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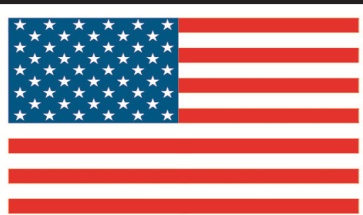
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Wednesday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 78. South wind 10 to 15 mph.
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Thursday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 78.
Friday: Sunny and hot, with a high near 101.
 Source: NWS, via weather.gov

Today in History
 On August 3

1492: Christopher Columbus' ships Nina, Pinta and Santa Maria set sail from Palos de la Frontera, Spain, in an attempt to find an all-water route to Asia.
1852: Harvard University defeats Yale University in the first Boat Race between the two schools. The race is known as the first American intercollegiate athletic event.
1977: Tandy Corporation announces the TRS-80, one of the world's first mass-produced personal computers.

Daily Quotes

"War makes strange giant creatures out of us little routine men who inhabit the earth."
 — **Ernie Pyle**
 "I furnished the body that was needed to sit in the defendant's chair."
 — **John T. Scopes**
 "What the detective story is about is not murder but the restoration of order."
 — **P.D. James**
 "I admire the courage and self-reliance it takes to start your own business and make it succeed."
 — **Martha Stewart**

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Herald makes changes to editorial team

By **ROGER CLINE**
 Managing Editor



Shown is the Big Spring Herald's three-member editorial team. At left is Patrick Gonzales, who handles Sports for the paper. Patrick started with the Herald in May. Center is newly named Herald Managing Editor Roger Cline, and at right is Staff Writer Andreia Medlin, who returned to the paper Monday after 10 years pursuing other activities.

The Big Spring Herald's Editorial Staff has seen some big shakeups over the past few months. Most recently, we welcomed Herald veteran Andreia Medlin to the newsroom Monday of this week. Andreia, a Big Spring native, graduated from Big Spring High School in 1984 and took classes at Howard College and Western Texas College. She first started at the Herald in 1999 as a clerk and later graduated to a Staff Writer position. "My last stint at the Herald was in 2012," she said. "I have also been a nurse, a fry cook, a library assistant and a Coca-Cola merchandiser." Andreia loves creating art, and other interests include reading, rock concerts, theme parks and collecting old vinyl records. "I am widowed and have one son," she said. The Herald's current sports guru, Patrick Gonzales, started at the paper in May, his first foray into journalism. Patrick was also born and raised in Big Spring, graduating from BSHS in 2004. "Like most West Texans, I began a career in the oilfield shortly after graduation," he said. "I have also served as a police officer for the Big Spring Police Department and

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College board hears update on budget, tax plans Monday

By **ROGER CLINE**
 Managing Editor

The Howard County Junior College District Board of Trustees planned a budget workshop for Aug. 15 when it met Monday. Howard College President Dr. Cheryl Sparks said budget planning is focused on a Strategic Plan the board developed in 2021. "The Strategic Plan that you all approved last year in May and June was a five-year plan that sets our course for the next five years," Sparks said. "As a part of the planning process, then, the budget plan ties back into that Strategic Plan." Sparks reminded board members that the Strategic Plan involved areas of focus for the college to emphasize over the five-year period. "We have strategic goals and objectives that are a part of that," she said. "What we try to do with the budget that we're putting together, we are tying back into those strategic goals and objectives, and of course we have just the daily operations that are part of what we do, but that is the kind of budget that we are putting together." Sparks said the four areas of strategic focus include Access, Student Success, Community and Workforce Development, and Performance Excellence. "We will be sharing at the special workshop we have on the 15th, special initiatives that we have in all those," she said. Sparks added that, at the direction of the board, faculty pay

increases will be another item of particular focus in the upcoming budget proposal. Monday morning, the board convened in executive session to discuss personnel matters, and then ate lunch before reconvening in open session. The meeting began with the invocation and pledges to the U.S. and Texas flags, followed by a time for comments to the board, however no one chose to address the board. The trustees unanimously approved the meeting's Consent Agenda, including minutes of the June 27 regular meeting; June financials; monthly reports of auxiliary services; personnel matters; and an internal audit report. The board unanimously approved organizational changes for the Junior College District before hearing a report on COVID-19 response at Howard College. "The good news is, we continue to see very little change in numbers as far as increase," Dr. Sparks reported. "We have had some increase in COVID numbers, as we know, the variant that has been roaming around has produced an effect, but certainly not anything like we've seen before. And the good news is, we're not seeing the kind of symptoms and severity of disease, so things are continuing to look good." Sparks said the college is continuing to remain vigilant in reporting COVID numbers as they arise. "Just a lot of reporting, and that is where we find ourselves right now," she said.

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KBSB discusses monument in Monday meeting

Keep Big Spring Beautiful met Tuesday at the Howard College Cactus Room, and the big topic on the agenda was the gateway welcome monument that is to be put in place hopefully in the next few months. "We hope to be writing that check soon," said Treasurer Jim DePauw. The monument will greet visitors and travelers at the west Interstate 20 overpass. A ribbon cutting is tentatively planned, although a date has not yet been set. Also discussed was possibly recruit-

ing area youth groups to help with trash pickup around town until other arrangements can be made with the city. The group hosted activities in cooperation with the Howard County Library's Summer Reading Program last week, and it was deemed a great success with more than 35 attendees. Presentations on how to properly bag trash and planting flowers were highlights of the program. "We had a great turnout," said Tammy DePauw, who said it was great to see the children want to get so involved.

