deflected the mocking as overblown. His office had received 15 calls by lunchtime about Jade Helm, and aides were ready to answer.

Bastrop Mayor Ken Kesselus has spent weeks trying to dampen impressions that his city of 8,000 people is a hive of "wackos and conspiracy theorists."

"The last few weeks I've had 22 calls. One was from a guy in South Texas who thinks (President Barack) Obama is a communist, a Muslim and evil person and wanted me to warn everybody to hold onto their guns," Kesselus said. "The other 21 calls were from press."

Johnston has 27 volunteers — some armed — positioned across Texas, including a monitor he described as a retired Army ranger. He described them as a neighborhood watch.

Johnston, who has a white handlebar mustache and conceals his gun beneath his untucked shirt, emphasized that Counter Jade Helm is not "radical" like other groups and doesn't believe a military takeover is around the corner.

But he has his concerns.

"It doesn't make sense that if they're going to practice infiltration skills if they're going to be in uniform," he said. "I don't think this is a prelude to martial law. But they're just not being transparent on what they're doing."

South Texas judges spar with prosecutor over no-plea policy

VICTORIA (AP) — A South Texas district attorney is sparring with county judges over his policy not to allow plea deals in misdemeanor cases of drunken driving.

Victoria County District Attorney Stephen Tyler requires that all misdemeanor cases go to trial.

But three judges cite clogged court dockets as their reason for disregarding the year-old policy. They have recently allowed offenders to enter guilty pleas.

The Victoria Advocate reports that Tyler has responded by filing petitions with a state appeals court accusing the judges of failing to perform their duties.

Tyler implemented the policy after a man with three drunken-driving convictions drove drunk again and killed a woman while fleeing police.

Tyler says public trials are a prosecutor's best way to "increase awareness and accountability."



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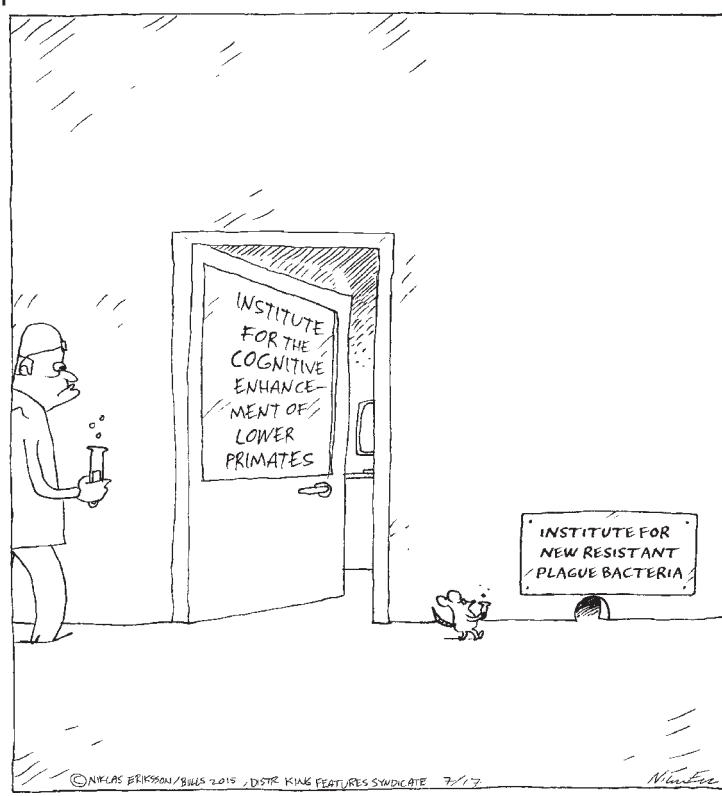
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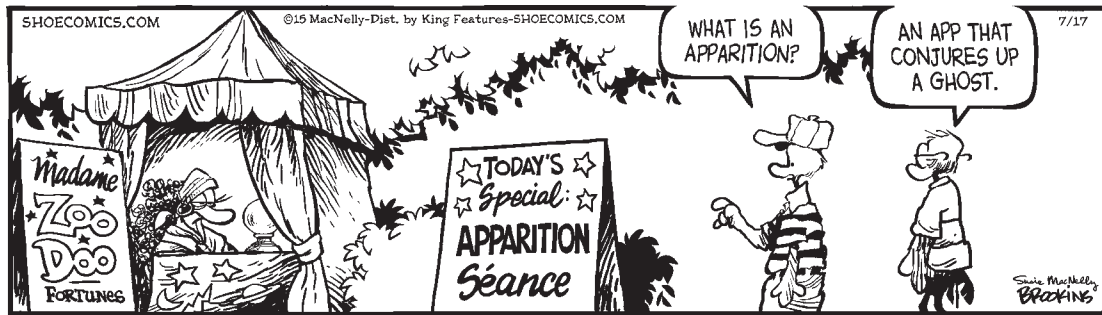
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DAILY Horoscope

