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Sunday: Isolated showers and thunderstorms after 1 p.m. Sunny, with a high near 94. Chance of precipitation is 20%.
 Source: NWS, via weather.gov

Municipal Judge Timothy Green to retire August 31



HERALD photo/Andreia Medlin
Municipal Court Judge Timothy Green, center, celebrated his retirement after serving 22 years on the bench with a come-and-go reception at the Howard County Court House Wednesday. Green plans to write a book about his experiences to be published in March 2023. Standing with Green are members of his staff, left to right, Reyna Gonzales, Breanna Rodriguez and Amanda Charlton.

Today in History On August 26

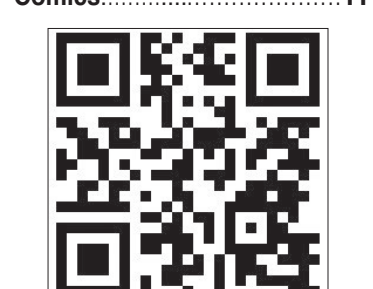
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Daily Quotes

"Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier."
 — **Mother Teresa**
 "Take all the courses in your curriculum. Do the research. Ask questions. Find someone doing what you are interested in! Be curious!"
 — **Katherine Johnson**
 "A lot of tragedy can befall us, but there's always something else; there's always hope."
 — **Chris Pine**

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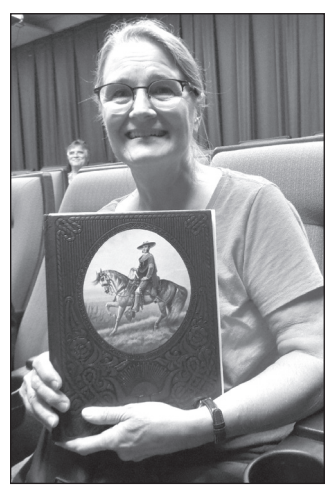
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History Nerds study American West



HERALD photos/Andreia Medlin
At left, Jim DePauw chats at the recent meeting of the History Nerds. The group meets every Wednesday at noon in the theater room of the First Presbyterian Church located at 701 Runnels to view and discuss a presentation of "American West: History, Myth and Legacy." At right, Lori Yancey won the door prize at the meeting.

By ANDREIA MEDLIN
 Staff Writer

The History Nerds met Wednesday to view the second video in the Great Courses series depicting the history, myth and legends about the American West. This video entitled The West In the Colonial Era featured not only the west as perceived today, but also the west as perceived by the early English settlers. The lecture series seeks to not only understand the points of view of the many groups who vied for dominance, chiefly Spanish, French, English and Native Americans, but also how geographical and sociological aspects effected the history of the West. Each video is 15 minutes long and the group discussion is encouraged. A door prize will be given at each meeting after the presentation and discussion. The next meeting will feature "Venturing Beyond the Appalachian" by Professor Patrick N. Allit of Emory University at noon Wednesday August 17 in the church theater room located at 701 Runnels. For more information contact Nancy Michaelis at 325-725-1905. Contact Staff Writer Andreia Medlin at 432-263-7331, or email newsdesk@bigspringherald.com

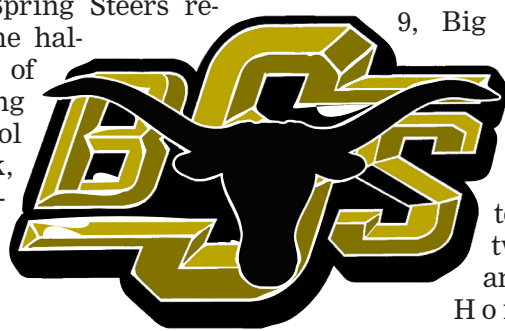
Plans in place for 2022 Big Spring High School Homecoming

By ROGER CLINE
 Managing Editor

The Big Spring Steers returned to the hallowed halls of Big Spring High School this week, and Homecoming plans are already in place. Homecoming 2022 is September 9, but there are a lot of activities coming up before then, according to a schedule released by the BSHS Student Council.

Of course, students will be dressing up during the Labor Day shortened week prior to the big game. This year, students will be picking sides in the "Knockout the Competition" event. Each dress-up day will feature two opposing sides of the cultural divide for students to choose from. On Tuesday, Sept. 6, students will choose sides in the classic "Nerd" vs. "Jock" split. On Wednesday, Sept. 7, the clash will be between "Movies" and "T.V." On Thursday, Sept. 8, students – and likely teachers and staff as

well – will answer the age-old question "Fancy?" or "Casual?" On Homecoming Day, Sept. 9, Big Spring High School will have an easy decision: They're being asked to choose between "Steers" and their Homecoming game opponents, the "Lo-boes." Today is the final day for clubs and organizations to turn in their Homecoming Nominees – the deadline was at 9 a.m. Voting for Homecoming finalists will be on Sept. 1, and the Homecoming court will be announced at the Pep Rally Sept. 2. Also on Sept. 2, is the deadline (4 p.m.) to register a float for the Homecoming Parade. Parade packet pickups will be Sept. 6 and 7 in the Main Office. The Homecoming King/Queen election will be Thursday, Sept. 8, and the Homecoming Bonfire for Juniors and Seniors only will be at 8 p.m. at the Anderson school campus. On Homecoming Day, there



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Uvalde school police chief fired for response to shooting

By ACACIA CORONADO
 Associated Press

UVALDE, Texas (AP) — The Uvalde school district has fired police chief Pete Arredondo under mounting pressure in the grieving Texas town to punish officers for hesitating for over an hour to storm a classroom and take down the gunman who killed 19 children and two teachers. In a unanimous vote Wednesday evening, the Uvalde Consolidated Independent School District's board of trustees fired Arredondo during a meeting also attended by parents and survivors of the May 24 massacre. Arredondo, who was not present, is the first officer to lose his job following one of the deadliest classroom shootings in U.S. history. His ouster came three months to the day after the tragedy and less than two weeks before students return to school in Uvalde, where some children are still too scared or scarred to go back inside a classroom. The board faced withering criticism, with one young girl approaching a microphone to to ask why law enforcement hadn't protected her friends and teachers. "Turn in your badge," she demanded. The crowd cheered following the vote, and some parents walked away in tears. Outside, several Uvalde residents called for other officers to be held accountable. "Coward!" some in the audience yelled as the meeting got underway. Arredondo, who has been on leave from the district since June 22, has come under the most intense scrutiny of the nearly 400 officers who rushed to school but waited more than 70 minutes to confront the 18-year-old

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Football Season is here and our PIGSKIN PICKS CONTEST IS BACK!

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- Look for the voters ballot in every Wednesday & Thursday paper starting August 24th!
- Fill out the ballot and turn it in to any of the drop locations listed on the Pigskin Picks page.
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The winner of the readers/customers will win **\$50!** There is a new winner each week for the merchants and readers!

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Obituaries

Patty Caffey



Patty was born March 17, 1931, in Anson, to L.H. "Gyp" and Ila (White) Herndon. She passed away peacefully August 24, in San Angelo. She was raised in Anson, graduating from Anson High School where she was a member of the pep squad and cheered on the love of her life and soon-to-be husband, Robert. They were married for over 69 years before his passing on May 30, 2020.

Patty, Mom, Nan was the best! She loved us all wholeheartedly and never ever was at a loss for words! They called her 'Chatty Patty' because she never met a stranger. She loved to have her family together. But most importantly, our mom loved the Lord. The Lord came before anything, a value which she instilled in us. We shall see our mother's face no more, but she will live in all of us. She has fought a good fight, finished her course, and kept her faith. She was a faithful member of 11th and Birdwell Church of Christ in Big Spring, and Chadbourne North Church of Christ in San Angelo.

She is survived by her sister and best friend, Dollie Edmonds of Odessa; sister-in-law Tonya Herndon of Anson; son Roddy (Jann) of Big Spring; her two daughters Debra

Stuteville and Kay Lou Parras (Louis) of San Angelo. She is also survived by 4 grandsons: Stacey Ream (Mel) of Midland, Heath Stuteville of Hurst, Nick Parras of Austin, Nathan Parras (Teraco) of Georgetown and one granddaughter, Kori Simon

(Mike) of Port Allen, LA. Her precious great-grandkids are Forrest and Reagan Ream, Ryan and Avery Simon, and Noah and Wells Parras.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband Robert; brothers Willard, Billy Bob, and Kenneth Herndon; sister Leona Fortenberry; granddaughter Tammy Ream; and grandson Robert Shandrick.

Special thanks to our angels on earth who treated our mom with compassion and love; Dr. Viki Forlano and her team; HOSA; our nurses at Shannon and Dr. Haddad.

Visitation will be Friday, August 26 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Myers & Smith funeral home in Big Spring. Graveside services are Saturday, August 27 at 11 a.m. at Trinity Memorial in Big Spring. Pallbearers will be Stacey Ream, Heath Stuteville, Nick Parras, Nathan Parras, Mike Simon, Ryan Simon, Forrest Ream, Jim Edmonds, and Haskell Holland. Honorary pallbearers are Noah and Wells Parras, and AJ Simon.