New business included the future of Love Our Lake traditionally held just prior to the Big Spring Triathlon, which is not being held this year. A disc golf tournament is scheduled for Oct. 8 and 9, however, and Love Our Lake is tentatively scheduled to take place prior to that activity on Oct. 4. In the spirit of the new school year, school supplies will be handed out at the Back to School Bash Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. The next meeting will be held noon Sept. 6 in the Fireplace Room.

BSISD providing free lunches for 2022-23

Special to the Herald

Big Spring ISO is extremely excited to announce that for the 22/23 school year, all BSISO students will be provided free lunch and breakfast. This was all made possible because BSISD administration applied

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SMMC & Parkview providing school supplies Thursday

Special to the Herald

Scenic Mountain Medical Center and Parkview Skilled Care and Rehabilitation will be providing school supplies to children K-12 who reside in Big

Spring, Coahoma and Forsan. The supplies will be distributed on a first come first served basis Thursday 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. and refreshments will be available. SMMC is located at 1600 W. 11th Place.

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

- Note – Official's with the Howard County Jail reported having 100 inmates at the time of this report
- **BERREMAN DELBERT**, 64, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **AARON JOSEPH ENRIQUEZ**, 27, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of prohibited substance/item in correctional/civil commitment center.
- **EUSEBIO RAYMUNDO GONZALEZ**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of criminal mischief more than \$100 less than \$750.
- **AARON JUAREZ**, 22, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of abuse of official capacity.

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1300 block Colby Ave. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1500 block Tucson. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported on 2500 block S Monticello. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block E 14th St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2800 block Lawrence. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2500 block E 24th St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1800

- , 18, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of criminal trespass habitat/shelter.
- **SIDNEY BROOK PATTERSON**, 25, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of bail jumping and failure to appear.
- **JAVIER MAZANARES**, 42, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of criminal mischief more than \$100 less than \$750.
- **LEONARDO RAMOS**, 22, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.
- **STEWART RYAN SHADE**, 33, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of violation of occupational driver license.

block N Highway 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 300 block Veterans Blvd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1800 block N Highway 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3300 block W Highway 80. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block E 14th St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block Central Ave. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1500 block State. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Support Groups

WEDNESDAY

- Celebrate Recovery meets at First United Methodist Church Youth Hall, 400 Scurry, from 6-8 p.m. Hurts, habits and hang-ups. Leave message for Joyce Webb at 325-212-8600.

THURSDAY

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

FRIDAY

- Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.
- AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of



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Obituaries

Wanda Lockhart



Wanda Lockhart, 83, died Monday, August 1, 2022.

Visitation will be 6 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral service will be 10 a.m. Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Wanda was born June 2, 1939, to Gladys and Boerne Sturgill in San Angelo, Texas.

Wanda worked many years in banking including Coahoma State Bank, Security State Bank in Big Spring, and San Angelo National Bank. She loved bowling and volleyball.

Wanda is survived by her husband, Jimmy Lockhart of Big Spring; son, Calvin Johnson Jr. of San Angelo; three daughters, Pam Allen of South Carolina, Julie Whitker of Decatur, Texas, and Katy Simeroff of Carson City, Nev.

Wanda was preceded in death by her parents and one brother.

Pallbearers will be Paul Foresyth, David Foresyth, Thomas Hernandez, Jason Mize, Brent Zitterkopf, and Danny Sizenbach.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com

Paid obituary

Take Note

• Trinity Baptist Church, 1701 E. FM 700, will hold a GriefShare Ministry one-night seminar designed for those who have lost a spouse. The seminar will be from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 4. Enter at the rear of the church through Door #3, under the awning. Call the church at 432-267-6344 to let them know you're coming, or for more information.

• Quilts of Valor and D.A.V. Chapter 47 of Big Spring will be honoring local First Responder veterans in a special ceremony on Aug. 11 at 6:30 p.m. The ceremony will take place at Dora Roberts Community Center, and the community is encouraged to attend. Parkview Skilled Care and Rehabilitation will be providing light refreshments at the conclusion of the ceremony. First Responders from the Big Spring Fire Department, Big Spring Police Department and Howard County Sheriff's Office will be recognized.

• Food distribution at Three Angels Food Pantry is held every third Tuesday of the month at the Big Spring Seventh-Day Adventist Church, located at 4319 Parkway Rd. Food is provided by the West Texas Food Bank.

People will need to bring ID and plastic bags or a box, and answer a few questions - such as how many people live in the household - to pick up food. The food pantry also has a Facebook page where they will post any updates. <https://www.facebook.com/healthynuggetsofgold44>.

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worked for the Colorado River Municipal Water District. I am also a full-time student, working on my degree with a goal of becoming a high school cross country coach and teacher.”

In his spare time, Patrick enjoys cooking, fishing, hunting and running.

“I also like to volunteer my time coaching in the various youth leagues out in Coahoma,” he said.

Patrick is married with two children, a girl and a boy, both students at Coahoma High School.

Finally, Roger Cline made the transition this week from Staff Writer to Managing Editor of the Herald. Roger first started at the Herald in 2001, leaving in 2003 to complete his bachelor's degree at University of Texas of the Permian Basin. After graduation in 2005, Roger taught at science and English at Big Spring High School until 2010, then worked as a pizza delivery expert and earning a second bachelor's degree at UTPB. He rejoined the Herald staff in 2016.