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, July 18, 2015:

This year you live your life more fully. You are likely to receive a pay raise or some kind of promotion. For some of you, financial investments will pay off. Be careful, as you might go through a high spending period. If you are single, you could be rather chatty when relating to a potential suitor, but that will be critical in getting to know this person. As a result, you will want to take your time dating. If you are attached, you might need to curb your sarcasm. Love and accept the one you are with. **VIRGO** is even more critical than you are.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)★★★★

Make today just for you. Whether you schedule a massage or get together with a favorite person, it makes no difference. Start taking better care of yourself, and you will feel the difference by the end of the day. Tonight: Wherever you are, you attract others like a magnet.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)★★★★

Others will pick up on your high energy and strong sense of commitment. You will experience success, and you'll act like a winner. Others respond to you accordingly. Take some personal time later in the afternoon. Tonight: A loved one knocks on your door.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)★★★★

You might not be able to join friends just yet, as you have to handle a professional or personal responsibility first. A parent could make a request that you feel you must handle. By the end of the day, you'll want some downtime. Tonight: Zero in on what you want.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)★★★★★

You might feel as if you need to take off for a short trip. A different environment seems to be just what you need to relax. In a different setting, you will be able to be completely spontaneous. You'll feel like a different person by the end of the day. Tonight: In the limelight.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)★★★★

You might be questioning whether you want to spend one-on-one time with a loved one all day. Go along with this person's wish. The time will come when you will be able to ask for a favor from this person and receive it. Tonight: Go to a play or concert. Be entertained.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)★★★★

Others seem to be very busy, though you will be invited to join in. You might opt to go your own way and visit with a friend whom you often can be found laughing with. You'll act in a most unexpected manner and add some fun to the moment. Tonight: Where the action is.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)★★★

You seem to have a lot on your plate right now. You might prefer that no one bother you so that you can complete your to-do list for the day. You can successfully arrive at the goal, especially if you screen your calls. Tonight: Out with a favorite person.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)★★★★

You'll express the spirit of your sign as you get going today. No matter what activity you choose to participate in, you will be among friends. You are likely to come up with an unusual suggestion. Go out and make the most of this summer day. Tonight: Slow down a little.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)★★★★★

A domestic matter could be weighing heavily on you. You'll want to clear up a misunderstanding before you head out to visit with a family member. Make yourself No. 1 for a day. A flirty friend suddenly might appear. Tonight: Add that special touch wherever you are.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)★★★★★

Call others and swap news. You might want to adapt your plans when you hear what a friend is up to. Recognize that you have a limited amount of energy and time. Spending time with a close friend is also a priority. Tonight: Invite a friend or two over for dinner.

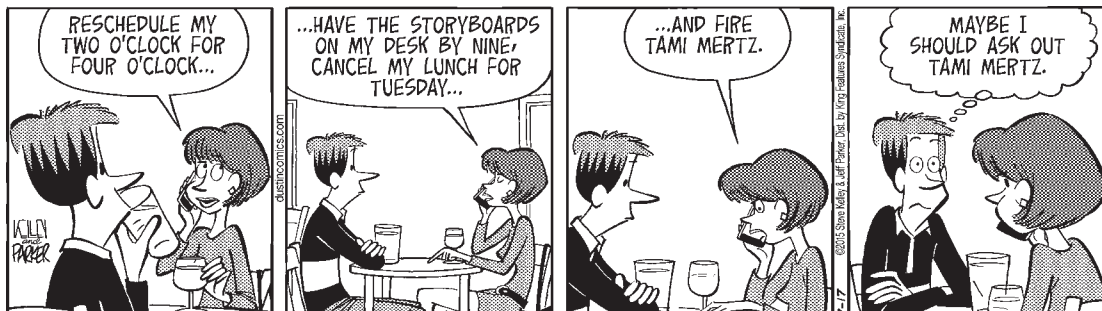
CANCER (June 21-July 22)★★★★

You might want to do some shopping that you have been putting off. Catch up on a friend's news, and you'll lighten up. Accept an invitation that might not be exactly what you want to do. You could surprise yourself and have a great time. Tonight: Hang out with friends.