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

Paid obituary

Support Groups

FRIDAY

• Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

MONDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees It, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

TUESDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

• A six-week course in Wellness and Quality of Life with Chronic Pain will be held at Spring Creek Fellowship at the Spring Town Plaza, 1801 E. FM 700. There is no charge for the course, and a workbook will be provided. Contact Steve Purdy at 432-517-4840 for more information.

• Caregivers Support Group, sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging, meets the second Tuesday of every month at 10:30 a.m. The meetings are held at the Senior Citizens Center located at 100 Whipkey Drive. These meetings are open for any caregiver, whether medical professional or family member. For more information, please call Becky Letz at 267-1628.

• Al-anon family group meets at 8 p.m. at 615 Settles.

• 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.

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.

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Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **MELISSA KAY WHITE**, 35, of 412 E. Davis Rd., was arrested on a charge of criminal trespass and a warrant from another agency.
- **CAMERON LANE WOODARD**, 21, of 605 E. 13th St., was arrested on a charge of unlawfully carrying a weapon and assault with a deadly weapon.
- **MOSES ELIJAH FLORES**, 24, of 4005 Dixon, was arrested on a charge of possession of marijuana and on a warrant from another agency.
- **MEDISTA MARIE OBRIEN**, 22, of 2606 Hunter, was arrested on warrants from another agency.
- **CAROLINA MOSKOE**, 38, of 1200 Wood, was arrested on a warrant for possession of a controlled substance greater than or equal to 1 gram but less than 4 grams.
- **NATALIE RENEE TOWNSEND**, 45, of 2808 Sherman Rd., on a charge of possession of marijuana less than or equal to 2 oz.
- **ALLEN TRISTAN JACKSON**, 38, of 604 Holbert, was arrested on a charge of possession of a controlled substance less than 28 grams.
- **CODY JAMES CALHOUN**, 30, of 1425 E. 6th St., was arrested on a charge of interference with duties of a public servant and failed to maintain financial responsibility.
- **DIMAS RAYMOND VALLES**, 33, of 1410 Bluebird, was arrested on a charge of criminal mischief greater than or equal to \$100 but less than \$750.
- **DANIEL DOYLE HAIL**, 39, of 510 Sunset Blvd., was arrested on a charge of driving while license suspended/invalid, previous conviction.
- **KAYLA BREANNE SANCHEZ**, 29, of 406 Ave. B, Forsan, was arrested on a charge of criminal mischief greater than or equal to \$750 but less than \$2500.
- **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported at the 1300 block of Colby Ave.
- **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported at the 1100 block of Lloyd Ave.
- **SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY** was reported at the 500 block of Westover.
- **BURGLARY OF BUILDING** was reported at the 2500 block of W. FM 2230.
- **THEFT OF A FIREARM** was reported at the 1500 block of E. 17th St.
- **WELFARE CONCERN** was reported at the 4000 block of Dixon.
- **SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY** was reported at the 1000 block of Howell.
- **UNWANTED SUBJECT** was reported at the 2000 block of Hunter.
- **UNWANTED SUBJECT** was reported at the 1000 block of Sycamore.
- **DISTURBANCE** was reported at the 400 block of Ave. B, Forsan.

Sheriff

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

Note - Official's with the Howard County Jail reported having 104 inmates at the time of this report.

- **CODY JAMES CALHOUN**, 30, was arrested by BSPD on charges of interfering with public duties and failure to maintain financial responsibility.
- **MOSES ELIJAH FLORES**, 24, was arrested by BSPD on a motion to revoke probation for possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).
- **DANIEL DOYLE HAIL**, 39, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving with an invalid license with a previous conviction or suspension.
- **ALLEN TRISTAN JACKSON**, 38, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of possession of a controlled substance (penalty group 3, less than 28 grams).
- **RANDAL KIRK KIRKHAM**, 32, was arrested by HCSO on two warrants for criminal trespassing, and on warrants for burglary of vehicles and evading arrest or detention.
- **ALEX FRANKLIN MINTER**, 29, was arrested HCSO on a warrant for theft of service \$100 to \$750.
- **CAROLINE MOSKOE**, 38, was arrested on a warrant for possession of a controlled substance (penalty group 1/1-B, 1 to 4 grams).
- **MEDISTA M. O'BRIEN**, 22, was arrested by BSPD on six warrants for bail jumping/failure to appear.
- **NATALIE RENEE TOWNSEND**, 45, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).
- **DIMAS RAYMOND VALLES**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for criminal mischief (\$100 to \$750).
- **MELISSA KAY WHITE**, 35, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for criminal trespass and on a charge of assault class C.
- **CAMERON LANE WOODARD**, 21, was arrested by BSPD on charges of unlawfully carrying a weapon and aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 900 block of E. FM 700. One person transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 2600 block of Langley. No transport.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 1200 block of Blackmon. No transport.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 1600 block of Lancaster. One person transported to SMMC.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 100 block of W. 11th St. One person transported to SMMC.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 100 block of Airbase Rd. One person transported to SMMC.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 800 block of S. Main. One person transported to SMMC.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 3700 block of Wasson. One person transported to SMMC.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported at the 900 block of E. FM 700. One person transported to SMMC.



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will be a Pep Rally at 3 p.m. followed by the Homecoming Parade at 4:30 p.m.

The Homecoming Game will be at 7 p.m. vs. the Monahans Lobos, and the Homecoming King and

Queen will be crowned at halftime.

The Homecoming Dance will be Saturday, Sept. 10, from 8 p.m. to midnight in the BSHS Cafeteria. Tickets for the dance are \$10.

UVALDE

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gunman in the fourth-grade classroom at Robb Elementary School.

Most notably, Arredondo was criticized for not ordering officers to act sooner. Col. Steve McCraw, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, has said Arredondo was in charge of the law enforcement response to the attack.

Minutes before the school board meeting got underway, Arredondo's attorney released a scathing 4,500-word letter that amounted to the police chief's fullest defense to date of his actions. Over 17 defiant pages, Arredondo was described not as a fumbling chief blamed in a damning state investigation for not taking command and wasting time searching for keys to a likely unlocked door, but instead as a brave officer whose level-headed decisions saved the lives of other students.

It alleges that Arredondo warned the district about a variety of security issues in the schools a year before the shooting and asserted he wasn't in charge of the scene. The letter also accused Uvalde school officials of putting his safety at risk by not allowing him to carry a weapon to the school board meeting, citing "legitimate risks of harm to the public and to Chief Arredondo."

"Chief Arredondo is a leader and a courageous officer who with all of the other law enforcement officers who responded to the scene, should be celebrated for the lives saved, instead of vilified for those they couldn't reach in time," George Hyde wrote.

Hyde's office has not responded to a request for comment.

Uvalde school officials have been under increasing pressure from victims' families and members of the community, many of whom had called for Arredondo's termination. Superintendent Hal Harrell first moved to fire Arredondo in July but postponed the decision at the request of Arredondo's attorney.

At the meeting was Ruben Torres, father of Chloe Torres, who survived the shooting in room 112 of the school.

"Right now, being young, she is having a hard time handling this horrific event," Torres said.

Shirley Zamora, the mother of a student at Robb Elementary, said accountability shouldn't end with Arredondo's dismissal.

"This is just going to be the beginning. It's a long process," she said.

Only one other officer — Uvalde Police Department Lt. Mariano Pargas, who was the city's acting police chief on the day of massacre — is known to have been placed on leave for their actions during the shooting.

The Texas Department of Public Safety, which had more than 90 state troopers at the scene, is conducting an investigation into the response by state police. State Sen. Roland Gutierrez, a Democrat who represents Uvalde, said McCraw, the state police chief, also deserves scrutiny.

"You fail at something so badly that people are getting hurt, then certainly we have to have some greater accountability," he said.

School officials have said the Robb Elementary campus will no longer be used when students return Sept 6. Instead, campuses elsewhere in Uvalde will serve as temporary classrooms for elementary school students, not all of whom are willing to return to school in-person following the shooting.

School officials say a virtual academy will be offered for students. The district has not said how many students will attend virtually, but a new state law passed last year in Texas following the pandemic limits the number of eligible students receiving remote instruction to "10% of all enrolled students within a given school system."

Schools can seek a waiver to exceed the limit but Uvalde has not done so, according to the Texas Education Agency.

New measures to improve school safety in Uvalde include "8-foot, non-scalable perimeter fencing" at elementary, middle and high school campuses, according to the school district. Officials say they have also installed additional security cameras, upgraded locks, enhanced training for district staff and improving communication.

Take Note

• Ward Family Dental, 1500 Scurry, will hold its "Smile for Freedom" event from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Nov. 4. During the event, Ward Family Dental will offer free dental work for military veterans, active military members, and emergency responders. Military or Responder identification is required. Dr. Ward asks those seeking to take advantage of the event to contact the office for a pre-screening prior to the event date. Call 432-267-1677 for more information.

• Maranatha Baptist Academy News flash: now enrolling for 2022-2023 School year. We offer summer session of 4 weeks in the middle of summer. We began August 1, 2022 and are a year round school. We service Home school as well as in-house

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Street, Big Spring, Texas.

• Great Courses Lecture Series of the American West: History, Myth and Legacy meets every Wednesday at First Presbyterian Church, 701 Runnels, in the Theater Room. Each 30-minute lecture is followed by an in-class group discussion. There is no charge.

• 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.