Roger ventured off once more in 2019 to Snyder, working through the worst of COVID with the Snyder News, and returning to the Herald in February 2021.

Roger was born in Baltimore, Md., and moved to Texas at a young age, attending schools in Port Arthur, Texas, and graduating as a Thomas Jefferson Yellowjacket in 1987. In addition to UTPB, he attended Centenary College in Shreveport, La., the University of North Texas in Denton, and Lamar University in Beaumont.

Previously, Roger has also worked for the Port Arthur News and the McAllen Monitor.

For fun, he enjoys reading, attending movies, and playing board, card and roleplaying games.

Roger is a widower, with two grown stepsons and six grandchildren.

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The board approved Howard College Executive Vice President Amy Burchett and Chief Fiscal Officer Brenda Claxton as administrators for government grant funds for the college, and approved Phil Furqueron and Terry Hansen as architects in connection with the college's Facilities Master Plan.

Next, board members heard the previously mentioned report on budget preparations.

The trustees also heard an update on values from the Howard County Appraisal District, including a statement from Chief Appraiser Patricia Davis on the college district's taxable values in Howard County: \$8,700,755,552. The appraiser noted that new values total \$15,073,402, while the value of property remaining in protest is \$1,815,535. Trustees also unanimously approved an agreement for assessment and collection of taxes, and budgeted for tax collection fees.

While Sparks said the final tax rate has yet to be calculated, she said that since property values have increased, property tax rates will likely decrease. “They're working away on that. We're not at a point quite yet where we're

ready to say, 'This is what it's going to be.' Basically, they're doing that this week and that will go up on our website, because that information has to be posted this week,” she said. “But what we do know is this: The tax values, our tax base, has gone up dramatically, right at \$3 billion. So what is going to happen is, tax rates are going to decrease. So the no-new-revenue rate is going to be less than what the current tax rate is, because of how much the values have increased.”

Sparks indicated that average home values in the district have increased by about 7.9 percent, from \$96,883 to \$104,520.

The trustees approved the board's regular Financial Condition Report and Quarterly Investment Report.

In addition the board:

- Heard updates on construction at the Big Spring and SouthWest College for the Deaf campuses;
- Heard updates on renovations at the Library and Music buildings on the Big Spring campus;
- Heard updates on projects at SWCD including a paving project being planned by the City of Big Spring, and demolition of the old Diagnostic Center.

BSISD

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for and received the following meal service option programs. Those programs are, the Community

Eligibility Provision (CEP) program and the Universal Free (UF) program.

Big Spring ISO administration would like to communicate that the district still needs ALL families to fill out the Free and Reduced Lunch Applications. Failure to

fill out the Free and Reduced Lunch Application could affect our qualification of these programs in the future.

Thank you for allowing BSISD to serve the students of this great community! Go STEERS!

Take Note

- Homecoming for Big Spring High School is set for September 9 and 10, 2022.

The class of 1962 is celebrating its 60th anniversary and is looking for missing classmates, listed below. Please send names, addresses and/or contact information to: Susan Zack Lewis at ts@crcom.net

Jimmie Atkins, Cecil Baker, Elnora Baker, Joetta Barnes, Idalina Barraza, Alice Bedwell, , Kenneth Billings, Cal Boardman, Bill Bonner, Gayle Bratcher, Leahmon Bryant, Joe Cagle, Kay Carter, Mildred Cawthron, Janice Chandler, Clementeen Chatman, Charles Clay, Sue Cole, Suzanne Compton, Ronnie Cox, Larry Deighton, Rexie Denton, Ann Drinkard Sinclair, Lonnie Evans, Paula Faubion, Owen Frost, Lana Fulbright, Margaret Fuller, Yolanda Gamboa, David Garcia, Richard Richardson, James Gilbert, Norma Graves, Thomas Green, Gloria Greenwood, Edith Gregory, Michael Halverson, Jan Hamilton, Gerald Harrison, Preston Harrison, Sam Hartfield, Don Heath, Billie Henderson, Jerry Henderson, Clarence Henkell, Roger Henry, Rosemary Herrera, Jimmy Hinds, Connie Hinojos, Caroline Holder, Virginia Houchin, Claudie Horn, Ronnie Jeter, Diane Jones, Nancy Jones, Karen Kendrick, Carrey King, Rick King, R.C. Knightstep, Jimmy Knous, Ola Mae Lane, Tommy Leslie, Caroline Lewis, Peggy Lewis, Pat Martin, Ed Martinez, Ernest Mata, Dorinda Medford, Ray Minks, Donald Mitchell, Cruz Montanez, Jerry Moore, Virginia Morris, Harold Morrison, Linda Morton, Carol McCullough, Virginia McKee, Bettie McPherson, Betty McWhorter, Skipper Neill, Rita Nelson, Sandra Nichols, Sandra Nixon, Margaret Oliver, Shirley Osborn, Linda Page, Judy Parker, Dexter Pate, Judy Pate, Gene Patton, Johnny Paul, Greg Peay, Elton Perkins, Iva Mae Perkins, Jim Pierce, Bobby Prior, Mary Puga, Claudia Richardson, Winnora Richbourgh, Teresa Rocha, Mary Roger, George Ryan, Carolyn Seago, Carla Smauley, Chap Smith, Chester Smith, Danna Smith, Wyetta Smith, Marcus Sweatt, Jimmy Thomas, Robert Thomas, Perry Thompson, Guadalupe Tovar, Earlene Trantham, Margaret Turnbow, Jan Turney, Leola Vance, Leonilda Webb, Richard West, Lynda Whiteside, Troy Wilhite, Diane Womack, Margaret York, Jeri Cain.