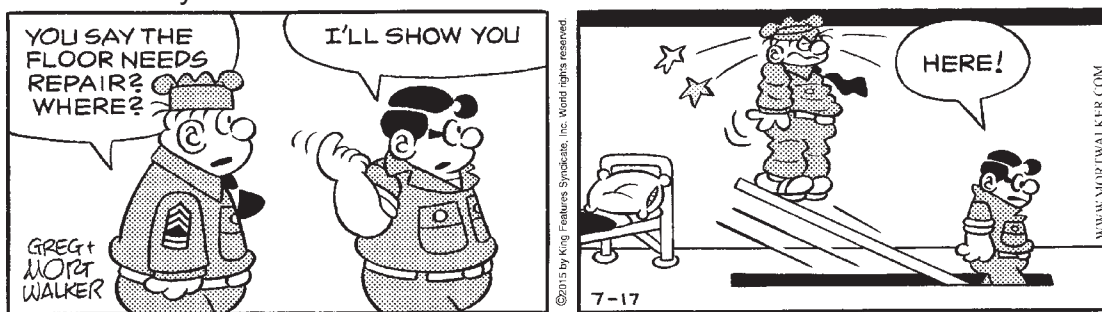
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)★★★★

People seem to know when you enter a room without even looking. It is as if your energy flows in ahead of you! Opportunities emerge from your ability to draw others out. You could get fussy later in the day. Consider heading home early. Tonight: Make it your treat.

Dustin



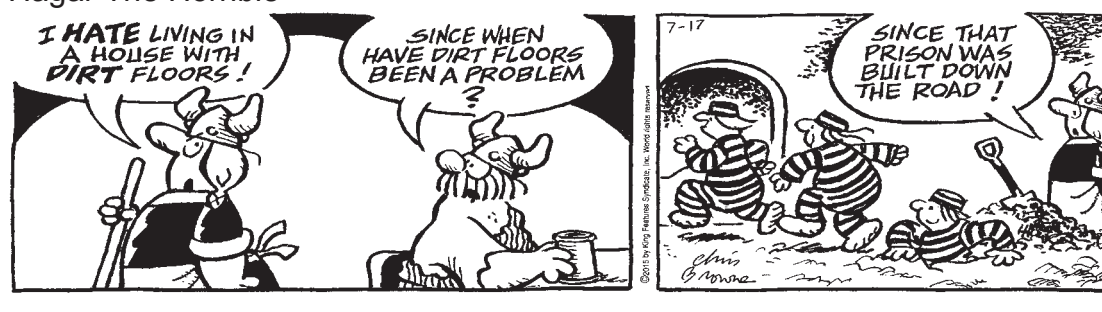
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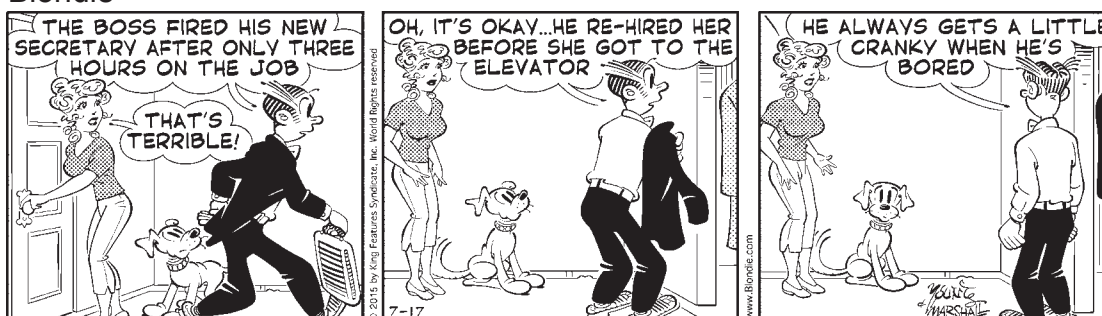
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THE CONTENDERS