2 plead guilty in scheme to sell Biden's daughter's diary

By JENNIFER PELTZ

Associated Press

NEW YORK (AP) — Two Florida residents have pleaded guilty in a scheme to peddle a diary and other items belonging to President Joe Biden's daughter to the conservative group Project Veritas for \$40,000, prosecutors said Thursday.

Aimee Harris and Robert Kurlander pleaded guilty to conspiracy to transport stolen property across state lines, Manhattan U.S. Attorney Damian Williams' office said.

"Harris and Kurlander sought to profit from their theft of another person's personal property, and they now stand convicted of a federal felony as a result," Williams said in a statement.

Harris' lawyer, Sam Talkin, said she "has accepted responsibility for her conduct and looks forward to moving on with her life." Kurlander's lawyer, Florian Miedel, declined to comment.

Harris, 40, of Palm Beach, and Kurlander, 58, face the possibility of up to five years in prison when sentenced.

While authorities didn't identify Ashley Biden or the organization that paid, the details of the investigation have been laid out in court filings and public statements from Project Veritas.

Ashley Biden was moving out of a friend's Delray Beach, Florida, home in spring 2020 when she stored the diary, tax records, a digital device with family photos, a cellphone and other items there, prosecutors said in a court filing.

They said Harris then moved into the same room, found the items and got in touch with Kurlander, who enthused in a text message that he would help her make a "ton of money" from selling it, adding an expletive before "ton."

That September, he contacted Project Veritas, which asked for pictures of the material and then paid for the two to bring the diary and photos to a New York luxury hotel, prosecutors said.

Project Veritas staffers met with Kurlander and Harris in New York and agreed to pay an initial \$10,000, saying more money could come if they retrieved more of Ashley Biden's items from the home, partly in order to authenticate the diary,

according to the court filing.

Back in Florida, Kurlander texted Harris a blunt assessment of what Project Veritas would make of the acquisition, prosecutors said.

"They are in a sketchy business and here they are taking what's literally a stolen diary and info ... and trying to make a story that will ruin" Ashley Biden's life and possibly affect the impending presidential election, he wrote, according to the court papers. He added that the two needed "to tread even more carefully" and get "anything worthwhile" out of the house where it was stored, according to the court papers.

Prosecutors said Kurlander and Harris took Ashley Biden's stored tax documents, clothes and luggage as Kurlander pressed Project Veritas in a message to commit to a bigger payout: "We are taking huge risks. This isn't fair."

A Project Veritas staffer soon flew to Florida, the employee shipped the items to New York and the group paid Harris and Kurlander \$20,000 apiece, prosecutors said.

Project Veritas identifies itself as a news organization. It is best known for conducting hidden camera stings that have embarrassed news outlets, labor organizations and Democratic politicians.

"Project Veritas's news gathering was ethical and legal" in the diary affair, the group said in a statement Thursday. The organization said earlier that it turned the journal over to law enforcement after receiving it from "tipsters" who maintained that it had been abandoned in a room.

"A journalist's lawful receipt of material later alleged to be stolen is routine, commonplace and protected by the First Amendment," Project Veritas added

Thursday.

Neither Project Veritas nor any staffers have been charged with a crime.

The FBI searched the group's New York offices and the homes of some of its employees as part of the investigation. A court in New York appointed a former federal judge to review material that was seized in those searches, so as to ensure that investigators couldn't look at material protected by journalistic or attorney-client privileges.

Generally, media organizations aren't culpable for receiving material that might have been stolen, if they weren't involved in the theft. But there can be criminal liability for orchestrating theft and then knowingly paying for stolen material.

"There is no First Amendment protection for the theft and interstate transport of stolen property," the U.S. attorney's office wrote in a court filing last year.

O'Keefe has said that Project Veritas ultimately could not confirm that the diary belonged to Ashley Biden and did not publish information from it.

He added that there was "no doubt Project Veritas acted appropriately at each and every step."

Ashley Biden, a social worker, is the daughter of the president and of first lady Jill Biden. His eldest daughter and his first wife were killed in a 1972 car accident.

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We are located at 2805 Lynn Drive in the Kentwood Neighborhood in Big Spring. If you would like to reach Pastor Kohl, Vicar Roeber or the church office, please call (432) 264-7818, or e-mail us at aliveinchrist@gmail.com.

Bible Study and Sunday School begin at 9:30 a.m. and we are having class each Sunday morning. Our Sunday Service begins at 10:30 a.m. You can catch us on Facebook Live on our Facebook page. If you are new to the area or haven’t been to church before or in a while, please accept this as an invitation to join us this Sunday.

The readings for this Sunday are Proverbs 25:2-10, Hebrews 13:1-17, and Luke 14:1-14. The psalm is Psalm 131.

Dolline Budke will present the scripture readings this week.

Our Wednesday Evening Bible Study is continuing. A meal is served at 5:30 p.m. and our bible study begins at 6 p.m..

Tune in to KBYG every morning for a devotional sponsored in part by the Lutheran Hour. Tune in to 106.3 FM or 1400 AM between 6:45 and 6:50 each morning for these wonderful devotions: “Morning Meditation Thoughts”. Also tune in every Sunday morning at 8:30 to listen to the Lutheran Hour.

College Baptist Church

Back to school!

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Services for August 28, is a great time for families to gather. Let’s celebrate our God together. Our services are in the building, live streaming, and on our Face Book page as well. Visitors, it was a such a joy to welcome you on Sunday. Come join us again as we gather in exciting and worshipful services. Come and find out about our great love for the youth of our community.

We definitely enjoy the worship time as our ministry team leads us in songs of praise, and where our pastor, Bro. Ken McMeans, inspires us as we delve into God’s Word. Come and study with us as we celebrate our God, knowing He really cares for us so much He sent His only begotten Son, Jesus Christ, to save us.

Focus on growth in Jesus, the Lamb of God, as we celebrate Fall 2022, as our pastor reminds us every Sunday, Jesus is coming soon! Please call: 432-267-7429, for more information

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You can find us live online at facebook.com/CCCBigSpring or at Cornerstone Covenant Church Live on YouTube (look for the CCC logo).

Please join us this week at one of the following events:

Sunday - We are so excited and would love for you to be apart of what is happening at CCC. We believe that experiencing purpose, hope and joy is possible in Christ Jesus. Whether it’s your first time or you’ve fellowshiped with us before, our desire every Sunday is for you to feel sense and embrace the presence of the Lord.

Wednesday - Join us for our MDWK service. We offer classes for all ages at 7 p.m. Adults meet in the Main Sanctuary. Youth: High School age meet in ARC and Junior High age meet in youth sanctuary. Children’s church is divided into two locations with age specific classes: Kovantville (1st and 2nd grade)(3rd and 4th grade)(5th and 6th grade)Tiny Land (Newborn- 23 months) (2 and 3 y.o.)(4 y.o.-Kindergarten).

Friday, September 9th- Complete Singles- will meet from 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. in the ARC for a 10 week course on: Prayer the Great Adventure.

Here is how you can sign up: Call 432-264-0015; Text 432-218-2610 then text Complete Singles; visit www.cccbigspring.org; Sign up onsite at the kiosk.

Sunday, September 11- Are you and your family looking for a church? Are you looking to connect? Join us in the ARC at 12:30 for your “Next Step”-Growth Track 101. This is a great opportunity for you and your family to fellowship, ask questions and become better acquainted with the vision of CCC. We ask that all attendees RSVP for this course.

Here is how you can sign up: Call 432-264-0015; Text 432-218-2610 text your name and word “GT101RSVP”; visit www.cccbigspring.org;. Sign up onsite at the kiosk.

Lunch and childcare are provided.

Tuesday, September 13- Marriage Enrichment will meet 6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m. in the ARC for our Ice Breaker gathering. Marriage Enrichment is a 10 week course that will encourage, inform, challenge, enrich and strengthen your marriage. If you are married or looking to get married this course is for you.

Here is how you can sign up: Call 432-264-0015; Text 432-218-2610 then text Marriage Enrichment; visit www.cccbigspring.org; Sign up on-

site at the kiosk.

Childcare is Provided.

Save the Date: Mark your calendars for our 15th Church Anniversary weekend October 22 and 23. Get ready for a fun and exciting weekend.

CCC is located at 706 East 12th Street. For office hours or other questions please contact our Administrative Office at 432-264-0015, email us at info@ccbigspring.org. You can also find us at www.cccbigspring.org if you would like more information.

Crestview Baptist Church

At Crestview Baptist, we believe the most fulfilling pursuit is not entertainment, gimmicks or programs. The most fulfilling pursuit for a follower of Christ is to know Christ and His word, so that we may live for him.

If you believe that, please come and worship with us. Sunday School starts at 10 a.m. Worship begins at 11 a.m., and our Sunday and Wednesday night meetings are at 6:30 p.m.

We embrace the 1689 Baptist Confirmation of Faith. Come and be with us at 2305 Gatesville Rd., Big Spring.

First Church of the Nazarene

Organic Outreach

As followers of Jesus, we’re called to share our faith with others. We want to share the love, grace, and Good News of Christ with those around us. Most of us don’t question the “what” or the “why” of outreach, but many struggle with the “how.”

Join us this Sunday as we continue our new series discovering how we can naturally spachare our faith and organically integrate outreach into our everyday lives. Let’s learn to live with Kingdom imt!