- The Big Spring Art Association is looking for community businesses to display pieces of their artwork. In an effort to build awareness for the importance of the arts and highlight local talent, the Big Spring Art Association displays different art pieces across the community. If you would like a piece of art work displayed in your business lobby contact any member of the Big Spring Art Association.

- The Big Spring Art Association meets the third Saturday of the month, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, in the basement of the Howard County Library. Come join us, we would love to have you. For more information, call 432-263-4155; Michelle Worthan at 325-227-3911; Kay Smith at 432-213-1153; or Ruby Bruns at 432-664-1943.

- The Great Courses history video lecture series is taking place each Wednesday in the Theater Room in the First Presbyterian Church, located at 701 Runnels Street. No charge for the lectures.

- Howard County Community Health Center is offering the Moderna – a two dose and Janseen – a single dose, Covid-19 vaccine to those over the age of 18. Businesses, churches, groups or organizations of 10 members or more who would like the vaccine can schedule a time to have a mobile vaccine clinic. The staff will to the business, church, or organization to administer the vaccine. For ore information, call 806-894-7842 ext 178 or 124 or e-mail Covid19@sprhs.org

- Scenic Mountain Medical Center Auxiliary is looking for new members. If you have a heart for serving people, have at least four hours a week to spare, SMMC Auxiliary might be the fit for you.

Duties include working in the gift shop, delivering newspapers to inpatients, hospitality services, popcorn and more. To find out more about opportunities available with the SMMC Auxiliary, contact Amy Miramontes at 268-4809 or April Arms at 268-4907.

- St. Vincent de Paul food distribution will take place the second Thursday of each month from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and other assistance will take place the third Thursday of each month from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. Both distributions will take place at 1009 Hearn at SVDP Building.

- Interim HealthCare is looking for volunteers. Those who would like to find out more about becoming a volunteer can call 432-263-5999.

- VFW Post 2013 meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. New members are being sought. The Post is located at 500 Driver Rd. Qualified veterans, those who have served in a foreign war, who are interested in joining the VFW are encouraged to attend a meeting to find out more information.

- DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like: • Will I survive? • How to get out of debt. • How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship? • How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children. • Is reconciliation possible? There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

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Virgie Burchell, 81, died Thursday. Graveside service Wednesday 10 AM at Mount Olive Cemetery.

Wanda Lockhart, 83, died Monday. Visitation Thursday 6:00 PM until 7:30 PM at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral service Friday 10 AM at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Robert Patterson, 93, died Friday. Family will receive friends Friday from 6 PM until 7 PM at Myers & Smith Chapel. Vigil service Friday at 7 PM at Myers & Smith Chapel. Graveside service Saturday 10 AM at Trinity Memorial Park.

Laura Evans, 43, died Saturday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Brian Senter, 46, died Monday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Smythia Hilario, 55, died Friday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. A fund has been established to assist the family with funeral expenses.

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Coahoma HS fall sports programs return



Courtesy photos/Lyndel Moody
Top and bottom left, Coahoma High School football players participate in their first official practice of the 22-23 season during Midnight Madness on August 1. Top right, Brynn Rodgers participates in the first official Coahoma High School volleyball practice on Monday. The Bulldogs open their season on August 25 against Howard County rival Forsan in the 9th Annual Howard County Bowl. The Bulldogettes begin their season on August 9 as they travel post to face the Lady Antelopes.

Special to the Herald

Fall sports are back!
Coahoma Bulldog football players returned to the gridiron for the annual Midnight Madness practice held Monday at the Bill Easterling Memorial Field to prepare for one of the toughest Texas high school football districts in 3A, Division II.
Along with last season's state-ranked teams Idalou, Roosevelt, and Abernathy, the Bulldogs will face Stanton and Littlefield in District 4-3A, Division II





action.
Coahoma's first game of the season will be at 7:30 p.m. on Aug. 25 against Forsan in the annual Howard County Bowl. The game will be held at Memorial Field on the Howard College campus.
The Bulldogettes also got to work on Monday to begin preparing for the 2022 volleyball season. Coahoma moved to District 3-3A this year where the 'Doggettes will face Odessa Compass Academy, Brownfield, Denver City, Lamesa, and Merkel. The Bulldogettes will play Post at Post High School on Tuesday, Aug. 9 for their first official volleyball game of the season.

Big Spring Steers gearing up for 22-23 football season



Herald photos/Patrick Gonzales
Top, the Big Spring Steers run through a play on Monday, August 1 during the first practice of the season. Bottom, Steer football players receive instruction on a drill during Mondays practice. The Steers are gearing up for the upcoming 22-23 season, as fourth year Head Coach/Athletic Director Cannon McWilliams will look to help lead the Steers to another playoff run.