A capsule look at top contenders for the British Open, to be played July 16-19 on the Old Course at St. Andrews:

DUSTIN JOHNSON



Age: 31
Country: United States
Worldwide wins: 9
Majors: None

2015 wins: Cadillac Championship

2015 majors: Masters-T6, U.S. Open-T2

Open memory: Two shots behind on the par-5 14th at Royal St. George's in 2011, he tried to lay up with a 2-iron and hit it out-of-bounds. He finished three shots behind Darren Clarke. In his favor is his great bunker player and superb putting. Against him are the odds. No one — not Palmer, Jack Nicklaus or Tiger Woods — has won the four professional majors in one year.

SERGIO GARCIA



Age: 35
Country: Spain
Worldwide wins: 22
Majors: None

2015 wins: None

2015 majors: Masters-T17, U.S. Open-T18

Open memory: Catching the edge of the cup on a 10-foot par putt on the 18th hole that would have won the Open at Carnoustie in 2007. He lost in a playoff.

RICKIE FOWLER



Age: 26
Country: United States
Worldwide wins: 3
Majors: None

2015 wins: The Players Championship.

2015 majors: Masters-12, U.S. Open-Cut.

Open memory: Opening with a 79 at St. Andrews in his debut, following with a 67 to make the cut and closing with a 67 to tie for 14th.

PHIL MICKELSON



Age: 45
Country: United States
Worldwide wins: 45
Majors: Masters

(2004, 2006, 2010), British Open (2013), PGA Championship (2005).

2015 wins: None

2015 majors: Masters-T2, U.S. Open-T64.

Open memory: Closing with a 66 at Muirfield in 2013 to win the Open.

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Event: 144th British Open **Dates:** July 16-19
Site: St. Andrews (Old Course) **Length:** 7,297 yards **Par:** 36-36_72
Field: 156 (145 professionals, 9 amateurs) **Prize money:** \$9.8 million
Winner's share: \$1.79 million

FACTS & FIGURES



Defending champion: Rory McIlroy
Last year: McIlroy went wire-to-wire

at Royal Liverpool, building a six-shot lead going into the final round and closing with a 71 for a two-shot victory over Rickie Fowler and Sergio Garcia. He joined Jack Nicklaus and Tiger Woods as the only players with three majors at 25 or younger.

Last time at St. Andrews: Louis Oosthuizen of South Africa took advantage of the good end of the draw and beat the wind for a 67 in the second round that gave him a five-shot lead. He led over the final 48 holes, made only two bogeys on the weekend and closed with a seven-shot victory over Lee Westwood. Rory McIlroy tied a major championship record with a 63 in the opening round. In a gale the next day, he shot 80.

Open champions at St.

Andrews: Tom Kidd (1873), Bob Martin (1876, 1885), Jamie Anderson (1879), Robert Ferguson (1882), Jack Burns (1888), Hugh Kirkaldy (1891), J.H. Taylor (1895, 1900), James Braid (1905, 1910), Jock Hutchison (1921), Bobby Jones (1927), Denny Shute (1933), Dick Burton (1939), Sam Snead (1946), Peter Thomson (1955), Bobby Locke (1957), Kel Nagle (1960), Tony Lema (1964), Jack Nicklaus (1970, 1978), Seve Ballesteros (1984), Nick Faldo (1990), John Daly (1995), Tiger Woods (2000, 2005), Louis Oosthuizen (2010).

Grand Slam: Masters and U.S. Open champion Jordan Spieth is only the fourth player since 1960 to win the first two majors of the year. No one has ever won all four professional majors in the same year.

Farewell to Tom:



Tom Watson is playing in his final British Open. He is the only player to win the Open on five courses

— but never at St. Andrews.

Noteworthy: Rory McIlroy (26) and Jordan Spieth (21) have split the last four majors. The last time two players in their 20s shared four straight majors was Walter Hagen and Gene Sarazen in 1921-22.

Quoteworthy: "Mostly St. Andrews is a mental and imagination test than any other. The others are great golf courses, but it's relatively obvious how to play. At St. Andrews, some of the places you aim the ball off the tee is completely bizarre."
- Geoff Ogilvy.