NazFamily Meal

Our MidWeek meal is Wednesday at 6 p.m. Invite someone to join us and stick around for all of our Mid-Week gatherings. We have something for all ages.

Alpha-Got questions? Life is full of questions. Some are relatively trivial: What should we have for dinner? What are we going to do this weekend? What should we watch? But then there are the deeper questions of life: Why are we here? Why do bad things happen to good people? What happens when we die? The Alpha Series is a 12 weak study designed to help us explore the deeper questions of life and faith.

Scout Me In! Since 1910, Scouting has enriched countless families and communities. Through Scouting young people develop invaluable life and leadership skills. NazFamily Church hosts Boy Scout Troop 5, Cub Pack 305, and Girl Scout Troop 33918. If you are interested in signing up your child or would like more information, contact us at church@nazfamily.org

First Presbyterian Church

Worship services August 28, will begin at 10:50 a.m. in the Sanctuary at 8th and Runnels. Organist/Music

Director Gabe Martinez will be leading music this week. Rev. Allen Cross will be preaching a sermon entitled: Living Outside the Gate. Scripture readings for this Sunday are: Psalm 112; Luke 14:8-14; Hebrews 13:11-13.

Sunday School is on summer break until Labor Day however, Take Ten fellowship will continue in our parlor at 10:20 on Sunday mornings. We have a prayer breakfast this Saturday morning at 8 a.m. and welcome members and non-members alike.

Two popular weekly events have returned this month. The Women’s Bible Study resumed August 3. The video history series resumed August 17 and is about the history of the American West. These weekly events are open to all the community.

Members and non-members alike are invited to take advantage of the spiritual resources available on our website and Facebook page. They include a six day each week prayer podcast, a weekly scripture reading and commentary, a weekly devotional, a Sunday worship preview, and a video release of each Sunday’s sermon. All these tools and resources prepare us for the coming Sunday worship.

Church Calendar:Daily Prayer Podcast (Monday-Saturday), Scripture Commentary (Tuesdays),Video Devotional (Wednesdays), Video Preview of this week’s bulletin (Fridays),Sunday Sermon Video (Sundays). Website: fpcbigspring.com Facebook Page: FPC of Big Spring YouTube Channel: FPC of Big Spring

The following weekly events are open to the community:

Wednesday: The Women’s Bible Study meets at 10:00 a.m. The history seminar series meets at noon.

The Lectionary Bible Study meets at 5 p.m.

Thursday: Everyone is invited to join the Lunch Bunch at 11:30 a.m.

All our worship services can be heard live on KBST 1490 AM and 95.7 FM at 11 a.m. as usual or seen recorded online at www.fpcbigspring.com selecting the sermons tab and the correct date.

Please call the church office at 263-4211 for other information. We would be pleased for you to Like us on Facebook. Although the physical address of First Presbyterian Church is 701 Runnels, the mailing address is P. O. Box 2222, Big Spring, Texas 79721.

St. Mary’s Episcopal Church

St. Mary’s Episcopal Church welcomes all to participate in our services. We are located North of the High School at 1001 S. Goliad and would love to have you visit. Sunday services begin at 10:30 a.m. followed by brunch in the Parish Hall. On Wednesday’s we have Bible study and coffee in the morning at 10:30 a.m. and evening we have Evening prayer and book study starting at 5:30 p.m. What a great opportunity to have meaningful fellowship and develop relationships with people who have a common interest, following the steps of Christ. Please come and join us for a time of worship and fellowship in a place that welcomes all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

She wrote her own destiny!



JOELLE LUDINGTON

She wrote her own destiny! Ephesians 1:4-5 ESV Even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love he predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will. We hold in our tongue the power of life and death. We can speak those things that are not as though they were. Even sinners. So either you can curse yourself or bless yourself Curse one another or curse one another. I heard this story of a girl who died. Living only to avenge the death of her parents that were killed. And how nothing could be done for her to be brought back to life. Because she wrote her own destiny. Write your own story, receive the Lord as your savior. Let him be the author and finisher of your faith. Amen. Speak good of your children, your pastors, your church and friends. The homeless. Psalm 45



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We invite you to join our Worship Service this Sunday! Or us join virtually at

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Reflections

Centerpiece of History

BILL
TINSLEY

Every time I write a check, I document the date with reference to the most important event in human history. This year is 2022 A.D., Anno Domini, Latin for "Year of our Lord." Approximately 2022 years ago Jesus was born. Any date before that is B.C., "Before Christ."

This makes our secular world uncomfortable. But, we have to reference history by some date, and it needs to be universal enough that we all know what date we are talking about. In 1615 Johannes Kepler adopted the "Vulgar Era" designation, a reference that was later changed to C.E. "Common Era." Today, in most academic documents, the terms B.C.E. "Before the Common Era" and C.E. "Common Era" are used. But the years remain the same, 2022 AD is 2022 CE.

The date for both designations A.D and C.E remains the time when Caesar Augustus ordered that all the Roman world should be taxed and a

little known carpenter in Nazareth started out for Bethlehem leading a donkey on which sat his pregnant wife. The life of that child defines every other event in history.

Why is Jesus the centerpiece of all human history?

Part of the answer is the teaching of Jesus. The Sermon on the Mount is the most radical teaching in the history of the world. If everyone practiced Jesus' teaching the world would be totally transformed. God's Kingdom would have come on earth.

Part of the answer is the death of Jesus. We cannot practice the Sermon on the Mount without a transformation of heart. The Cross of Jesus Christ makes this possible. Our sins are forgiven and God is able to create in us a new heart.

Most important of all is the resurrection. If Jesus had not been raised from the dead, his followers would have quickly dispersed and he would have been forgotten. The disciples had all forsaken him at his trial. Peter had publicly denied him. But, when Jesus appeared for forty days with many undeniable proofs, everything changed. (Acts 1:3).

This was the message that changed the world. "This Man, delivered over by the predetermined plan and foreknowledge of God, you nailed to a cross by the hands of godless men and put Him to death. But God raised Him up again, putting an end to the agony of death, since it was impossible for Him to be held in its power." (Acts 2:23-24).

"He is the image of the invisible God, the first-born of all creation. For by Him all things were created, both in the heavens and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things have been created through Him and for Him. He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together." (Colossians 1:15-18).

Jesus destroyed the rule of power and prejudice, retaliation and revenge. On the Cross he overcame violence and injustice. By the resurrection He conquered death and the grave. For this reason every document we date this year bears the number 2022.

Bill Tinsley reflects on current events and life experience from a faith perspective. His books are available at www.tinsleycenter.com. Email bill@tinsleycenter.com.

This is An Old Story

DR. LILLIAN
BOHANNAN

Sometimes stories are very much worth repeating again and again and again. This is one of those stories that will never grow old. When I was 9 years-old, I was lying in bed one evening. I was on the front porch of an old unpainted two bedroom house. My four brothers were in the only other bedroom available. My sister and I slept on the screened-in porch in the summer time.

I had almost fallen asleep, when I thought I saw Jesus, God, and angels in a dream. It was so real I started crying in fright. My sister asked me what was wrong, and I told her, "Nothing, go back to sleep." I didn't want her to think I was a sissy.

She pursued her question until I finally told her what I saw. She said, "Well, you just got saved!" She ran into the kitchen and told me mother with me in tow.

Mom asked me the typical questions about Jesus, and dying on the Cross, and rising again to which I answered yes to all. I had been raised in church and knew all the right responses. The next day she took me to the preacher and I again said yes in all the right places.

When I was 12, Mother had me baptized along with my older brother. What's funny is we had to borrow the Mormon Church baptistry because our church didn't have one yet. Now that church is an Independent Baptist Church in my hometown.

But on with my story. I was very faithful to go to church. I didn't drink, smoke, or do anything that would dishonor my church or my family. I went to a Christian college and became active on the Mission Team as the social leader. When I was 19, I was a counselor in the Billy Graham Crusade in Los

Angeles. I even sang in the choir.

When I was 21, I married a Baptist preacher, had a son four years later, taught school, and actively worked in my local church. I thought I had it all together.

Then I met a former college friend who ran Christian coffee houses in California. I invited him to speak to our ladies group at church about his work. He came, and as I sat there listening, His first question stunned me. "Have you come to the place in your spiritual life, that you are 100 percent sure that you would go to Heaven when you die?"

My heart did one of those search-light things to my brain and I couldn't say yes. I didn't hear about the coffee houses, I didn't hear another word he said. All I kept hearing in my mind was that 100 percent surety. I was so troubled that when I got home that night, with my nine-month old son lying in his crib, at 10:30 that night, I got down on my knees and cried out to God.

"God, if I'm not a Christian, please save me right now." And He did!

The old, old story of Jesus and His great love for me is still true and will be forever true. He died on the cross for me, He paid the penalty for my personal sin as he was dying for the whole world He loved. He rose again the third day, and is coming back for me just like He said. And all this is according to the True Scriptures of our mighty God.

Will you stop fighting Him and accept His old, old story? Oh how He loves you and me. He gave His life—what more could He give? It's the same old story and it will never grow old. His mercies are new every morning. And He's waiting for you to be 100 percent sure.