Big Spring Steer season football tickets going on sale

 Big Spring ISD Varsity Football 	 Big Spring ISD Varsity Football 
<p><i>Are you a current Steer Football season ticket holder!?</i></p> <p><i>If so don't forget your tickets for the upcoming year!</i></p> <p>You can pick up your tickets August 1 thru August 12 2022 (Monday-Friday) 8:30-12:30p & 2:00 -3:30pm -Price for Season Tickets this year-- \$30.00 per Ticket Book /Seat (6 home games x \$5.00per game)</p> <p>LAST DAY TO PURCHASE FOOTBALL SEASON TICKETS WILL BE AUGUST 12TH 2022</p> <p><small>Questions Concerning Season Tickets Contact: Rosi Slate @ 432.261.3662</small></p>	<p>Football Season Ticket Sales @ ATC</p> <p>August 15th thru August 18th 2022 8:30-12:30pm 2:00pm -3:30pm (Monday-Thursday) -Price for Season Tickets-- \$30.00 per Ticket Book /per seat (6 home games x \$5.00 per game)</p> <p>LAST DAY TO PURCHASE SEASON FOOTBALL TICKETS WILL BE AUGUST 18TH 2022</p> <p><small>Questions Concerning Season Tickets Contact: Rosi Slate @ 432.261.3662</small></p>

Courtesy photos/Rosi Slate
Left, current Steer varsity football season ticket holders can get their tickets beginning on August 1-12, Monday thru Friday at the Big Spring High School ATC building. Right, Those who are wanting to become new season ticket holders can purchase their tickets beginning on August 15-18, Monday thru Thursday at the Big Spring High School ATC building. Season ticket books for this season will be \$30 per ticket book/seat.

Special to the Herald

Big Spring's Steer Varsity football is almost here and you'll want to be sure to get your hands on tickets for the upcoming season.
If you are current Steer season ticket holder, then you will be able to pick up your tickets beginning August 1-12, Monday thru Friday between 8:30 AM-12:30 PM and 2:30 PM -3:30 PM at the Big Spring ATC building.

If you are wanting to become new season ticket holder then you will be able to purchase your tickets starting on August 15-18, Monday thru Thursday between 8:30 AM-12:30 PM and 2:30 PM -3:30 PM at the Big Spring ATC building.
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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0335832
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jul 25, 2022
Status/Permit No. 881700
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Aug 15, 2022
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SM ENERGY COMPANY, [RRC Operator No. 788997] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line distance requirement because the Applicant is less than the required Rule 37 lease line distance to an unleased or non-pooled interest within the subject unit. Applicant also seeks exception to the LEASE LINE requirement because the location is less than the required Rule 37 distance to an external lease line for the AMENDED NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 8, Bk. 31 T2N, T&P RR CO/GROVES, J N Survey, A-1050, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Field, HOWARD County, being 16.8 miles NE direction from BIG SPRING, Texas.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at (512)463-6751. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at (512)463-6848.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, OR E-MAIL ADDRESS SET OUT ABOVE BY Aug 15, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below:

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)

Lease/Unit Name : EASTLAND BIG DADDY A
Lease/Unit Well No. : 1504MS
Lease/Unit Acres : 959.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : null
Nearest Well on Lease (ft) : 144.0

Lease Lines : 428.0 F SE L, 808.0 F SW L
Survey Lines : 428.0 F SE L, 808.0 F SW L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal
Lateral : TH1

Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines : 523.0 F SE L
330.0 F SW L

Terminus Location
BH County: HOWARD
Section: 25 Block: 31 T2N Abstract: 188
Survey: T&P RR CO

Lease Lines: 50.0 F SE L
330.0 F SW L

Survey Lines: 50.0 F SE L
330.0 F SW L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) : Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

T his well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 9500 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Lisa Hunt, at (432)8484833.

Help Wanted

The Colorado River Municipal Water District is accepting applications for the following position:

Central Control Operator – Responsible for monitoring water flows, pressures, and tank levels using SCADA system. Perform administrative support including recording readings, monitoring phones and basic data entry. Basic computer skills including Excel needed. This position involves shift work.
?For additional information visit www.crmwd.org

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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0335889
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jul 25, 2022
Status/Permit No. 881727
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Aug 15, 2022
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

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Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral: TH1

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Terminus Location
BH County: HOWARD
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Survey: T&P RR CO

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The Colorado River Municipal Water District, regional raw water supplier for the Permian Basin, is accepting applications for the following position.

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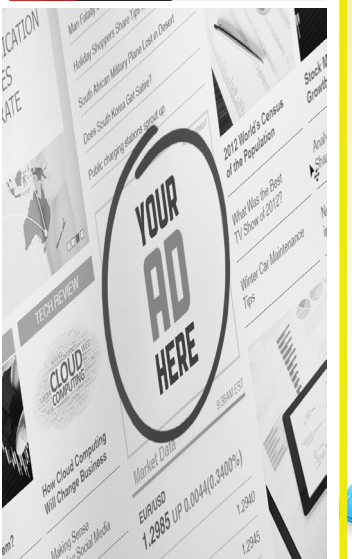
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Public Notice

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AUG. 3

INVITATION TO BID –
REMODELING OF
COAHOMA JP OFFICE

Howard County, TX is accepting sealed bid proposals from qualified bidders to remodel the Coahoma Justice of the Peace Office. Specifications may be obtained from Jackie Olson in the Auditor's Office, 300 S. Main, Room 203, Big Spring, TX or by calling (432) 264-2210. You may also visit our website at www.co.howard.tx.us. A pre-bid meeting will be held at the JP office, 110 N. 1st St., Coahoma, TX, at 10:00 A.M. on Monday, August 8, 2022. Sealed bids must be received by 10:00 A.M. on Monday, August 22, 2022 in the office of the County Auditor, Jackie Olson, 300 S Main, Room 203 and will be opened at that time. Bids will be presented to the Commissioners' Court at 3:30 P.M. on Monday, Monday, August 22, 2022 for their consideration. Project will be paid for out of current County funds.

