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Cannon marks milestone



Staff photo: Tony Bullocks

Capt. James Shen adjusts a helmet Saturday on Thomas Conley, 6, of Clovis at the Cannon Air Force Base open house.

□ The base hosts open house to honor 10 years of Special Operations.

By Jamie Cushman

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CANNON AIR FORCE BASE — Cannon Air Force Base opened its doors to civilians on Saturday for an open house as the base celebrates its 10-year anniversary of Air Force Special Operations Command designation.

About five aircraft were accessible to the public including a Pilatus PC12, MC-130 and an Osprey tiltrotor aircraft.

Other Air Force equipment including weapons, Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) equipment, and an emergency response trailer were displayed.

"I think the event is going great," open house coordinator Jelisa Stevens said. "We've had great participation from all the units on base and everybody seemed really excited about seeing different things because there are things out here you wouldn't normally see with an air show."

A weapons loading competition between the AC-130W and MQ-9, as well as a K-9 demonstration attracted good-sized crowds.

"The weapons load competition was definitely a hit and everyone was really popular with EOD and our Op-For team, being able to see the guys who get to play the bad guys and the guys who get to play the good

guys out on the range," Stevens said.

The open house was the culmination of months-worth of planning and preparation.

"It's been months but especially the last month has been really heavy (preparation)," Stevens said, adding that each unit has spent about three to four hours a day over the past few weeks to get ready for the event.

The open house provided a behind-the-scenes look at the base for civilians, as well as the family members of those who work at Cannon.

One such family member was Brianne Brackett, 26, a native of Naples, Florida, but now a Clovis resident as her husband is a pilot stationed at Cannon.

Brackett liked the chance

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Umpire 'loved the game, he loved the kids'

□ Friends, family share memories of Bengie Devenport.

By Jamie Cushman

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CLOVIS — You could say Bengie Devenport was a man who wore many hats.

He was a father, a veteran, an umpire, a corrections officer, a security guard and a proud Wildcat, born and

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raised in Clovis. But Bengie also literally wore many hats. One of his traditions as an umpire was collecting a hat from all

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Devenport



Staff photo: Eamon Scarbrough

Eastern New Mexico University theater and music students rehearse for the university's production of "The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee."

University stages musical

□ 'The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee' kicks off on Thursday.

By Eamon Scarbrough

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PORTRALES — Dust off your dictionaries and ready your wit; Eastern New Mexico University's production of "The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee" is on its way.

The musical — a socially conscious mix of clever humor, heartfelt dialogue, and rousing musical numbers, according to Director Anne Beck — is scheduled to be performed Thursday through Sunday at the university's theater.

The story centers on six diverse elementary school students competing in a spelling bee and, in the process, learning more about themselves and each other.

Performers have been rehearsing since late August to embody their characters, including Amy Carter,

who plays the role of Olive Ostrovsky.

"My character's thing is I'm not very confident, and I am trying to be friendly to everyone while being kind of scared to be there, and I'm waiting for my parents to show up," she said.

The production is a unique one for Carter: It is her first musical at ENMU and possibly her last performance in Portales.

A Portales native, Carter has sang at live events in the city since she was 4 years old.

While she has experience in theater, she's found that musicals present challenges of their own, particu-

larly with timing. "It's a lot more set in stone than it is in a straight play, because in a straight play, you can kind of choose when beats happen at certain times. But then when you do a musical, it's written in an exact rhythm when you have to start feeling certain things. That's interesting to adapt to," she said.

Cutter Burnett's character Leaf Coneybear is aloof and well-meaning, and shares more in common with the person playing him than Burnett real-

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High: 81
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High: 78
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Events calendar**Tuesday**
■ **Blood drive** — 10:30 a.m.-2:15 p.m. at ENMRSH, Clovis. Information: 575-625-9743**Book and babies** — 10:30 a.m. for ages 0-3 at Portales Public Library. Book: 123s. Information: 575-356-3940**Afterschool STEAM** — 4:30 p.m. for grades K-6 at Portales Public Library. Activity: Play your way. Information: 575-356-3940**Wednesday**
■ **Preschool storytime** — 10:30 a.m. at Portales Public Library. Book: Donut Miss This. Information: 575-356-3940**Thursday**
■ **Preschool story-time** — 6 p.m. at Portales Public Library. Book: Donut Miss This. Information: 575-356-3940**Tween program** — 4:30 p.m. for ages 9-12 at Portales Public Library. Throwback Thursday: Board games. Information: 575-356-3940**Friday**
■ **The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee** — 7 p.m. musical at ENMU University Theatre Center. Tickets: \$7 general, free for students with ID. Information: 575-562-1011**Saturday**
■ **'The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee'** — 2 p.m. musical at ENMU University Theatre Center. Tickets: \$7 general, free for students with ID. Information: 575-562-1011**Ongoing**
■ **Artist of the month** — Art from Doris Wallace of the Pintores Art League will be on exhibit all month at Clovis Carver Public Library. Information: 575-762-6359**The events calendar is a daily listing of area events. To place an item on the calendar, call the newsroom at 575-763-6991 or e-mail: mmontgomery@thenews.email****Meetings calendar****Tuesday**
■ **Portales City Council** — 6:30 p.m. in council chambers at the Portales Memorial Building. Information: 575-356-6662 ext. 1012**Roosevelt County Commission** — 9 a.m. in commission room at county courthouse. Information: 575-356-5307**Northern Curry County Old Timers Birthday celebration** — 2 p.m.-4 p.m. at Crossroads Cowboy Church of the Nazarene, Broadview. Information: 575-791-5296**OCT. 1****On this date ...****1977:** The U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds performed before a crowd estimated at 10,000 on a perfect fall day at the annual Cannon Air Force Base open house.

Capt. Walt Parker, who had been stationed at Cannon from 1969 to 1974, was interviewed by the Clovis News-Journal about his current position as a Thunderbird pilot.

"If people don't get chills and goosebumps while watching our performance," he said, "well, then we haven't done our job."

1942: Prizes were still pouring in for a huge war bond sale auction coming up at the Lyceum Theater, sponsored by the Clovis Lions Club under the direction of Gordon Fitzhugh, general chairman.

Horace Hudson, a member of the gift committee, reported new donations of 50 gallons of gasoline, one hog, and 500 pounds of chicken feed. Other prizes already collected included furniture, groceries, a marriage license, wash and grease jobs, luggage, and auto tires.

Three auctioneers, including Cash Ramey, had been recruited for the event.