The lines of communication are open

DR. WILLIAM
F. HOLLAND

The path to victory was never promised to be an easy one. It's filled with faith blended with hard work, persistence, and a passion to follow God's directions. What type of victory are you referring to? The only success and accomplishment that has eternal value is when we follow and accomplish God's will. So, what is this? Well, there is His general will which includes His written word that is given to help us learn how to live for Him. There is also His specific will where God has designed a personal blueprint for each of His children as it pertains to their unique destiny and is available for all who seek Him.

With all of the knowledge that is in the world, there is nothing more important than to know who God is and what He desires. We have an open line of communication with Him to listen to His voice and to talk to Him and yet His general and specific will is largely ignored. Why? Human nature is more concerned with its own plans instead of submitting to what God is demanding. The Lord revealed to me about ten years ago that we can be as close to Him as we want and the only thing preventing this from happening is our rebellion. Every person has been given the free will to choose and make their own decisions about whether they will serve God or

themselves. The carnal mind does not enjoy being told what to do, and this resistance is commonly referred to as the war between good and evil. This reality of spiritual warfare is woven throughout scripture and is seen when Lucifer rebelled against God. He is now the ruler of the dark kingdom and is trying to deceive and persuade every person who will listen to ignore God's eternal truth.

It's wise to seek the meaning of life and to examine if where we are spiritually is where we need to be. If we desire to build our house on the rock, it's essential to know this requires a willing surrender of our will. Without yielding our will to God we will not be able to fully express our love for Him or others which is the core of the Christian life. Loving God with all of our mind, heart, and soul, comes with developing a constant awareness of His presence. Jesus is quoted in Luke 22:42, "Father, if you are willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless not my will, but thine be done." He was in such agony interceding, the Bible says His sweat was as great drops of blood. This is an intensity that most people including myself have never experienced. He could have decided to fight against the government or He could have escaped out of town, but He abandoned all of His ideas and opinions and yielded to the one whose thoughts are higher and is perfect in all His ways.

There is no doubt that many including myself have a lack of understanding of spiritual things,

but what about when we know what we need to do and still refuse to do it? An example would be that it's easier to do good deeds than to develop a consistent and fervent prayer life. Christians are usually willing to do something that looks religious because it is noticed by all. The secret place of spiritual intimacy with God is not seen by anyone and has no recognition. No one will ever want to pray until they become saturated with a relentless passion to love God. They might mention someone to Him and ask if He would help them, but this is on an elementary level like, "Now I lay me down to sleep." There comes a time when a true disciple of Christ must graduate from kindergarten and move to deeper spiritual levels. We notice that Jesus would often slip away to find a quiet and private place where He could be with His Father. The concept of making spiritual communication with God our highest priority is hardly mentioned in today's hectic world because the average person does not want to be convicted about how they are too busy to think about it. The popular message is about how Jesus paid it all and now we just need to wait for His return. Yes, it's true the sacrifice of Jesus indeed provided the opportunity for the fellowship with God to be restored, but we are accountable for how interested we are about it.

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"And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night. And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death." Revelation 12:10-11

There is a vast difference between a good reputation and a godly testimony. A good reputation (image) is something we build by the sheer force of our own willpower, stamina and physical might, and can be quite useful in this present world.

On the other hand, a godly testimony is that which only God, in His love, mercy and grace, can give to the chiefest of sinners.

Is it possible to have a train wreck of a reputation, while at the same time, being in possession of a godly testimony? I believe it is. Consider King David, who committed sufficient mistakes and sins to completely and permanently ruin his own reputation many times over.

However, David had an indestructible testimony, in that God called him a man after His own heart. In Christ Jesus, God offers us a shatterproof, impeccable, eternal testimony, and this testimony is our salvation, sanctification and blessing by grace through faith by the power of the gospel of Christ.

You see, a good reputation can be demolished in a matter of seconds, but a testimony can never, ever be destroyed, because a good reputation is the work we do, but a godly testimony is God's work in, for and through us.

No one ever overcame the accuser (Satan) by the power of the deeds of the Law or a reputation of good, moral, clean living (consider the trials of Job).

Not a single piece of the whole armour of God (Ephesians 6:11-18) has anything to do with a good reputation, and everything to do with Christ's finished work on the cross.

The Word of God says that they overcame him (the accuser) by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony.

The blood of the Lamb is the word of our testimony because Romans 5:9 says: "Much more then, being now justified by his blood, we shall be saved from wrath through him."

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Big Spring Steers looking to start season off right as they host Pampa tonight



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Top left, Senior Eli Cobos runs in for a score during the Steers scrimmage against Levelland on Aug. 18. Bottom left, Head Coach Cannon McWilliams goes talks it over with his offense before running the next play during their scrimmage against Levelland. Top right, Steers receiver Donavyn Hilario goes up for the ball over a Levelland defender. Bottom right, Steer senior running back, Leroy Johnson gets past the Levelland defense during their scrimmage. The Steers will look to avenge their loss from last year as they are set to host the Pampa Harvesters tonight at Memorial Stadium. Game time is set for 7 p.m. Come on out and help cheer on the Steers football team as they kick off their 2022 season.

By PATRICK GONZALES

Herald Sports Writer

The Steers will kick off its season tonight, as they host the Pampa Harvesters at Memorial Stadium. Last year, the Steers made the long trip and suffered a blowout loss to the Harvesters, with a final score of 58-7. The Steers are looking to reverse the role this time around.

In order to do that, the Steers will need its young players on this year's team to step up. The Steers lost some of their skilled players to graduation this past May however, the matchup should be even this time around. Pampa also lost some of its skilled players to graduation this past year and will look to its younger group of kids to step up as well.

Heading into the matchup, the Steers will be strong on both the offensive and defensive lines, with senior right tackle Nicholas Garcia and senior defensive tackle Rahlei Eddington leading the way. Junior quarterback Gavin Padron will look to be the starter for the Steers come Friday night, with senior Eli Cobos taking snaps when needed. Cobos will be starting in the receiver and defensive back positions for the Steers Friday night.

The game is scheduled for 7 p.m. tonight at Memorial Stadium. Come on out and support the Steers football team!

STRONG AND FAST START WILL BE KEY FOR STEERS

Two weeks ago the Steers held their first scrimmage at home against a tough Greenwood team and head coach Cannon McWilliams was impressed with what he saw in his team. McWilliams said that his defense played lights out in that game and the offense looked really good, especially when they ran the ball.

In their last scrimmage against Levelland last week, the Steers got off to a

slower start than they did against Greenwood. The Steers struggled early on in the scrimmage but as it went along they progressed and ended the night on high note.

"It was just slow and we didn't come out, to me, like when we played Greenwood," McWilliams said. "Once it got going towards the end we were hitting on all cylinders."

McWilliams said the important thing for the Steers heading into tonight's matchup against Pampa will be to play consistently from start to finish and to match their physicality. "Pampa is big and physical and we're going to have to match their physicality," McWilliams said. "Like us, they graduated a lot of skill kids, so I think it will be a good contest. We've just got to continue to get better."

STEER PLAYERS TO WATCH

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- Ricky Escovedo, Sr. - LB
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- Eli Cobos, Sr. - FS

Jerry Jones expects injured Cowboys LT Tyron Smith to return

By SCHUYLER DIXON

AP Pro Football Writer

FRISCO, Texas (AP) — Dallas Cowboys left tackle Tyron Smith is expected to return at some point this season after sustaining a torn left hamstring that also injured the knee, team owner and general manager Jerry Jones said Thursday.

Jones said during an appearance on ESPN that he wasn't sure if Smith's injury would require surgery but that the eight-time Pro Bowler would return late in the season.

A person with knowledge of the injury, which happened in practice Wednesday night, said Smith had a torn hamstring with a knee fracture that resulted from the tendon pulling away from the bone. ESPN first reported the injury.

Speaking to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity because there was no official announcement of the injury, the person said it appeared Smith would be sidelined until December.

Smith was injured during 11-on-11 drills when he went to engage linebacker Leighton Vander Esch about 5 yards downfield before crumpling to the turf.

He walked off the field without help and later walked past reporters outside the locker room.

The 31-year-old Smith has been hampered mostly by back, neck and ankle injuries in recent years. Smith has missed at least three games each season

since 2016. He played just two games in 2020 before season-ending neck surgery.

Rookie first-round pick Tyler Smith could replace him. Tyler Smith has been working at left guard but was the starting left tackle at Tulsa. He missed both practices this week with an ankle injury.

"We've played a lot of games without Tyron," Jones said on ESPN. "Not as successfully as we do with him. But in the meantime we've got a guy named Tyler Smith who's come on the scene."

The injury is a major blow to an offensive line that was already in transition.

The Cowboys were counting on Smith and five-time All-Pro right guard Zack Martin as the anchors for a unit that is young and relatively inexperienced at the other three spots.

Dallas probably just added a fourth spot to that concern.

Josh Ball, a fourth-round pick last year, has replaced Tyron Smith at times during training camp this year. Ball missed all of his rookie season with an ankle injury.

If Tyler Smith moves to left tackle, third-year player Connor McGovern is the likely choice at left guard. Before Tyron Smith's injury, McGovern, who missed all of his rookie year with a torn pectoral muscle, was expected to start ahead of Tyler Smith. Tyler Biadasz, another third-year player, is the center.