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Historic quest

Jordan Spieth in rarefied air entering Open

Jordan Spieth was an 18-year-old freshman at Texas when he stopped by St. Andrews with his U.S. team on his way to the Walker Cup. He played the Old Course. He walked through the Royal & Ancient clubhouse and gazed at oil paintings of golfers who were playing St. Andrews before America was even discovered. It was living history. And four years later, Spieth has a chance to become part of it. The British Open is special any time it returns to the home of golf. On the hallowed linksland formed centuries ago by nature between the Eden Estuary and St. Andrews Bay, leave it to a 21-year-old Texan to elevate this championship to rare heights. Only three other players since 1960s have come to the British Open with a shot at the Grand Slam — Arnold Palmer, Jack Nicklaus and Tiger Woods.

Jordan Spieth is the fourth player since 1960 to go to the British Open having won the first two majors of the year. No one has won all four pro majors in the same year. Here is a capsule look at the three previous attempts:

ARNOLD PALMER



YEAR: 1960

MASTERS: Palmer birdied the last two holes for a one-shot victory over Ken Venturi.

U.S. OPEN: In a charge that made him famous, Palmer shot 65 at Cherry Hills to rally from a seven-shot deficit. In the end, he had to hold off 20-year-old amateur Jack Nicklaus and Ben Hogan to claim what would be his only U.S. Open title.

BRITISH OPEN: Palmer fell seven shots behind Roberto de Vicenzo going into the 36-hole final at St. Andrews. He shot 70 and was four shot behind Kel Nagle. The afternoon 18 holes on the final day was pushed back to Saturday because of rain. Palmer closed with a 68 and finished one shot behind Nagle.

JACK NICKLAUS



YEAR: 1972

MASTERS: Nicklaus opened with a 68 and led start-to-finish for his fourth green jacket, beating Bruce Crampton, Bobby Mitchell and Tom Weiskopf by three shots.

U.S. OPEN: Nicklaus had at least a share of the lead each round, taking a one-shot lead going into the final round. He locked up his third U.S. Open title with a 1-iron that bounced off the pin on the 17th hole at Pebble Beach for a tap-in birdie, leading to a three-shot victory over Crampton.

BRITISH OPEN: Nicklaus was one shot behind Lee Trevino and Tony Jacklin going into the third round, but he shot 71 in the third round and fell six shots behind Trevino.

TIGER WOODS



YEAR: 2002

MASTERS: Tied with Retief Goosen going into the final round, Woods closed with a 71 as all his challengers made mistakes along the back nine, and he won by three shots over Goosen for his second straight Masters title.

U.S. OPEN: Woods led wire-to-wire at Bethpage Black, disposing of Sergio Garcia early and holding off Phil Mickelson late for a three-shot victory over Mickelson. It was the first time Woods won a major with a final round over par.

BRITISH OPEN: Woods was two shots out of the lead going into the weekend at Muirfield when he caught the brunt of a storm that packed 40 mph wind, rain and cold temperatures in the third round.

Golf's other Jordan makes strong start at British Open

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland (AP) — Turns out there's another 21-year-old American called Jordan to watch out for at the British Open.

Jordan Niebrugge shot the lowest first-round score by an amateur in the Open at St. Andrews with a 5-under 67 on Thursday, ensuring he was keeping Grand Slam-chasing Jordan Spieth company on the leaderboard.

Niebrugge's parents — dad Rod and mum Judy — were there to see their son's first round at a British Open after qualifying for golf's oldest major last month. They weren't surprised to see him play so well, given his liking for and experience in links conditions back home in Wisconsin.

"It's a cool way to play," said Niebrugge,

who took advantage of benign morning conditions to pick up shots on the first and last holes and birdie five more holes on the Old Course. "It's not target golf, like back in the States. Just to play around here and use your imagination is cool."

Niebrugge played in the Walker Cup in 2013 and is one of the rising talents in the United States. But he has said he will not turn professional until 2016 after he finishes his degree in entrepreneurship at Oklahoma State, the university that counts Rickie Fowler, Hunter Mahan and Scott Verplank among its golfing alumni.

Niebrugge appears to have an old head on young shoulders, much like Spieth — the current Masters and U.S. Open champion.