Wednesday
■ **Clovis Community College board** — 8 a.m. at CCC room 512. Information: 575-769-4001**ENMU nursing education review** — 1 p.m. in the Aztec Room. Information: 575-562-1011**Thursday**
■ **Curry County Commission** — 9 a.m. in commission chambers, 417 Gidding Street, Clovis. Information: 575-763-6016**Wednesday**
■ **Clovis City Commission** — 5:15 p.m. at north annex, Clovis-Carver Public Library. Information: 575-769-7828**Friday****Board of Regents** — 9:30 a.m. at Eastern New Mexico University administration building, Portales. Information: 575-562-1011**This calendar is a daily listing of area public meetings. To place an item on the calendar, call the newsroom at 575-763-6991 or e-mail: mmontgomery@thenews.email****Contact her at:**
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Monday
Carolyn Cleghorn — 10 a.m. at Sandia Baptist Church

Saturday
Jackie Moore — 10 a.m. at Floyd Baptist Church

Death notices**Carolyn Cleghorn**

Carolyn Cleghorn, 72, of Clovis, died Tuesday, Sept. 26, 2017, in Clovis. She was born Oct. 29, 1944, in Albuquerque.

Services: 10 a.m. Monday at Sandia Baptist Church. Burial will follow at Mission Gardens of Memories.

Information: 575-763-5541.

Daniel Machen

Daniel Machen, 27, of Roswell, died Thursday, Sept. 28, 2017, in Lubbock. He was born Aug. 31, 1990, in Tyler, Texas.

Service: Private.

Information: 575-356-4455.

Carolyn Marshall Cleghorn

October 29, 1944 – September 26, 2017

Carolyn Marshall Cleghorn, 72, of Clovis, New Mexico, passed away on September 26, 2017, in Clovis, New Mexico.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 am Monday October 2, 2017, at Sandia Baptist Church with Kelly Hartz, officiating. Burial will be at Mission Garden Cemetery at a later date.

Carolyn Marshall Cleghorn was born in Albuquerque, New Mexico to John H. Marshall Sr. and Lena Vanette Doll on October 29, 1944. When she married Lester E. Cleghorn on November 24, 1983, at Sandia Baptist Church in Clovis, New Mexico, she adopted a loving and crazy family and took them in as her own. She adored her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Carolyn worked as a Sales Manager for Sears for 28 years. She enjoyed crocheting, reading, cooking and loved her two dogs, Little Bit and Sparky.

Carolyn Marshall Cleghorn is preceded in death by her mother and father, John H. and Lena Vanette Marshall; brother, John H. Marshall Jr.; husband, Lester E. Cleghorn; grandparents, Allen and Mary L. Doll, Lewis P. and Vera B. Marshall, and cousin Allen Doll.

She is survived by her son, Russell W. (Gina) Cleghorn of Arvada, Colorado; daughters, Debbie J (Ronnie) Ward of Bovina, Texas, Denise M (Rickey) Pierce of Texico, New Mexico; 14 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren. Pallbearers will be Travis Norwood, Jeffrey Pierce, JR Cleghorn, Jake Debard, Kory Lambirth.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Home and Crematory, 800 E. Manana Blvd., Clovis, NM 88101 (575) 763-5541. You may also sign the online guest registry at www.steedtodd.com.

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the teams for which he had called games.

"He would show them that he backed them and he'd wear a cap for that team," Bengie's wife Ana said. "Just to kind of show them that he was there and was giving them the support that they deserved."

Ana said they have about 15 hats in a closet and about 12 hats hanging on a hat rack built for Bengie.

"So yeah, he's got a few," Ana said with a laugh.

One of the coaches who provided hats for Devendorf was Texico baseball coach Ty Thatcher.

Thatcher remembered Bengie as a good guy and a good umpire, but he lamented the fact he was not always able to provide a hat big

enough for Devendorf because he would forget to order a cap in Bengie's size at the beginning of the season.

"I got him several hats but I didn't get him as many as he probably earned," Thatcher said.

Bengie always liked to talk with the kids before and after games and really tried to build a relationship with the players, according to Thatcher.

Devenport also built relationships with his fellow umpires, especially Isaac Bailey.

Bailey said that Bengie was a mentor for him ever since Isaac started umpiring at the age of 11.

"He loved the games, he loved the kids, if it wasn't for him I don't think I'd love the game as much as I do," Bailey said.

Bailey recalled umpiring a game in Lovington with Devendorf when Isaac blew a

military.

"I wanted to see if everything's changed and it has," Koppang said. "40 years makes a lot of difference in technology. I used to work on C-130's and they weren't anything like those."

"I liked all the planes and the tech gear, the dune buggy stuff, motorcycles and all the things that they have. It would be a lot more fun to be in the service nowadays," Koppang said with a laugh.

Another family member who took advantage of the open house was Tom Koppang, 61, of Las Cruces. Cox's daughter works at Cannon but he himself also served in the Air Force for 13 years during the Vietnam War, so he enjoyed seeing the development that has occurred since he was in the

service.

"We like to look at the Osprey and the gunships," Andy Cox said. "Also like to talk to all the service men, we appreciate their service."

Vance Robinson, 61, and his son Christopher, 12, made the trip from Amarillo to Cannon on Saturday. Christopher has interest in joining the Air Force when he's older, so he and his father liked the chance to see all of the equipment they use.

"(See)ing the planes and go(ing) inside and watch(ing) the demo of ordnances," Vance said was his favorite part of the open house.

"Mine's the guns over there and the Army truck," Christopher said.

Maggie Lansford 28, and



of knowledge" that will be sorely missed by the umpiring community.

Outside of baseball Devendorf enjoyed spending time with his family, from going out to eat to doing just about anything his sons wanted to do.

"Anything that we could do with the boys that they enjoyed doing," Ana said. "He even tried to learn how to play the (Playstation 4) with them just to have something to do with them."

Tammy Englett, a friend since junior high, has established a memorial fund at Wells Fargo Bank to assist the family with those expenses.

"He was a really, really, really nice genuine guy," Englett said. "He'd help anybody that he saw that was helping themselves if they needed help."

her daughter Aubrey, 3, of Clovis visited the open house because of the relationship they have with so many people who work at Cannon.

"I'm friends with a ton of military families and I don't think you get the opportunity to see what they do and just the scale of these things very often," Maggie Lansford said.

Lansford added that her daughter was excited about the bounce house that was set up and Maggie enjoyed seeing how her friends spend their day.

"I just love seeing what our friends do, it gives me a little perspective into their day," Lansford said.

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Viewpoint

NFL decisions belong solely with owners

"I disapprove of what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it."
— Evelyn Beatrice Hall,
paraphrasing Voltaire

By calling out National Football League players for not standing during the national anthem, and using profanity to do so, President Trump is only further dividing our already divided nation.

Is he doing so just to deflect attention from important issues like North Korea threatening to shoot down U.S. military aircraft over international waters, providing recovery aid to Puerto Rico and another GOP failure to deliver on repealing Obamacare?