Without Tyron Smith, quarterback Dak Prescott is missing the veteran blocker on his blind side and two other starters from last year's line while moving on without top receiver Amari Cooper, who was traded to Cleveland in a cost-cutting move in the offseason. CeeDee Lamb is taking over the No. 1 receiving role from Cooper.



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Status/Permit No. 882948
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Sep 8, 2022
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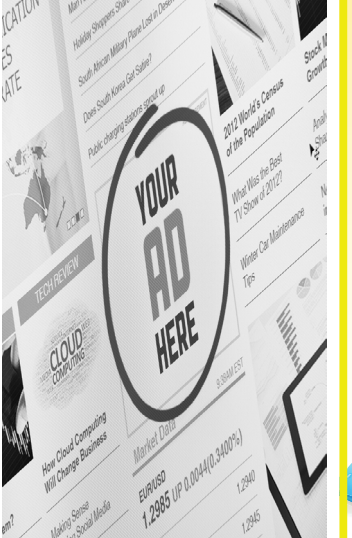
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Contract Bridge. By Steve Becker. Includes a graphic of playing cards (spades, hearts, diamonds, clubs) and the text 'Contract Bridge'.

A wise expenditure. South dealer. Both sides vulnerable. NORTH: ♠K 10 9 8 7, ♥A K 9 5, ♦6 2, ♣8 4. WEST: ♠J 3 2, ♥J 4, ♦K 10 8 7, ♣J 10 9 7. EAST: ♠A 6 5 4, ♥Q 10 8 7, ♦Q 4, ♣6 5 2. SOUTH: ♠Q, ♥6 3 2, ♦A J 9 5 3, ♣A K Q 3. The bidding: South West North East 1♦ Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT. Opening lead — jack of clubs. Prudence and thrift are admirable traits, both at and away from the bridge table. But there are times when an apparent extravagance becomes a necessity. Those who wish to succeed at bridge must keep a constant eye open for such exceptions. Take this case where South was in three notrump and West led the jack of clubs. Declarer won with the queen and led the queen of spades, ducked by East. Dummy was entered with a heart, and since there were not enough entries to establish and run the spades, South tackled diamonds. When the nine lost to the ten and the suit divided 4-2, he came to an unhappy end, finishing down one. Since declarer had nine ironclad tricks after the opening club lead, this was far from a satisfactory outcome. Had he been willing to make a seemingly extravagant expenditure, he could have assured his contract. The proper play for South is to overtake the queen of spades with the king at trick two. This assures him of three spade tricks whether or not the king is taken with the ace. Let's assume East wins the trick and returns a club (if East does not take the trick, South simply continues leading spades). Declarer wins the club return and re-enters dummy with a heart to force out the jack of spades, and the remaining heart honor provides the entry needed to run the rest of the spades. All told, South scores three spades, two hearts, three clubs and a diamond to come to nine tricks. Admittedly, there might be a natural reluctance to spend the queen and king of spades on the same trick. But the failure to make this play constitutes a form of prudence that, in the end, proves to be quite expensive. Tomorrow: Test your play. ©2022 King Features Syndicate Inc.



Today in History: August 25, deaths of McCain and Kennedy. Today is Thursday, Aug. 25, the 237th day of 2022. There are 128 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Aug. 25, 1918, Sen. John McCain of Arizona, who had spent years as a prisoner of war in Vietnam before a 35-year political career that took him to the Republican presidential nomination, died at the age of 81 after battling brain cancer for more than a year.

On this date: In 1718, hundreds of French colonists arrived in Louisiana, with some settling in present-day New Orleans. In 1875, Capt. Matthew Webb became the first person to swim across the English Channel, getting from Dover, England, to Calais (ka-LAY'), France, in 22 hours.

In 1928, an expedition led by Richard E. Byrd set sail from Hoboken, N.J., on its journey to Antarctica.

In 1944, during World War II, Paris was liberated by Allied forces after four years of Nazi occupation.

In 1958, the game show "Concentration" premiered on NBC-TV.

In 1980, the Broadway musical "42nd Street" opened. (Producer David Merrick stunned the cast and audience during the curtain call by announcing that the show's director, Gower Champion, had died earlier that day.)

In 1981, the U.S. spacecraft Voyager 2 came within 63,000 miles of Saturn's cloud cover, sending back pictures of and data about the ringed planet.

In 1985, Samantha Smith, 13, the school-girl whose letter to Yuri V. Andropov resulted in her famous peace tour of the Soviet Union, died with her father in an airliner crash in Auburn, Maine, that also killed four other passengers and two crew members.

In 2001, R&B singer Aaliyah (ah-LEE'-yah) was killed with eight others in a plane crash in the Bahamas; she was 22.

In 2009, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, the liberal lion of the U.S. Senate, died at age 77 in Hyanis Port, Massachusetts, after a battle with a brain tumor.

In 2014, a funeral was held in St. Louis for Michael Brown, the Black 18-year-old who was shot to death by a police officer in suburban Ferguson.

In 2020, two people were shot to death and a third was wounded as 17-year-old Kyle Rittenhouse opened fire with an AR-15-style rifle during a third night of protests in Kenosha, Wisconsin, over the police shooting of a Black man, Jacob Blake. (Rittenhouse, who was taken into custody in Illinois the next day, said he was defending himself after the three men attacked him as he tried to protect businesses from protesters; he was acquitted on all charges, including homicide.)

Ten years ago: Neil

Armstrong, 82, who commanded the historic Apollo 11 lunar landing and was the first man to set foot on the moon in July 1969, died in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Five years ago: Hurricane Harvey, the fiercest hurricane to hit the U.S. in more than a decade, made landfall near Corpus Christi, Texas, with 130 mph sustained winds; the storm would deliver five days of rain totaling close to 52 inches, the heaviest tropical downpour that had ever been recorded in the continental U.S. The hurricane left at least 68 people dead and caused an estimated \$125 billion in damage in Texas. President Donald Trump pardoned former Arizona sheriff Joe Arpaio, who had been convicted of a misdemeanor contempt-of-court charge for defying a judge's orders that he stop conducting immigration patrols; the 85-year-old retired lawman had faced the prospect of jail time at his sentencing in October.

One year ago: Secretary of State Antony Blinken said about 4,500 Americans had been evacuated so far from Afghanistan; officials believed there were about 6,000 Americans wanting to leave when the U.S. airlift began in mid-August. The U.S. Embassy in Kabul issued a security alert warning American citizens to stay away from three specific gates at the airport in Kabul. (There would be a deadly suicide bomb attack at the airport the following day.) Texas Gov. Greg Abbott issued an executive order banning any state or local mandates requiring people to be vaccinated against

COVID-19; the move came as Texas reported the most COVID-19 patients in its hospitals since the pandemic began. Defense Secretary Lloyd Austin said in a memo that military

troops must immediately start getting the COVID-19 vaccine. A man who was angered by state-ordered coronavirus restrictions was sentenced to just over six years in prison for planning to kidnap Michigan Gov. Gretchen Whitmer; Ty Garbin was among six men charged in federal court, but was the first to plead guilty.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Tom Skerritt is 89. Jazz musician Wayne Shorter is 89. Movie director Hugh Hudson is 86. Author Frederick Forsyth is 84. Movie director John Badham is 83. Filmmaker Marshall Brickman is 83. R&B singer Walter Williams (The O'Jays) is 79. Actor Anthony Heald is 78. Rock singer-actor Gene Simmons is 73. Actor John Savage is 73. Author Martin Amis (AY'-mihs) is 73. Country singer-musician Henry Paul (Outlaws; Blackhawk) is 73. Rock singer Rob Halford is 71. Rock musician Geoff Downes (Asia) is 70. Rock singer Elvis Costello is 68. Movie director Tim Burton is 64. Actor Christian LeBlanc is 64. Actor Ashley Crow is 62. Actor Ally Walker is 61. Country singer Cyrus (AKA Billy Ray Cyrus) is 61. Actor Joanne Whalley is 61. Rock musician Vivian Campbell (Def Leppard) is 60. Actor Blair Underwood is 58. Actor Robert Maschio is 56. Rap DJ Terminator X (Public Enemy) is 56. Alternative country singer Jeff Tweedy (Wilco) is 55.

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FEATURES

Horoscopes By Holiday

FRIDAY
AUGUST 26, 2022

Busting Out of the Box

The cosmic squares warn against keeping too much of your life in your own head. When your only outlet for a thought is in your own mind, a healthy perspective is hard to achieve. Seeing things properly requires the space to zoom in and out. You don't have that kind of space in your own mind. Sharing is essential to productive thinking.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). When things seem much harder than they should be, you take notice and start asking questions. What would be easier? Who can I learn from? Who's doing it better? What adjustments can be made?

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You've decided it's wise to stay a little on guard but can't say what you want to say while trying to mitigate the risk of getting hurt. If you knew it was impossible to protect yourself from truth and pain, then how would you go about it?