Scope of work:

- Replace existing roof with high impact shingles
 - Frame exterior canopy, add fascia and soffits
 - Paint exterior of building
 - Add drywall over existing interior walls
 - Tape, bed, texture, and paint
 - Remove popcorn texture from ceilings, repair, and paint
 - Remove existing light fixtures, frame, and prep for LED 2x2 fixtures
 - Install new 2x2 LED fixtures
 - Replace trim at base and around door frames
 - Refinish bathroom sink upgrade
 - Remove and replace windows at office and lobby
 - Replace counter and countertop
 - Remove and haul off trash
- Alternate scope of work:
- Remove/replace deck
 - Remove/replace carpet

All work performed to be according to standard practices and current conditions. Materials, labor, and equipment to be provided by bidder unless otherwise noted.

Howard County, TX reserves the right to award the project to the most responsive bidder or to reject any or all bid proposals if warranted.

Public Notice

The Howard County Auditor will accept sealed bids until 10:00 AM on August 19, 2022 for prescription medicine and services. These will be two separate bids.

1) Howard County Indigent Health and Welfare Programs, and the Howard County Juvenile Probation Program

2) Howard County Detention Center

Specifications may be obtained at the County Indigent Health Care Office, located at the Howard County Courthouse, 300 Main Street, Room 310, Big Spring, Texas 79720

Bids will be presented to the Commissioners' Court for their consideration on Monday, August 22, 2022 at 3:30 p.m.

The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

/s/ Jackie Olson
Jackie Olson, County Auditor

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5 :AM	Big 2 Good Morning Basin	Como dice el dicho	FamFeud Business	CBS7 Wake Up	Al rojo vivo (SS)	Newsweek 9	Hidden	Cat in the Hat	Paid Prg.	Paid Prg.	Matters	Charmed	SportsCenter	Keyshawn, JWill and Max	Domeo Secrets	Law & Order: SVU	Jeremiah	Unexplained Files	
6 :AM		¡Despierta América!	Les Feld Robison	CBS7 Wake Up	Hoy día (SS)	Newsweek 9 Sunrise	Restaura	Ready Jet Go!	Patemty Peg & Cat Super	Highway Thru Hell	George George	Chamed	SportsCenter		MLB Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Texas Rangers.	Law & Order: SVU	Parking	Unexplained Files	
7 :AM	Good Morning America		Good Morning Basin	CBS Mornings		Today	Light of Southwest	Tiger	CBS7 Wake Up	Divorce Jerry	George George	Charmed	Get Up	SportsCenter		Law & Order: SVU	Parking	Unexplained Files	
8 :AM			FamFeud Wom				Light of Southwest	Sesame Elinor	CBS7 Wake Up	Maury	Broke Girl Broke Girl	Charmed		SportsCenter		Law & Order: SVU	Parking	Unexplained Files	
9 :AM	The 700 Club		Wendy Williams	Kelly and Ryan	Caso cerrado (SS)	Today 3rd Hour	Rico Cor Our Mess	Clifford	Kelly Clarkson	Steve Wilkos Show	Broke Girl Broke Girl	Supernatural	First Take	Get Up	18 Holes	Law & Order: SVU	Road	Unexplained Files	
10 :AM	The View	Como dice el dicho	The Heal	The Price Is Right	La casa De siones	Today-Hoda	Families Words of	Dinosaur	Drew Barrymore	Maury	Friends	Supernatural			Ninja Warrior	Law & Order: SVU	Road	Expedition Unknown	
11 :AM	Jeopardy News	Noticiero Nosotr.	Tamron Hall	Young & Restless	Más sabe Noticias	The Good Dish	Shepherd's Heart	Nature	The Doctors	Nick Cannon	Friends	Supernatural	SportsCenter	First Take	Live on the Line	Law & Order: SVU	Neighbor.	Expedition Unknown	
12 :PM	GMA3: What Jeopardy!	Rosa de Guadalupe	TMZ Live	News Bold	La reina del sur (SS)	Days of our Lives	You Need The China	Molly Hero	Dateline	Hot	Friends	Supernatural	SportsCenter		Rangers Pregame	Law & Order: SVU	Neighbor.	Expedition Unknown	
1 :PM	General Hospital	Contigo si	The People's Court	The Talk	En casa con	Blast	Eye on	Cyber	The First 48	Relative	Friends	Supernatural	This Just In	SportsCenter	MLB Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Texas Rangers.	Law & Order: SVU	Neighbor.	Expedition Unknown	
2 :PM	Rachael Ray	S.O.S. me estoy	Judge Mathis	Let's Make a Deal	La mesa caliente	Ellen DeGeneres	Light of Southwest	Donkey	Chicago Fire	Divorce Jerry	Friends	Supernatural	NBA Today	This Just In	Jalen	Law & Order: SVU	Court	Expedition Unknown	
3 :PM	Jdg Judy	El gordo y la fiaca	FamFeud	Kelly Clarkson	(2:58) Al rojo vivo	Dr. Phil	Light of Southwest	Curious	Almas	Steve Wilkos Show	Sheldon	Lucifer (DVS)	NFL Live	Football		Law & Order: SVU	Court	Expedition Unknown	
4 :PM	You Bet Jeopardy!	Primer impacto	Two Men	CBS 7 News	En casa con	News Inside Ed.	Ignite Hidden	Almas	25 Words	Sheldon	Sheldon	Lucifer (DVS)	Around Pardon	NFL Live	Postgame The Rally	Law & Order: SVU	Court	Expedition Unknown	
5 :PM	Big 2 ABC	Noticiero	Big Bang	CBS 7	Tele	News	The Gath	Molly King	King	Nick Cannon	Big Bang	Lucifer (DVS)	SportsCenter	Daily Wager		Law & Order: SVU	Court	Expedition Unknown	
6 :PM	ABC News	Rosa de Guadalupe	Sheldon	CBS 7	News	La casa de los famosos (SS)	Chicago Med	News	Odd	Dateline	Mysteries Decoded	Movie: Justice League, Gal Gadot (DVS)	Leagues Cup: LA Galaxy vs Guadalajara.	Putt-Putt Arm	Rangers Golden Moments	Law & Order: SVU	Court	Expedition Unknown	
7 :PM	CMA Fest (DVS)	Fútbol Leagues Cup: LA Galaxy vs. Guadalajara.	MasterChef	Big Brother			Chicago Fire	Truth	Arthur	Dateline	Arthur			Pogopabozza 2020	Mullet	World Poker	Snake in the Grass	Neighbor.	Expedition Unknown
8 :PM		Fútbol Leagues Cup	So You Think	The Challenge: USA	Amor valiente (SS)	Chicago P.D.	Light of Southwest	Cyber	Mike	News	BattleBots (DVS)	Movie: Blade Trinity, Jessica Biel	Leagues Cup: Los Angeles FC vs América.	Corgi	SportsCenter	Camp Rangers	Law & Order: SVU	Court	Expedition Unknown
9 :PM	Big 2 Jimmy Kimmel Live!		FOX 24 News at 9	S.W.A.T.	Infiel: Historia de un	Chicago P.D.	Light of Southwest	Pink	Friends	Burgers				SportsCenter	World Poker		Law & Order: SVU	Court	Expedition Unknown
10 :PM	Nightline	Deportivo	Mod Fam	James Colbert	Caso cerrado (SS)	Seth Meyers	Issues4	Tiger	Minute	black-ish	Sheldon						Law & Order: SVU	Court	Expedition Unknown
11 :AM	Extra	Noticiero	Mom	Corden	El Chema (SS)	News	Jesus IS	Almas	Holly	Creek	George	Rich & Shameless	SportsCenter	Around Pardon	MLB Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Texas Rangers.	Law & Order: SVU	Court	(12:04) Almost Human: Rise of the Apes	
12 :AM	DailyMail	Noticiero	Mom	Drew Barrymore	Programa	Top Story With	Light of Southwest	Molly Hero	Jerry Springer	Liquidator	George	Rich & Shameless	SportsCenter	The Captain		Law & Order: SVU	Road		
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3 :AM		El gordo y la fiaca	Law & Order: SVU			Programa	Early Tdy	The	Odd	Paid Prg.	PowerXL	NCIS: New Orleans	SportsCenter	The Captain	Postgame The Icons	Law & Order: SVU	Smart	Bering Sea Gold	
4 :AM	Morning	Noticiero	Funny	News	Programa	Early Tdy	Dr. Young	Arthur	Arthur	Paid Prg.	H2O	Matters	SportsCenter	The Captain	Inside the Relief	Law & Order: SVU	Pain		

Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

Thinking things through

East dealer.
East-West vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ A 4
♥ A 10 5
♦ 10 9 4 3
♣ K 10 8 7

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

SOUTH
♠ 10 7 6 3
♥ K 4
♦ A Q J 8
♣ A Q J

The bidding:
East South West North
Pass 1 NT Pass 3 NT

Opening lead — five of spades.

Good card-reading is an art unto itself. Declarer does not actually see the defenders' hands as each card is played, but many times he can visualize their holdings just as if they were in open view.

Take this case where South was not alert to a situation he could have deduced without much effort. He ducked the spade lead, East winning with the queen and returning a spade to dummy's ace.

Declarer could count eight sure tricks and saw that the ninth would have to come from a successful finesse in diamonds. So he led the ten of diamonds at trick two and

let it ride. West won with the king and cashed his spades, and South went down one.

The simple fact is that declarer's focus at the start of play as to where his ninth trick might come from was basically misplaced. Instead, he should have expended more energy on determining the meaning of West's opening lead.

West's five-of-spades lead was highly revealing. It was inconceivable that he would have led the five from a holding of, say, the K-Q-J-5-4, in which case he would have led the king. Declarer could therefore assume that East had the king, queen or jack, which in turn meant that the ace was the right play from dummy at trick one.

Observe what happens in the actual case if declarer takes the first spade with the ace. Whatever East plays on the trick, the defenders cannot cash four spade tricks after declarer takes a losing diamond finesse at trick two. If West leads a spade to East's queen, East has no spade to return, while if West cashes the K-J of spades, South's ten becomes a stopper.

If it turns out that East's original holding is three spades headed by an honor, which is certainly possible, there's still nothing to fear. In that case, West started with only four spades, so the defenders cannot score five tricks.