Who knows? But actions by the teams were unavoidable due to his poor choice of words. And now the debate has begun.

NFL players, and the NFL free agent who started this bothersome practice of using the gridiron to protest racism, have every right to peacefully express their point of view either through actions or words.

The real question, however, is whether these highly paid football stars have the right to do so while on the team owners' payrolls.

Prior to Monday night's game between the Dallas Cowboys and Arizona Cardinals, Cowboys owner Jerry Jones answered that question when he and his entire team took a knee before the national anthem began, then collectively stood, arms interlocked, as "The Star-Spangled Banner" began.

The clear signal Jones was sending to the president — who had called on owners to fire any player who refused to stand for the national anthem — was, in his own words, to "make the statement regarding the need for unity and the need for equality," while also showing respect for the flag and the nation for which it stands.

Other NFL teams responded in various fashions to Trump's divisive speeches and tweets, presumably with the blessing of their owners.

That's precisely where these particular decisions belong. If a team player can't abide by an owner's decision, he's free to do otherwise and face the consequences. It's the same with every employee in the nation, except most employees don't receive millions of dollars per year for their work, or have a national stage on which to do it.

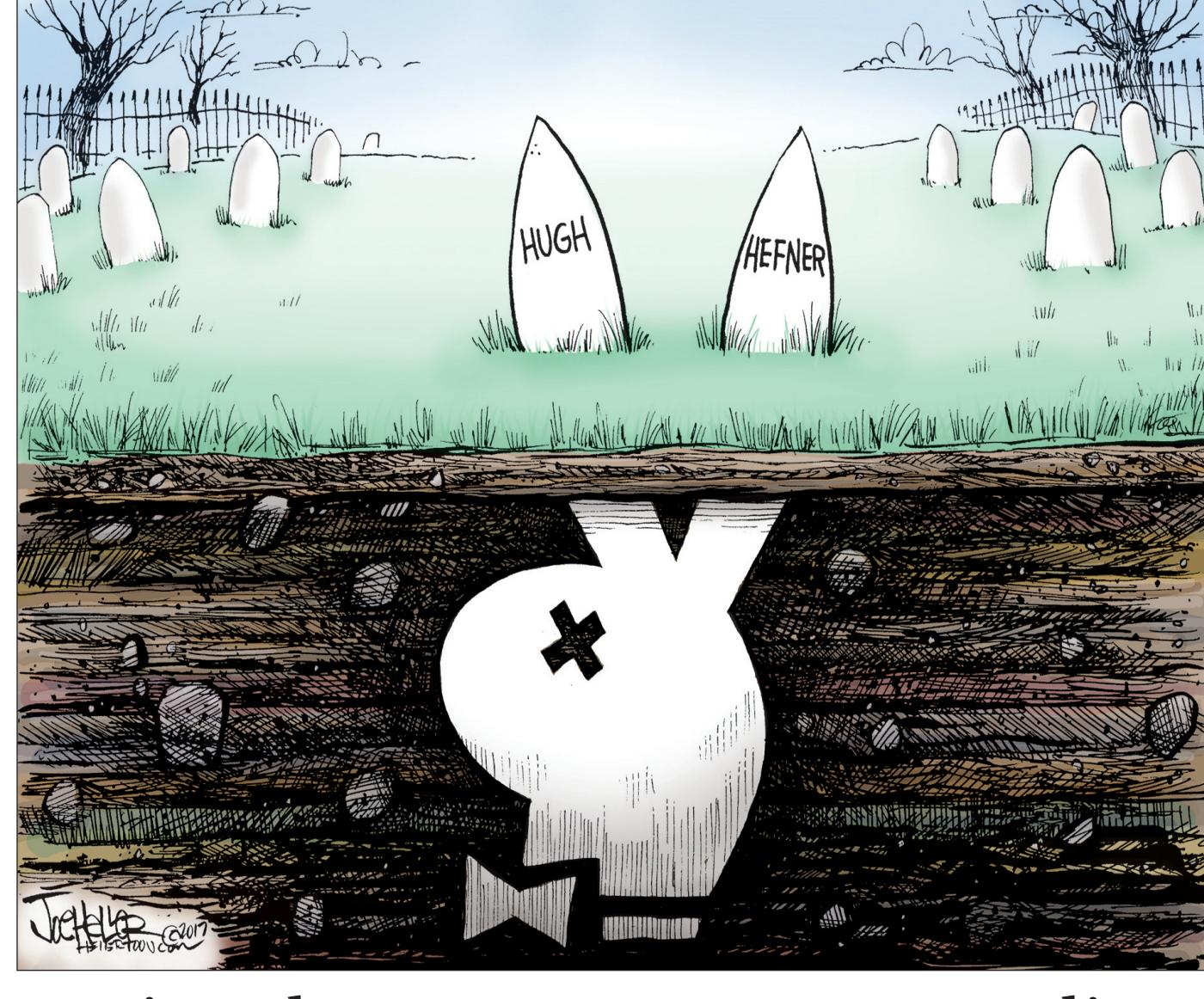
Numerous boos were heard from the University of Phoenix Stadium audience, who were expressing their right to free speech, too, as Jones and the Cowboys knelt.

If fans don't like the team owner's decisions, they're free to stop watching — and according to TV ratings from last weekend, many have done just that.

You can't blame them. Given the huge sacrifices made by so many in the military, it's difficult to watch this elite class of highly paid athletes refuse to stand for the national anthem.

In America, we have the freedom to raise, salute, wrap ourselves in or burn the flag — and to sing or ignore the national anthem. And others are free to respond, as long as they do so peacefully. That's how freedoms work in a democracy.

— Albuquerque Journal



I missed a great party on my dime

Either someone recently used one of my credit cards fraudulently, or my alter ego is still a party animal.

My last statement had a mysterious charge of \$345.56 from a big-box store in Lubbock.

The day of the charge, I had been in Lubbock to contribute to an addition to my doctor's house, and had shopped at the same store.

However, I only spent \$8.08 for dog food — although I don't own a dog. (I have visitation rights to Chance, a 12-year-old black wiener-Lab, who has deposited so much hair in my house I let company sleep on the "black mattress.")

Before contacting the credit-card company, I called the store to see what had been purchased: six cases of Bud Light, seven 150-ounce containers of Tide, three seven-packs of T-shirts, orange juice, chicken wings and three containers of Ol' Roy dog food.

The last item might seem



Wendel Sloan

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suspicious, but Chance turns up his nose at store brands.

The credit-card company rejected my dispute of the charges, but said I could appeal if I filed a police report.

After driving two hours to Lubbock, I stopped in a bail-bond office to ask directions to Lubbock police headquarters, but had trouble convincing them I wasn't a client.

They warned failure to appear or pay my bond would result in an arrest warrant.