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). The boundaries around the relationship are what make it a home. Hopefully the boundaries inside the relationship allow each their own space. In love and other shelters, the walls are as important as the foundation.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). There are many reasons you'll feel the need to get

moving, the least of which is to burn calories. You'll think better when you're in motion. Exercise can be anything you want it to be.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You're feeling less ambitious, but oddly you'll be happier because of this. While big wins and lofty goals are amazing to hit, the day-to-day stress has a way of wearing on you. One small goal at a time will feel really good right now.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). When the pond is muddy, you can't clear the water by stirring it. To put everything back in order, do nothing. Inaction brings clarity. Wait for things to settle, then you'll understand what you're really dealing with.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). There are things about your life you can't change right now. You'll be able to do something about them later. While you wait for the opportunity to take back control, think about the other things you're currently empowered to affect.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). There's an emotional link between something happening today and something that happened long ago. The connection occurs deep in your being, yet it will shape your behavior in subtle and obvious ways.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You'll be surrounded by strong personalities who want to tell you what to do, but you're the one most qualified to call the shots right now. Make decisions for yourself. Your purposefulness will attract trust, love

and money.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You want to know more about a particular subject, and teachers show up to light the way. They will give you the key to treasures that would remain inaccessible to the incurious.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You'll get the overwhelming feeling that things are happening in the best way possible to serve your interests. Your senses are tuned to find the path of least resistance, so you don't have to think about it; like water you'll flow to it.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). There are a lot of things you could do to help out, but it will be most satisfying to do something you're great at. Your highest point of contribution will involve your uniqueness and be enjoyable for you to give.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Aug. 26). Happiness can come in drastically different forms, like the shape of work or the contour of a loved one's face. You're open to a wide variety of forms and will experience many throughout the course of the year. You'll be entrusted with a mission or key information. You'll be paid well for your integrity. Taurus and Gemini adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 7, 24, 21, 11 and 5.

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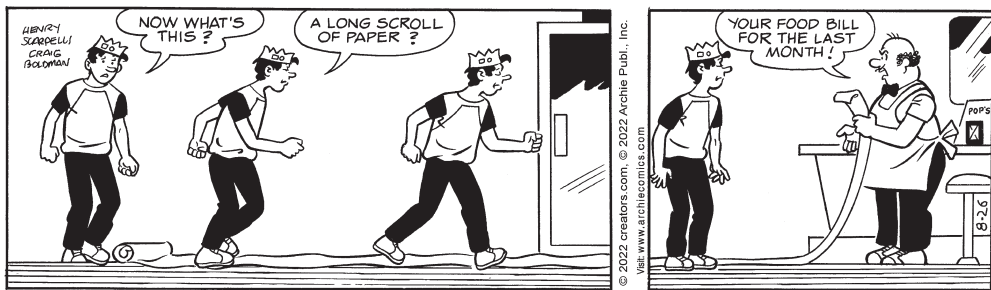
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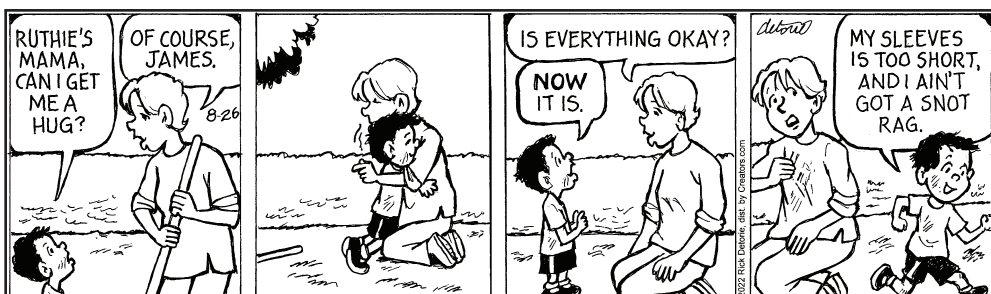
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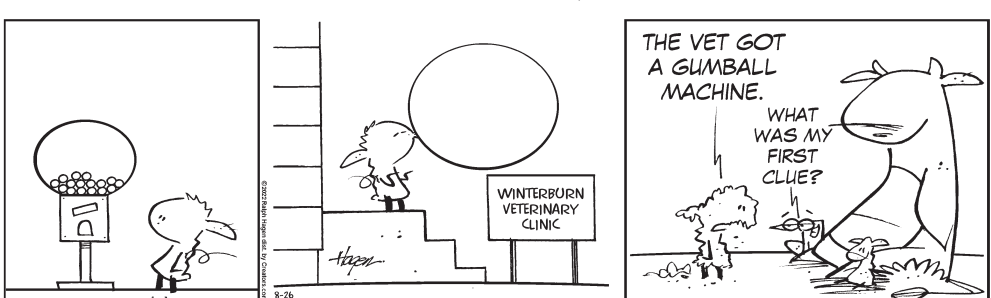
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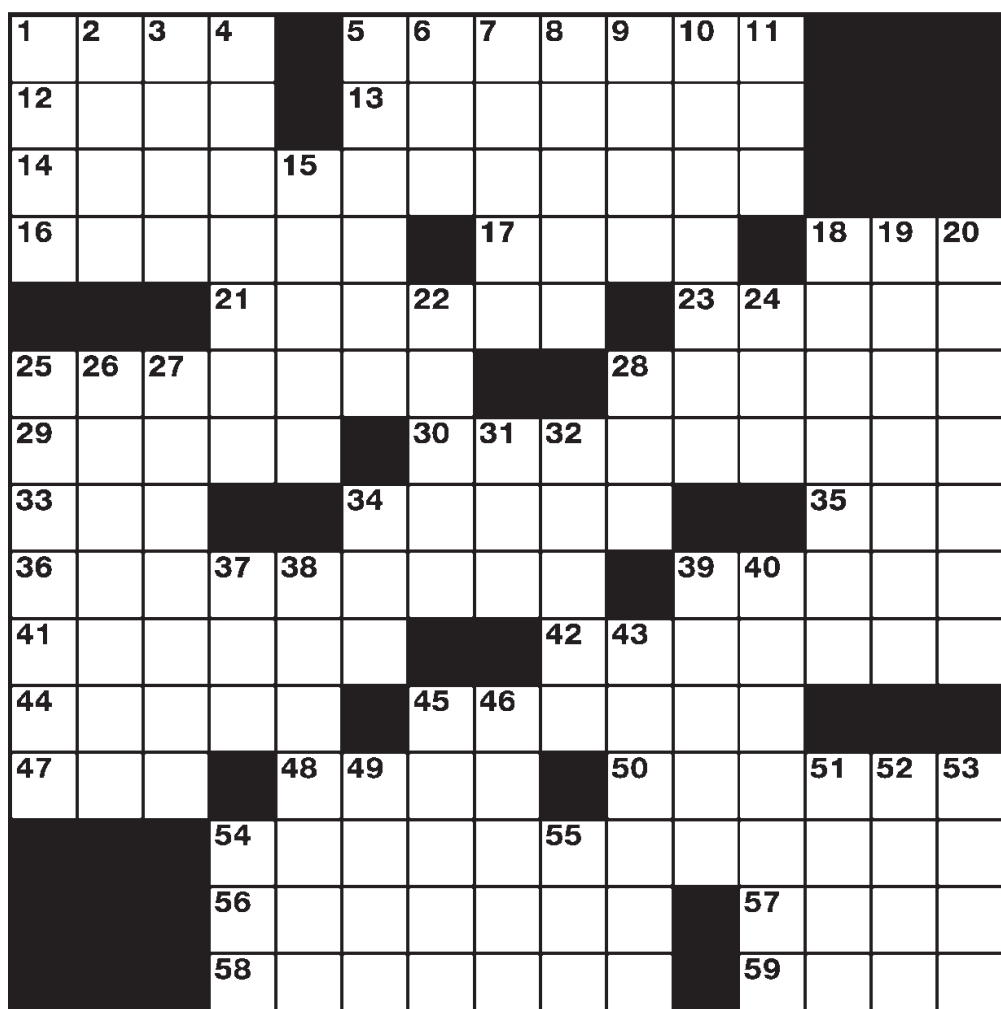
Newsday Crossword

CATCH THE REVIEW by S.N.

Edited by Stanley Newman
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Qt. fraction
 - 5 "You made the right decision"
 - 12 Leisurely gait
 - 13 Sticking by no matter what
 - 14 Start of a review
 - 16 Country singer Pam or Mel
 - 17 Make a splash
 - 18 "Amazing!"
 - 21 Start of a Hebrew dictionary
 - 23 President with two Grammys
 - 25 Large flowerpot
 - 28 Outerwear for the Arctic
 - 29 Expects the return of
 - 30 Middle of the review
 - 33 Thick-brick filling
 - 34 Operatic subject of the review
 - 35 Harrison's smuggler role
 - 36 The reviewer
 - 39 River painted by van Gogh
 - 41 Subway of song
 - 42 Wreaked havoc upon
 - 44 Tennis great Michael
 - 45 In a daze
 - 47 Certain gobbler
 - 48 Willing to try
 - 50 Half-conscious condition
 - 54 End of review
 - 56 Train's lumber carrier
 - 57 All keyed up