Tomorrow: Deceptive defensive play.
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Horoscopes By Holiday

WEDNESDAY
AUGUST 3, 2022

Mercury Matures

Ten people witness a scene and have ten different reactions. To realize that reactions are a choice is a signifier of maturity. We get angry not because of people, but because of our thoughts about them. Mercury's cross into the sign of personal responsibility is encouragement to choose empowering thoughts.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Let nothing stand between you and your love. Whether it's a person, a subject, an endeavor or a god, there is no expert who knows more about your feelings than you do. Be guided by your own curiosity and attraction.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You'll be met with support and disagreement. Both are a gift, the bigger gift being disagreement. In this world, it is not similarities that take us forward but blunt opposition. You'll grow sharp from it.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Will you get yours? Will they get theirs? You needn't worry. The core of the earth is a churning ball of reciprocity. It's how this world is erected and balanced. Kindness, evil and everything in between can't help but be reciprocated.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). You want to get the timing right, but you only have control over one small part of the clock. Rushing, pushing or worrying is not going to make a tick of difference. You may as well relax and trust the larger mechanics.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Peace is widely considered better than other alternatives, but every state has something to offer. Turmoil is a teacher, a trainer who helps you find your strength and grow your heart. Whatever state you're in, use it.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Is it wrong to manipulate someone to do what you want them to do if your aim is what's best for them and everyone else involved? You've benevolent reasons for testing the boundaries of control today.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Today you'll tend to experience things more deeply than those around you seem to. It may feel like a weakness, but it's actually a strength. Your range of feeling goes wider on both ends of the spectrum.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Among the saddest words are, "if only." The antidote to that woeful phrase is equally succinct: "I accept." While not exactly happy, they are the basis from which happiness and fulfillment will spring.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You take personal responsibility seriously. You'll pitch in and clean up a mess you didn't create. None are blameless for the state of things, and you resolve to leave it better than it was when you arrived.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). What happens to you is always far less important than what you take from the experience. However you feel, tell yourself it's an acceptable feeling. You won't be able to move through the feelings until you first accept them.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). The goal is to become experienced, smooth and able to produce results quickly. Mistakes are inevitable. Since you can't avoid them, try not to fear them either. You'll develop the resilience to recover quickly and keep going.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You'll be in a position to change the price of your offerings. There's more value to what you give than a dollar amount could suggest. Consider it all. Can you think of yourself outside of your current definitions?

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Aug. 3). Life's timing, however far off from your own, won't disappoint. You'll be so impressed at how things click and whir in a design that's better than you dreamed. You'll get an education that helps you enjoy a thing more. You'll win fans and money as you take pleasure seriously and take serious things with pleasure. Pisces and Taurus adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 8, 22, 1, 18 and 45.

CELEBRITY PROFILES: Martha Stewart was born when the moon was in Sagittarius, the sign of sophistication and worldly influence, and Mercury, the planet of communication and day-to-day events, was in Cancer, the sign of domesticity. Stewart's natal stars are beautifully reflected in her life mission to bring beauty, new ideas, a fresh eye and abundant creativity into the homes of people everywhere.

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Newsday Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Cumbersome to carry
 - 6 Coalition of politicians
 - 10 Chunk of concrete
 - 14 Nose-horned safari beast
 - 15 Lion's cry
 - 16 Pepsi or Coke
 - 17 Unconfirmed report
 - 18 Golden Rule preposition
 - 19 Ripened, as cheese
 - 20 Peddle merchandise
 - 23 NYSE debut
 - 24 Point opposite SSW
 - 25 Guide a car
 - 28 Attention-getting whisper
 - 30 Basic cable network
 - 33 Israeli airline
 - 34 Made a landing
 - 36 Husbands of countesses
 - 38 Be evasive in answering
 - 41 Stand up
 - 42 Supply the money for
 - 43 Degs. in finance
 - 44 Winter hrs. in Colorado
 - 45 Evening, in some ads
 - 47 "No more for me, thanks"
 - 49 ___ favor (please, to Ruiz)
 - 50 Incoming plane stat.
 - 51 Echo words unthinkingly
 - 58 One-liner, for example

- 59 Convent residents
 - 60 Leans slightly
 - 62 Yale students
 - 63 Delve ___ (investigate)
 - 64 Standard of perfection
 - 65 Hamilton's currency
 - 66 First son in the Bible
 - 67 Very recently
- DOWN**
- 1 "It's freezing in here!"
 - 2 Informal denial
 - 3 Capital of Peru
 - 4 Be aware of
 - 5 Silky-haired terrier, for short
 - 6 Shoe designer Magli
 - 7 ___ Star State (Texas)

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BUSY BIRDS by Bruce Venzke

- Edited by Stanley Newman
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- 8 Grains in granola bars
 - 9 Headgear for queens and kings
 - 10 Frighten
 - 11 Theater tier
 - 12 Beverages like beer
 - 13 Not well-behaved
 - 21 TV host Winfrey
 - 22 Poker-pot starters
 - 25 Speaks unclearly
 - 26 Unspoken but implied
 - 27 Antlered cousins of deer
 - 28 Make angry
 - 29 Surprise greatly
 - 30 Large family
 - 31 Overstuff
 - 32 Government-issued IDs
 - 33 Dutch cheese
 - 35 Walked away
 - 37 24-hr. cash dispensers
 - 39 Male choir voice
 - 40 Author Wharton
 - 46 Amusingly unexpected
 - 48 President Van Buren
 - 49 Smooth out with an iron
 - 50 Japanese printer brand
 - 51 Global top or bottom
 - 52 Similar (to)
 - 53 ___ fish sandwich
 - 54 Prefix for freeze
 - 55 Workplace assistant
 - 56 Large quantity
 - 57 List-ending abbr.
 - 58 Plane without propellers
 - 61 Guileful

SUDOKU

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Level: Intermediate

Here's How It Works:
Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

CROSSWORD Today's Answers

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Today's Answers

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