Although, as far as I know, the statute of limitations has expired on my felonious activities, I assured them I would be right back after retrieving my checkbook

from my car.

Of course, after reaching my Camry, I burned as much rubber as is possible in a four-cylinder.

At police headquarters, a wary officer took my report. It was probably a mistake for me — a pescatarian — to wear a black "Cows Lives Matter" T-shirt, red "Make Texas Great — Don't Eat Steak" cap, orange thigh-high shorts, green cannabis-motif sneakers and red, white and blue "I'm With Her" socks.

While the officer's eyes darted back and forth between my face and posters of fugitives — he kept sneaking furtive glances at my legs.

Although assured my case was a high priority, I was skeptical since calls were coming in about assaults, robberies and driving while black. I also overheard the officer tell a caller a squirrel stealing cat food off her patio was a top priority.

Assuming it wasn't me who bought the Bud and blacked out after two or three cases,

my only grudge against the fraudsters is they didn't invite me to the party.

I envision Texas Tech coeds — drinking OJ-and-beer mimosas in T-shirts I paid for — frolicking in a 100-gallon stock tank filled with Tide suds creating "a softness you can feel" while giving the Red Raider "Guns-Up" salute to Bud-impaired fraternity boys unable to pull the trigger while delusionally wooing the citrus-scented ladies with drunken-love renditions of "Bootylicious," "Badonkadonk" and "All About That Bass."

With my anatomically-correct "Cows Lives Matter" T-shirt, I have no doubt the Bud studs — oblivious to faces smeared with BBQ sauce from freshly grilled chicken wings — would have crowned me the wet T-shirt contest winner — while I milked them for all they're worth (up to \$345.56).

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Our community has great heart

In recent weeks, we've seen hurricanes, floods, fires and other assorted misfortunes. All catastrophic to be sure. Yet, in the midst of these events, we see people shine.

It takes a village.

The worst of times can serve to bring out the best in people. Neighbors step up to offer food or shelter to people in need.

In watching the evening news recently, there was a report of a family who offered space in their home for people and animals who needed shelter as they escaped the Florida hurricane. No charge to stay there, just come and be safe.

In our own community, we've seen fundraisers for families facing illness, groups gathering household items for



Patti Dobson

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people who've lost everything to fire, and coat drives, food drives, school supply drives. There was a need.

This community has great heart; neighbors stood in the gap to offer assistance.

It takes a village.

Meal Train is one such resource, and is a simple way to lend a hand. With this program, you choose a date to provide a meal for a family. The service provides the dates requested for meals, family information, likes and

dislikes, any special dietary concerns, and other useful suggestions. Sign up is easy; pick your date of choice and list your food items, then deliver.

Currently, our neighbors are gathering non-perishable food items for the Community Services Center. There are drop off points on campus at Eastern New Mexico University, in the community, and at the center. People helping people.

The beauty in being part of a village is that each little bit adds to the whole. We may think our single contribution isn't enough to make a difference. But truly, while our contribution may not change the world, it is an excellent start in changing our corner of the world.

When we join forces, we

become unstoppable. We are never alone in a village. There is always someone to stand with us, to hold us up when we feel weak. To offer a comforting hand, a kind word, or simply a smile.

Small gestures perhaps, but these small gestures may mean everything to someone.

It is in these small yet beautiful gestures that we are able to see a neighbor be the hands and feet of the Creator. During these moments, differences don't matter. Opinions don't matter. All that matters is the kindness shown, the love given.

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Reformation, 500 years ago, impacts us today

Twenty years ago, LIFE magazine published a special issue marking the close of the millennium, sporting two lists: top 100 persons and top 100 events effecting history during the last 1,000 years.

Top slots included Edison, Columbus, moveable type printing press; but the No. 3 person was Martin Luther and the No. 3 event was Luther's posting his 95 Theses to the Church door in Wittenberg, Germany, on Oct. 31, 1517 (exceptional to have both the same individual and related event on both lists.)

"So, what's the big deal about something happen-

ing 500 years ago?" It could be simply said, "If you have a Bible that you can read, that's a result of the Reformation."

But isn't this just a religious thing? Even secular culture recognizes the many benefits from the Reformation including: free speech; literacy / education for all; advancing the sciences / healthy investigating; enhancing music, the arts, and worship in the lives of everyday people; respect given to all honest vocations; honoring marriage / family; even addressing tensions regarding separation of church and state.

All this is beside the inspiration of standing alone for one's convictions



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in the face of great opposition, while encouraging both individuals and institutions to ever be in a state of reformation (self-evaluation).

The Reformation is not about just one person or religion. It impacts all of us today.

Mayor David Lansford and the Clovis City Commission, meeting on Sept. 21, entertained a proposal from the Clovis

Christian Ministerial Alliance to acknowledge the significance of this landmark 500th anniversary, resulting in a proclamation officially recognizing October as "Reformation Month."

CCMA established a committee — Lemuel Perry (chairman), Bethel Assembly pastor, Clovis — to explore ways to engage the whole community in this awareness.

This 500th committee encourages congregations, schools, everyone to observe October in various ways with a list of suggestions including viewing related historic movies broadcast on TV stations and/or DVDs.

CCMA also plans a

community-wide "Reformation Walk" from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Oct. 29 with various outstanding speakers, readings and inspirational music.

This walk includes four stations:

■ First Presbyterian Church, 1101 Pile, 4 p.m.

■ Clovis-Carver Public Library parking lot, 701 Main, 4:30 p.m.

■ Legacy Life Church, 622 Main, 5 p.m.

■ St. James Episcopal Church, 1117 Main, 5:30 p.m.

St. James will host a reception and giveaways.

People may join in the whole walk or along its progression at the listed times. In case of inclement weather, a single location,

Legacy Life, has been selected for the event.

St. John, (Lariat), Faith in Christ (Portales) and Immanuel (Clovis) churches are conducting a special 500th Reformation service at 4 p.m. Oct. 29 at 1026 N. Prince, followed by a cover-dish, a Reformation display in the Parish Hall with giveaways.

Also the public may view a 500th exhibit at the Clovis-Carver Public Library during October.

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NFL rules aren't completely clear about anthem

I had friends who were fine with Sunday's National Football League protests during the national anthem, and friends who were not fine with them. The statement doesn't change when you factored in military service.

But then I had friends who said the NFL was ignoring its own rules, which would have shut the protests down in 2016 when now-unemployed quarterback Colin Kaepernick first started kneeling during the anthem. I was told, "Look it



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up. Pages A62 and A63 of the NFL rule book."

I was skeptical. The NFL fines players who wear the wrong brand of headphones in pregame warmups, but a rule that would have made the whole controversy go

away slipped its mind for an entire year?

So I looked. The NFL Rule Book, available for download at the NFL's website, includes no Page A62, no Page A63 and no mention of the word "anthem."