"I feel like he's just got the most confidence in the world and that's what you need in this sport," Niebrugge said of Spieth. "That's what everyone strives for. Definitely looking up to him and following in his footsteps just gives me that extra motivation."

Wearing a bright pink winter coat, Judy Niebrugge was easy to spot for her son as she walked the course on a cool, cloudy morning. Niebrugge's parents were also over for three weeks last month, when he competed in the British Amateurs, the Brabazon Trophy (an English amateur championship) and then final qualifying for the British Open.

Niebrugge shot 69 and 72 to tie for first place at Hillside, near Liverpool, and qualify for his second major after the Masters in 2014.

"He's been in this situation before, at the Masters and the Walker Cup, so I'm not really surprised," a proud-looking Rod Niebrugge said by the 18th green.

"He is pretty comfortable in this type of course and this type of weather is not unusual for him. He plays in wind in Oklahoma State and has played in snow in Wisconsin during high school in spring season. Obviously we didn't expect the 67 out of him, but he always had a chance of doing well."

Other amateurs were doing well on Thursday, too.

Paul Kinnear, a 20-year-old from Liverpool who also came through final qualifying, reached the turn at 5 under par. Ireland's Paul Dunne shot 69 and 22-year-old American Oliver Schniederjans had a 70.

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■ The state of the NBA.

The NBA could make a few changes to better the product. If you follow the NBA you have probably heard about DeAndre Jordan withdrawing his verbal commitment to the Dallas Mavericks to stay with the Los Angeles Clippers.

One change to prevent that would be to make the signing day the first day of talks and not have that week gap. This doesn't happen often but when it does it's an eye sore for the NBA.

Another thing to help

with some of that is to flip the draft date with the free agency date. This would allow teams to draft after the free agents have found a home so they know what to address in the draft.

While I'm talking about the draft I want to address the teams that are tanking. Several teams towards the end of the season that have no playoff hopes start losing games to hopefully secure a higher draft pick for the following season.

I would love to see games in April have meaning in every city not just the ones that are contenders. How about awarding the No. 1 and No. 2 picks to the ninth-seeded team in each

conference? (Top eight teams in each conference make the playoffs)

Award the teams that are fighting for playoff contention and playing meaningful games. Picks three and four would go to the 10 seeds, etc..

This would keep teams from shutting it down in March and cruising to the finish line. It would have fans looking at the standings more and watching games that could potentially change the franchise and they aren't even going to the playoffs. As an NBA fan I want to see teams like the Jazz, Lakers and Knicks contending again and watching them struggle and tank hurts the league.

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MATT EMBRY

From the Press Box

■ KC Chiefs and coach Andy Reid look to rebound in 2015.

While I have been very hard on quarterback Alex Smith throughout his career, even giving him the nickname "Captain Check-down," I will admit he has found some success under head coach Andy Reid. But honestly, I still think the

Chiefs' 2014 9-7 record is a result of reaching Smith's ceiling. Smith only had three passes of more than 40 yards. The following quarterbacks had more (besides the usual suspects): Austin Davis (4), Colt McCoy (4), Zach Mettenberger (4), Teddy Bridgewater (7), Robert Griffin III (8), Jay Cutler (8), Kirk Cousins (8) and Bryan Hoyer (10).

The Chiefs went the entire season without a touchdown from a wide receiver.

That being said, the Chiefs' offensive struggles were also the result of poor depth at the wideout position.

Gone is longtime wide receiver Dwayne Bowe and in is former Reid understudy Jeremy Maclin.

The Chiefs also drafted Georgia wide receiver Chris Conley. They also drafted offensive linemen Mitch Morse out of Missouri to beef up an offensive line that gave up 45 sacks last year (fourth-worst in the league).

The 2015 Kansas City Chiefs are going to look a lot like the 2012 Philadelphia Eagles as the Chiefs will be bringing back wideout Jason Avant. The also acquired linemen Ben Grubbs from New Orleans.

With a revamped offensive line, and an upgrade at the wide receiver position, the Chiefs should be able to get more done on the offensive side of the ball.

Defensively they signed outside linebacker Justin Houston to a six-year, \$101 million deal. Houston has 48.5 sacks in the last four years, 33 in the last two years.

They also used their first-round pick on corner Marcus Peters out of Washington. They also signed Tyvon Branch to help bolster that secondary.