- DOWN**
- 1 Move like a bird
 - 2 Chicago mayor Lightfoot
 - 3 German auto
 - 4 One of the "New" nations
 - 5 "Ask me later"
 - 6 Canine category
 - 7 Graceful young woman
 - 8 Flees, informally
 - 9 City northeast of Reno
 - 10 Initial instruction
 - 11 *Dracula* director Browning
 - 15 Merry tunes
 - 18 *Lion King* beast
 - 19 Buffett's HQ
 - 20 Started the day
 - 22 Before now
 - 24 ___ vivant
 - 25 Perform on a stage
 - 26 What South Africa surrounds
 - 27 Bengalis, to Belgians
 - 28 Top-5 baby girl name since 2006
 - 31 Dungeons & Dragons co.
 - 32 Paperless Hallmark item
 - 34 End of a KO count
 - 37 Adjectival surname suffix
 - 38 30-ounce drink brand
 - 39 Campground clients
 - 40 Really enjoyed oneself
 - 43 Wedding settings
 - 45 Ever so slightly
 - 46 Record label for Cline and Crosby
 - 49 Without delay
 - 51 "Launch cancelled"
 - 52 Unworried
 - 53 Outer limit
 - 54 Film student's deg.
 - 55 Cabinet department before Defense



SUDOKU

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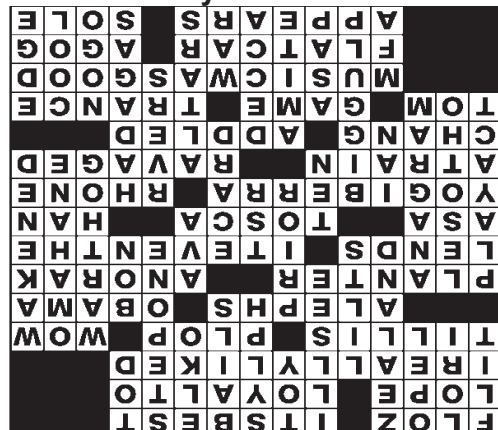
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Here's How It Works:

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!

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Today's Answers



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



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Paintless Dent Repair
Tire Dealer
Used Car Dealer
Used Car Salesman
Window Tint

Community

Church
Customer Service
Daycare Center
Friendly Staff
Non-Profit Org.
Nursery
Retirement Living

Entertainment

Birthday Venue
Family Entertainment
Local Venue
Museum
Night Life
Wedding Venue

Food & Dining

Appetizers
Asian Food
BBQ
Watch the Game
Bakery
Breakfast
Buffet
Burrito
Casual Dining
Caterer
Chicken
Chicken Fried Steak
Coffee
Desserts
Diner Food
Donuts
Drive-Thru
Fast Food
Fish
Food Truck

Home & Garden

Lumber Supply
Mattress Store
Paint Dealer
Pest Control
Plant Nursery
Plumbing Service
Remodeling/Home Improvement
Roofing Company
Storage Facility
Tree Trimming

People

Attorney
Banker
Bank Teller
Chiropractor
Dentist
Doctor
EMT
Firefighter
Hair Stylist
Insurance Agent
LVN
Mechanic
Nail Tech
Optometrist
Orthodontics
Pastor
Pediatrician
Photographer
Physical Therapist
Police Officer/Deputy/Trooper
Real Estate Agent
RN
Tattoo Artist
Teacher

Pets

Animal Hospital
Animal Shelter/Rescue
Pet Boarding
Pet Groomer
Veterinarian

Professional Services

Abstract Company
Accounting Firm
Bail Bonds
Bank
Body Piercing

Winner

O'Reilly Auto Parts
Knowlton Automotive
Medrano's Oil Change
Big Spring Collision Center
Star Chrysler, Jeep, Dodge, Ram of Big Spring
Clyde Himes - Shroyer Motor Co.
Medrano's Oil Change
Texas Dent Company
Franklin & Son, Inc.
Star Chrysler, Jeep, Dodge, Ram of Big Spring
Clay Harris - 87 Auto Sales
The Tint Factory

Winner

Cornerstone Covenant Church
Churchwell Insurance Agency
New Hope Christian School
Inspirations Floral Boutique
Tate's Place
Johansen Landscape & Nursery
Parkplace Retirement Living

Winner

Goode Party Events, LLC
Goode Party Events, LLC
The Club at Silver Hills
Heritage Museum
The Train Car Cigar Bar
The Club at Silver Hills

Winner

Arroyo Grill
Hibachi Express
Al's & Son Bar-B-Q
Wild West Wingz
Texas Baker Mama
Tita's Mexican Kitchen
Pizza Inn
Tio Lencho's
Arroyo Grill
Alberto's Crystal Café
Gill's Fried Chicken
Cowboy's Steakhouse
Shebrews Coffee
Summer's Sweet Treats
The Mayo Sauce Family Diner
Fresh Donuts & Kolaches
Rocky's
Rocky's
Big John's by Brenda
Mima's Cuisine

Winner

Harris Lumber & Hardware
Allan's Gallery
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Southwestern A-1 Pest
Johansen Landscape & Nursery
Advance Plumbing
Kenn Construction
Kenn Construction
Reliable Self Storage
Lupe's Tree Trimming

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Jasmine Harvey
Dr. Ted Seymore
Dr. David Ward
Pastor Michael Willard
Dr. Joseph Chavez
Ada Hernandez
Pattie Blakeney
Jon Islas
Brooke Atkins
Michelle Wood
Ryan Lopez
Tammie Flores

Winner

Highland Animal Hospital
Happy Day Humane Society
Highland Animal Hospital
Southpaw Grooming
Dr. Scott Burt

Winner

Big Spring Abstract
Boothe, Vassar & Co.
A-Bob's Bail Bonds
State National Bank
Gentle Pricks

Food & Dining

French Fries
Hamburgers
Home Cooking
Ice Cream
Liquor Store
Locally Owned
Mac'N'Cheese
Margaritas
Meat Market
Menudo
Mexican Food
Pizza
Salad Bar
Salads
Salsa
Sandwiches
Seafood
Sports Bar
Steakhouse
Steaks
Sweet Tea
Tacos
Wings

Health & Beauty

Assisted Living Center
Audiologist Office
Barber Shop
Chiropractic Center
Dental Office
Hair Salon
Health Food Store
Home Health Care
Nursing Home
Pharmacy
Rehab Center
Spa
Tanning Salon
Urgent Care Clinic

Home & Garden

Appliances
Construction Company
Equipment Rental Service
Fencing Company
Hardware Store
Heating & A/C
Home Décor
Home Improvement Co.
Landscaping Co.

Professional Services

Cable Provider
Carpet Cleaners
Computer Repair
Construction Company
Credit Union
Crop Insurance
Electrical Services
Eye Clinic
Financial Advisor
Funeral Home
Hospice
Insurance Agency
Internet Provider
Laundromat
Law Office
Medical Clinic
Mortgage Company
Photography Studio
Real Estate Agency
Safety Company
Skilled Workers
Tattoo Parlor
Tax Service
Towing Company
Wedding Planner
Wrecker Service

Retail

Boutique
Building Supplies
Carpet
CBD Store
Coldest Beer
Farm Store
Feed/Supply Store
Florist
Furniture Store
Gift Shop
Grocery Store
Jewelry Store
Liquor Store
Meats
Produce
Wine Selection

Sports & Fitness

Dance Studio
Golf Course
Gym/Fitness Facility
Sporting Goods
Sports Nutrition

Winner

Rocky's
Cowboy's Steakhouse
The Mayo Sauce Family Diner
Dairy Queen
Big Mike's Farm Store
The Mayo Sauce Family Diner
The Mayo Sauce Family Diner
Arroyo Grill
Hull's Meat Company
Tita's Mexican Kitchen
Alberto's Crystal Café
Pizza Inn
Pizza Inn
Cowboy's Steakhouse
Alberto's Crystal Café
Locals 79720
Texas Cajun Café
Wild West Wingz
Cowboy's Steakhouse
Cowboy's Steakhouse
Tea2Go TeaNergy
Borracho's Tacos
Wild West Wingz

Winner

Parkplace Retirement Living
Pathway Audiology
Lonestar Barber Shop
Back in Motion Chiropractic
Ward Family Dental
The One Way Salon
Big Spring Health Food Store
Interim Health Care
Parkview Skilled Care
Carver Drug
Parkview Skilled Care
Wildfire Beauty & Wellness Suites
Lula Blu Boutique
Affordacare

Winner

Allan's Gallery
Kenn Construction
Lee's Rental
B & M Fence
Higginbotham Brothers
JL Heating & AC
Dazzling Décor
J & J Handyman
Johansen Landscape & Nursery

Winner

Suddenlink
Clanton Chem Dry
Moore Technology Solutions
Kenn Construction
Citizens Federal Credit Union
Kelly Newton Insurance
Robby's Electric
Eye Associates
Raul Benavides - Edward Jones
Myers & Smith Funeral Home
Home Hospice
Churchwell Insurance
Basin2Way
All Washed Up
Cisneros Law Firm
Affordacare
HNB Mortgage
Abstract Photography
Home Realtors
Paint & Safety Store
Inspirations Floral Boutique
Gentle Pricks
H&R Block
Paige Towing & Recovery
Laura Strickland
Mitchem Wrecker

Winner

Splurge Boutique
Higginbotham Brothers
Ticia's Flooring Estentials
PÜRLEAF
Buckeasy's by Big Mike
Howard Co. Feed & Supply
OC Farm & Ranch
Inspirations Floral Boutique
Allan's Gallery
Inspirations Floral Boutique
Porter's
The Karat Patch
Big Mike's Farm Store
Hull's Meat Company
Porter's
Porter's

Winner

The Dance Gallery
City Golf Course
Y.M.C.A. of Big Spring
Big Spring Outdoors
Big Spring Health Food Store