Right rule, wrong book, I discovered. The NFL Game Operations Manual — which I couldn't find to download — did have that portion, according to Time magazine.

The game operations manual, according to Time, says the following:

"The National Anthem must be played prior to every NFL game, and all players must be on the sideline for the National Anthem."

"During the National Anthem, players on the field and bench area should stand at attention, face the flag, hold helmets in their left hand, and refrain from talking. The home team should ensure that the American flag is in good condition. It should be pointed out to players and coaches that we continue to be judged by the

public in this area of respect for the flag and our country. Failure to be on the field by the start of the National Anthem may result in discipline, such as fines, suspensions, and/or the forfeiture of draft choice(s) for violations of the above, including first offenses."

The wording is important. The NFL says "must" about two things, "should" about three things and "may" punish only one element.

■ The teams that stayed in the locker room violated the rule. "All players must be on the sideline."

Presence at a specific part of the work site at a specific time is a reasonable employer request.

■ Everything else is a "should" or "may." Neither equal "must" or "mandatory" in legal terms.

■ The NFL cannot punish players who are "on the field by the start of the National Anthem."

Kaepernick was kneeling, but he was on the field.

■ It says "violations of the above," but that carries zero weight. A reasonable person would be confused; does "above" mean the entire paragraph, or just that sentence? Because the NFL wrote a confusing rule, it loses the benefit of the doubt in enforcement. That's called contra proferentem; look it up.

When the league wrote this rule, it avoided mandatory anthem activities to avoid a courtroom, even though the Supreme Court's 1943 Barnette ruling on compulsory routines only covered government entities.

Sure, you say, a private business can create its own rules. But are you comfort-

able with the Pandora's box? We pray to Allah in this office, but you can be a Christian on your own time. You register as a Libertarian to stay on our payroll, but you can follow another party on your own time. You salute the Canadian flag here, but you can pull out the American flag on your own time. If none of that's OK, then neither is punishing somebody who views the anthem differently.

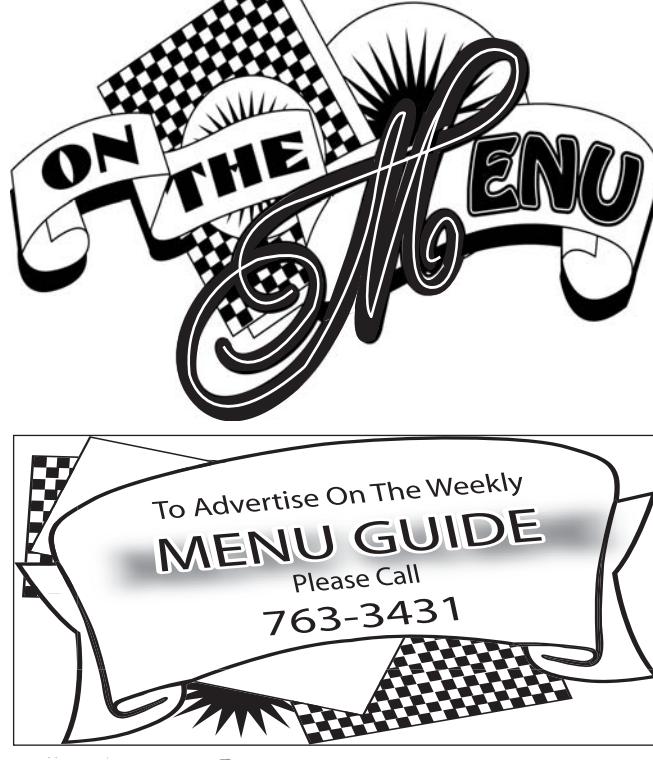
I think it's important to share part of West Virginia Board of Education v. Barnette, as written by Justice Robert H. Jackson:

"To believe that patriotism will not flourish if patriotic ceremonies are voluntary and spontaneous instead of a compulsory routine is to make an unflattering estimate of the appeal of our institutions to free minds. We can have intellectual individualism and the rich cultural diversities that we owe to exceptional minds only at the price of occasional eccentricity and abnormal attitudes ... Freedom to differ is not limited to things that do not matter much. That would be a mere shadow of freedom."

Protests aren't supposed to be comfortable, and they're not subject to rescheduling because you "wish he did it in a different way." If a protest satisfied everybody, it wouldn't be much of a protest.

Let us disagree when we must. Let us legislate away disagreement never.

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Trump told Iowa he'd save ethanol; his EPA chief has other ideas

**By Jennifer A. Dlouhy
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BLOOMBERG NEWS

WASHINGTON — As he sought votes during last year's Iowa caucuses, candidate Donald Trump courted farmers with praise for ethanol and promises that he would boost the home-grown fuel.

Now those farmers and other biofuel supporters say the people President Trump has put in charge of the issue in Washington are instead boosting their fossil-fuel rivals.

"This seems like a bait-and-switch," Iowa's senior Republican senator, Chuck Grassley, said on the Senate floor this week. "Big Oil and oil refineries are prevailing, despite assurances to the contrary."

The issue is politically precarious for Trump, as it pits the oil industry against Midwest voters who helped elect him. Trump repeatedly vowed to "protect" ethanol. But he loaded his Cabinet with allies of the oil industry, which views the Renewable Fuel Standard that mandates biofuel use as costly and burdensome.

Ethanol producers are most vexed by Scott Pruitt, the head of the Environmental Protection Agency. His agency has pursued a series of changes that would help the oil industry at the expense of farmers.

"The White House needs to rein in the EPA before the agency tramples the president's rural base — and his promises to voters," said

Brooke Coleman, executive director of the Advanced Biofuels Business Council. "I would be surprised if those in the White House realize the depth of his attacks on the Renewable Fuel Standard."

Pruitt hails from oil-rich Oklahoma, and backing refiners and oil producers could aid any future political campaign in his home state, including a possible bid for the Senate seat that would open up if Republican Jim Inhofe retires in 2020. Pruitt has not announced plans to seek that seat or any other political office. While serving as Oklahoma's attorney general, Pruitt dubbed the quotas "unworkable" and a "flawed program."

Now at the EPA, Pruitt has gone "rogue," said Michael McAdams, president of the Advanced Biofuels Association.

"His job is to implement the vision of the president who says he supports biofuels," he said. Pruitt's actions don't "support biofuels in any shape or form."

Representatives of Pruitt declined to respond to questions about his ties to the oil industry. "EPA is currently seeking input from all stakeholders involved. Nothing has been finalized at this time," the agency said in a statement.

Despite the president's high-profile pledges of support, the intricate details of biofuel policy are being decided by administration officials with no allegiance to the sector, said Monte Shaw, executive director of the Iowa Renewable Fuels Association.