The Chiefs only had two bad losses last year, at home against Denver and on the road in Tennessee. The rest were by 10 points or less.

The Chiefs start the season on the road in Hous-

ton, then have a date with the Denver Broncos in Arrowhead four days later, then travel to Green Bay and Cincinnati.

They should beat the Texans, and could steal one from Denver, but I don't see them beating the Packers and the Bengals. We'll have them starting 2-2.

The schedule eases up at home for Chicago and then on the road to Minnesota and back home for Pittsburgh and Detroit. The Chiefs could go 3-1 before their bye, if they take care of Detroit at home.

After the break they travel to Denver and San Diego, back home for Buffalo and travel back to Oakland. If they take care of business they should go 2-2, but watch out for Oakland at home.

They come home for their second date with the Chargers, travel to Baltimore and then end the season with a two-game home stand against Cleveland and Oakland. They should go 3-1 in the stretch.

Optimistically the Chiefs should go 10-6. If they win the games at home they should and steal one from their division foes and they may make the playoffs. It all depends on what Denver and San Diego do.

There you have it, Chiefs fans. Good luck!



JOHN LEE

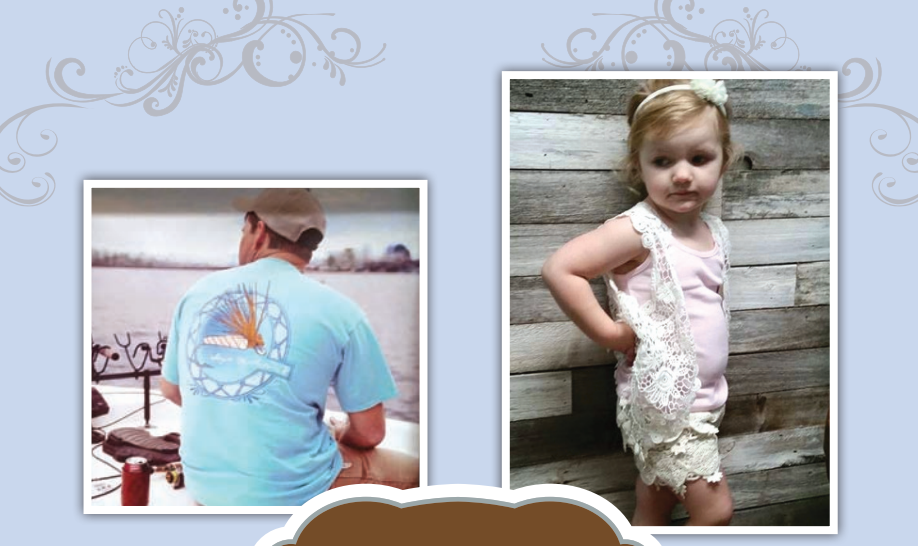
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8U Softball falls to Tri County, Ark. Wednesday

SUBMITTED
Pampa 8U lost to Tri County, Ark. in the opening round of the Southwest Regional Softball Tournament Wednesday in Magnolia, Ark.

and despite Pampa consistently putting the ball in play, Tri County only allowed one Pampa hitter to reach base. Pampa fell to the losers bracket where they would play again Thursday morning at 11 a.m. against an undetermined opponent.

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Texas Rangers at Houston Astros.....FSSW 7 p.m.
- Golf**
British Open: First-round play.....ESPN 3 a.m.
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LPGA Tour: Marathon Classic.....GOLF 1 p.m.
Barbasol Championship.....GOLF 3 p.m.
American Century Championship.....OLN 5 p.m.
- Cycling**
Tour de France: Stage 13.....NBCS 7 a.m.
- Australian Football**
North Melbourne v. Essendon.....FS2 4:30 a.m.
- Auto Racing**
Sprint Cup Series qualifying.....NBCS 3:30 p.m.
ARCA in Newton, Iowa.....FS1 8 p.m.
- Fighting**
UFC Fight Night Weigh-In.....FS1 8 a.m.
Bellator MMA: From Uncasville, Conn.....SPIKE 8 p.m.
- Pan American Games**
Basketball, swimming, volleyball, soccer.....ESPN2 7 p.m.
- Soccer**
America v. Manchester United.....FS1 10 p.m.

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