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U.S. talks directly with North Korea, Tillerson says

By Nick Wadhams
BLOOMBERG NEWS

WASHINGTON — The U.S. government is communicating with North Korea to see whether it's willing to negotiate its nuclear program, Secretary of State Rex Tillerson said, the most explicit public acknowledgment yet of direct contact between the countries over the issue.

"We can talk to them, we do talk to them directly, through our own channels," Tillerson said Saturday in Beijing. "We have lines of communication to Pyongyang — were not in a

dark situation, a blackout."

The most important thing to do now is to ease the rhetoric and tension on the peninsula because the situation "is a bit overheated right now," he said.

Previously the countries have generally communicated through other governments or former officials.

North Korea conducted its sixth and most powerful nuclear test Sept. 3, and has launched more than a dozen missiles this year as Kim Jong Un's regime seeks the capability to hit the continental U.S. with a nuclear weapon. The United Nations

has imposed stringent sanctions on North Korea for its weapons tests, and President Donald Trump has said all options — including military — are on the table to stop Kim.

A war of words has escalated between the two leaders in recent weeks, with Trump labeling Kim "Rocket Man" and telling the United Nations that the U.S. would "totally destroy" North Korea if it attacks. Kim responded by calling Trump a "dotard" and warning of the "highest level of hard-line countermeasure in history."

Price's exit further complicates GOP push for health care

**By Jill Colvin
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THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

BRONCHBURG, N.J. — The ouster of Tom Price as President Donald Trump's health secretary is yet another self-inflicted blow for Republicans wishing to put their own stamp on health care — and the latest distraction for a White House struggling to advance its agenda after months of turmoil.

Price resigned Friday amid investigations into his use of costly charter flights for official travel at taxpayer expense. His exit makes it even more unlikely that Republicans will be able to deliver on their promise to repeal and replace former President Barack Obama's law, even though

Price — who Trump concluded had become a distraction — had been on the rocks with the president since before the travel flap. A former Republican congressman from Georgia, he proved less helpful than expected on the health

care fight. Price played a supporting role while Vice President Mike Pence took the lead, especially with the Senate.

The health secretary's departure — the latest in a list that now includes Trump's chief of staff, national security adviser, press secretary and two communications directors — is also unlikely to end what has been a steady drip of revelations about potentially inappropriate travel on the part of Cabinet members.

Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin has come under fire for requesting a government aircraft to use on his honeymoon, while Interior Secretary Ryan Zinke said he'd taken three charter flights while in office, including a \$12,375 late-night trip from Las Vegas to his home state of Montana in June. The Environmental Protection Agency's inspector general has opened an inquiry into Administrator Scott Pruitt's frequent taxpayer-funded travel on commercial planes.

TODAY IN HISTORY

In 1890, Congress passed the McKinley Tariff Act, which raised tariffs to a record level.

In 1908, Henry Ford introduced his Model T automobile to the market.

In 1932, Babe Ruth of the New York Yankees made his supposed called shot, hitting a home run against Chicago's Charlie Root in the fifth inning of Game 3 of the World Series, won by the New York Yankees 7-5 at Wrigley Field.

In 1939, Winston Churchill described Russia as "a riddle wrapped in a mystery inside an enigma" during a radio address on the invasion of Poland by Nazi Germany and the Soviet Union.

In 1940, the first section of the Pennsylvania Turnpike opened to the public, stretching 160 miles from Carlisle to Irwin.

In 1961, Roger Maris of the New York Yankees hit his 61st home run during a 162-game season, compared to Babe Ruth's 60 home runs during a 154-game season. (Tracy Stallard of the Boston Red Sox gave up the round-tripper; the Yankees won 1-0.)

In 1962, Johnny Carson debuted as host of NBC's "Tonight Show," beginning a nearly 30-year run.

In 1964, the Free Speech Movement began at the University of California, Berkeley. Japan's first high-speed "bullet train," the Tokaido Shinkansen, went into operation between Tokyo and Osaka.

In 1971, Walt Disney World opened near Orlando, Florida.

In 1982, Sony began selling the first commercial compact disc player, the CDP-101, in Japan.

In 1987, eight people were killed when an earthquake measuring magnitude 5.9 struck the Los Angeles area.

Today's Birthdays: Former President Jimmy Carter is 93.

Actress-singer Julie Andrews is 82. Actress Stella Stevens is 79.

Actor Randy Quaid is 67. Actor Esai Morales is 55. Actor Christopher Titus is 53. Actress-model Cindy Margolis is 52. Rock singer-musician Kevin Griffin (Better Than Ezra) is 49. Actor Zach Galifianakis (ga-lih-fih-NA'-kihs) is 48. Singer Keith Duffy is 43.

Actress Kate Aselton is 39. Actress Sarah Drew is 37.

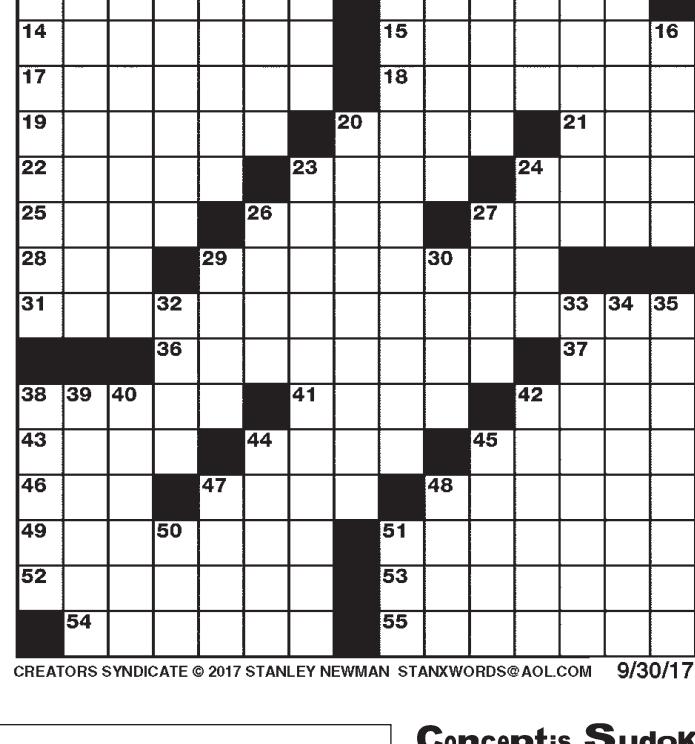
Actor-comedian Beck Bennett is 33. Actress Jurnee Smollett-Bell is 31. Actress Brie Larson is 28.

Thought for Today: "Anything one man can imagine, other men can make real." — Jules Verne, French author (1828-1905).

Newsday Crossword

ACROSS
1 Make short work of
8 Asked for
14 Eligible to win
15 Disapproved of
17 Not as trifling
18 Close by
19 They're spotted in taquerias
20 Top suits
21 Puffin cousin
22 "... in language quaint and — Longfellow
23 Word from the French for "key"
24 Flyspeck
25 Parade balloon handler's handful
26 Looking smart
27 Patriarchs
28 Emma, Olivia, ___, Sophia, Isabella (top-5 list for 2016)
29 NFL team named for a Triple Crown event
31 Interviewer's intro
36 Sousaphone, e.g.
37 Its website has a Delivering Care section
38 16th-century sun worshipers
41 Verb avoided by vegans?
42 Decantation limit
43 Skewer of a sort
44 Unfinished, as some furniture
45 Was left no choice
46 Small demon
47 Slick device
48 Former owner of Greenland
49 Mideast sectarian supported by Dr. King

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1 Impermanent
2 Most special person to me
3 Make no moves
4 Bowling center bench
5 Owner of Canis Major
6 Unwelcome add-ons
7 US stamp series subject (1945-1946)
8 Little Go Beep antagonist
9 Unlikely to take an interest
10 Sports news of Oct. 2016
51 Emulate Rodgers or Hammerstein
52 Hard case
53 Left no choice
54 Slow-moving air
55 Save
11 Madre de tu primo
12 Elongated puff
13 Make thinner
14 Small fry
20 Banner invitation
23 Gaming app with a King Safety setting
24 Metaphor for forgetfulness
26 Name atop the covers of Favorite Haunts and Monster Rally
27 Antonym of "bore"
29 Chrysanthemum and jasmine
30 Customary culture
32 Many Yale SOM grads
33 Endow genetically
34 Follows closely
35 Traditional reindeer herders
38 Resort east-southeast of Valencia
39 Last of the fleet admirals
40 Best Actor Oscar role of 2005
42 Go like lightning
44 Thick and spreading
45 How Uncle Henry greets Miss Gulch in The Wizard of Oz
47 Abounding
48 Name derived from "honor"
50 Daily ritual for Einstein and Edison
51 Pilfer



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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: LOVE YOURSELF. IT IS IMPORTANT TO STAY POSITIVE BECAUSE BEAUTY COMES FROM THE INSIDE OUT. — JENN PROSKE

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For young dual citizens, an uncharted Mexico

By Britny Mejia
LOS ANGELES TIMES

LOS ANGELES — The girl clutched the goodbye card her friend Emily handed her that morning.

"All thou we'll be a few miles apart you allways be my best firend."

Luz Madrigal, 6, sat in the back seat of the car with her little brother Alejandro, heading south to the U.S.-Mexico border and a new home more than a thousand miles away.

Faced with diminishing job prospects and a president who promised to make life harder for them, Luz's mother and father — immigrants in the country illegally — decided to go back to Mexico.

They joined more than 100 people voluntarily returning since January to Mexico with the help of consulates in Los Angeles, Houston and Chicago.

An hour into the drive, Luz watched the urban blur pass by the car window under a gray sky. She pointed out tall buildings a little ways off in the distance.

"Is that Guatara?" she asked.

Her mother did not correct her pronunciation of Guadalajara.

"No," she said. "We still have a long way to go."

Five months before, Luz's parents walked into the Mexican Consulate on the edge of MacArthur Park to make her and her 3-year-old brother — who are American — Mexican citizens as well. Trump's victory felt like a bad omen. They wanted to be ready to leave.

Thousands of others across the country also went to Latin American consulates seeking dual citizenship for their U.S.-born children.

"The increase — the boom — started immediately after the inauguration



Los Angeles Times: Brian van der Brug

Maria Barrancas hugs neighbor Aug. 10 as she says goodbye on her family's last day in the United States after packing most of her belongings from her family's apartment in Gardena, California. The family will be moving to Mexico.

of President Trump," said Carlos Garcia de Alba, Mexico's consul general in L.A. "We can suppose that there are strong reasons to do this. One of those is just to be prepared in case either of you could be deported. It's better to return to Mexico with children being nationals."

In the end, Luz and Alejandro's parents, Maria Barrancas and Ricardo Madrigal, decided to get out before it even got to that point.

"They're sending a message that, 'You're not welcome here, we don't want you here ... We're going to find you,'" Maria said. "You don't know if it's going to be tomorrow, the next month, the next year. You don't know when they're going to come knock on your door."

They told Luz about an idyllic place they planned

to move to in Jalisco, about the goats, cows, sheep and beaches in Mexico.

She would meet aunts, uncles and cousins for the first time and ride her grandfather's horses.

The children would learn that Mexico was a vast country, and there were tranquil places, and there were places racked by terrible carnage from the drug trade. For this, Maria and Ricardo were not returning to their home state of Sinaloa, the violent heart of that trade and the land of Joaquin "El Chapo" Guzman.

Maria and Ricardo settled on the city of Tlaquepaque in Jalisco. Ricardo's sister lives there and reported that it was safe to walk around, even at night, and that there were private schools that offer bilingual education.

"I worry for them, for

their education more than anything," Ricardo said. "I'm going with the goal that my daughter doesn't lose her language. The idea is that they'll come back."

Eight days before they left, in their two-bedroom apartment in Gardena, Luz copied her multiplication tables into a notebook she would use for homework in Mexico.

For her age, Luz is already a worrier — about her first day of school, about what they will be able to afford and what lies ahead for her family in Mexico.

Sitting among packed boxes in the living room, she practiced with a Spanish children's book her mother would read to her when she was a year old.

"Donde estara el osito Peluchin," Luz read aloud, haltingly pronouncing each unfamiliar word. "Where,

oh where is Huggle Bugle Bear."

"Lo llamo y lo llamo, pero no," she trailed off, staring down at the word "quiere." Want.

"Sound it out," Maria told her. When she was 3, Luz could switch from English to Spanish without hesitation.

"How am I supposed to sound that out?" she

responded, casting the book aside for one in English. Luz, who is on a second-grade reading level, finished it within a minute.

There are nearly half a million children who are U.S. citizens enrolled in Mexican schools, the Mexican government said last year. Researchers have found some students struggling to integrate because they cannot read or write in Spanish.

Mexico has not had the long history of immigration like the U.S. and so has not had to grapple with how to accommodate non-Spanish-speaking students in their schools.

"They haven't thought about creating classes of Spanish as a second language," said Patricia Gandara, a UCLA professor who heads up education for the University of California-Mexico Initiative.

"Without programs to help integrate these kids into the schools and without even the acknowledgement on the part of many teachers that these kids have special needs, they're not likely to fare really well in the Mexican school system," Gandara said. "We think it's a real crisis."

If large numbers of English-speaking U.S.-born children began heading south, they could swamp the Mexican school system.

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Maria Barrancas, right, reviews paperwork with daughter Cynthia Cano. Cynthia will be staying behind as her mother and two siblings move to Mexico.

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Rare day to ride high

By Charles Fleming
LOS ANGELES TIMES

BISHOP, Calif. — In the Eastern Sierra near Bishop is a mountain route unofficially known as the highest motorable road in California.

The dirt section at the top is maintained by the University of California scientific research facility at Barcroft Station and access is open just two days a year. (Dates for 2017 have passed, and those for 2018 haven't been announced. For information, call (760) 873-4344 or go to lat.ms/opengatedays.)

Hikers can do the last piece of road on foot any time between June and October by driving within two miles of the facility. But riding up is a special treat.

To me, that was catnip. I contacted Bike-urious blogger Abhi Eswarappa, a friend who shares my taste for the offbeat, and we made a plan: Let's make a motorcycle adventure out of riding up to 12,000 feet.

We selected Independence, Calif., for our base camp for several reasons. First, it would put us within striking distance of White Mountain Road and let us attack the mountain early, before the day got too hot.

Second, it would give us the opportunity to visit with Cris Chater, a.k.a. Strider, the

charming innkeeper at the Mt. Williamson Motel and Base Camp, one of the most pleasant hosteries along the entire Eastern Sierra corridor.

Third, we could knock two items off our shared bucket list: I would be able to visit the memorial to the Japanese internment camp at Manzanar, and Abhi would get to fulfill his dream of riding a motorcycle into an abandoned mine.

Manzanar came first. Despite what I knew of the history of the wartime internment of Japanese Americans, I left the national historic site impressed by the displays and depressed by this shameful act of racial prejudice.

A visit to the lonely nearby Manzanar cemetery, in 100-degree heat, did nothing to lift my mood.

We continued on to Abhi's bucket list item. We drove up a rugged, boulder-strewn dirt road, glad we were in a sturdy four-wheel-drive truck, until we reached the Reward gold mine, active from about 1900 to 1950 but now abandoned.

Abhi unloaded his motorcycle, strapped on his camera and rode into the 15-foot-square mine opening. I stood 10 feet deep inside the dark mine, glad of the cool silence.

Ten minutes later, Abhi emerged, grinning and eager to show me photos of the mine's huge interior galleries.



Los Angeles Times: Charles Fleming

Riding companion Abhi Eswarappa waves as he rides by, with White Mountain far behind him.

The next morning we rose early, ate at the Mt. Williamson Motel's complimentary bacon-and-eggs breakfast, and hit the road. We drove 27 miles to the turnoff for California Highway 168, unloaded the motorcycles from the truck, and started our ride.

White Mountain Road intersects the 168 and heads into the Ancient Bristlecone Pine Forest, part of the huge Inyo

National Forest. Soon we had left the fields and farms, climbing from 4,000 to 6,000 feet along a road lined with scrubby, low-growing pines.

We stopped periodically to take pictures of the majestic Sierra, disagreeing over which peaks were Whitney and Williamson and enjoying the cool mountain air.

Though we were eager to complete our "highest motorable road" ride, we took a quick look at the Bristlecone Forest Visitor Center, then pressed on, leaving the paved section of White Mountain Road and hitting the dirt.

From there, the climb was sublime along a road designated a National Forest Scenic Byway. The well-maintained unpaved road was the ideal surface for the small dual-purpose motorcycles we were riding.

We skipped over the washboard and loose gravel, passing the slow-moving SUVs and pickup trucks, quickly covering the 14 miles of rugged road from the visitor center to a gate where, ordinarily, all traffic is halted.

But today was special, one

of the two days a year when the operators of White Mountain Research Center at Barcroft Station open the last two miles of road to the research center to vehicular traffic.

Past signs warning "High Clearance Required, 4WD Recommended" we rode, stopping only when the road ended in the center's parking lot at 12,470 feet.

Other vehicles had preceded us, most carrying ardent climbers ready to walk five more miles to summit White Mountain, one of the Sierra's tallest peaks at 14,252 feet.

We declined a suggestion to join them, feeling the effects of the thin air and not dressed for the occasion.

The research center is not open to the public, but a pair of friendly workers showed us around and explained some of the science that takes place at the high-altitude facility. They also recommended some alternate routes back.

We took them up on their suggestions, first exploring the unpaved road through Wyman Canyon, then stopping for a proper visit at the Bristlecone

Forest Visitor Center.

We were clumsy in our motorcycle gear — and huffing from the altitude — but managed a one-mile walk through the gnarled and twisted pines, said to be the oldest living creatures on Earth.

For the ride down, we decided to skip the pavement and test our mettle on rugged Silver Canyon Road. Out of the pines, descending steep rocky sections through sage, scattered oak trees and hairpin turns, we slowly made our way off the hill, stopping regularly to admire the staggering Sierra peaks, still snow-capped in late July.

The road eventually began to flatten, then culminated in a series of six water crossings before depositing us near Bishop — and into 105-degree heat.

After the challenging and increasingly overheated ride, it felt great to shed our protective motorcycle gear and slide into an air-conditioned truck. We were still talking about the ride when we got back to L.A. five hours later.

Fast facts

If you go

■ The White Mountain Research Center road is open just two days a year. For information, call (760) 873-4344 or check www.wmrc.edu. White Mountain Road, reached on U.S. 395 and California 168, is said to be the highest motorable road in California.

Where to stay

■ Mt. Williamson Motel and Base Camp, 515 S. Edwards St., Independence, Calif.; (760) 878-2121, mtwilliamsonmotel.com. Mountaineering veteran Cris Chater's camp is a waystation for backpackers. It has comfortable rooms, pristine bathrooms, air conditioning and a hearty free breakfast. We each paid \$140 for nonsmoking, queen-bed rooms.

Where to eat

■ We had dinner at Amigo's Mexican Restaurant (285 N. Main St., Bishop; (760) 872-2189, 11:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily); lunch at Country Kitchen (181 S. Main St., Big Pine; (760) 938-2402, lat.ms/countrykitchen. 7 a.m.-9 p.m. daily).

When to go

■ The paved road to the Ancient Bristlecone Pine Forest is open year-round, except when there's too much snow. The unpaved section to White Mountain is also open but is not recommended for two-wheel-drive vehicles or those without high ground clearance. Silver Canyon Road is for four-wheelers and experienced off-road motorcycle riders only.



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An AC-130 static display is toured by community members at Saturday's open house at Cannon Air Force Base.

INSIDE LOOK

AT CANNON AIR FORCE BASE



Above: Aric Serrano, 11, of Portales aims an anti-tank rocket launcher.

Left: MSgt Jeremy Alexander explains to Joseph Bauer, 4, and his mother Nicole Bauer of Clovis how the T-60 robot operates.

Photos by Tony Bullocks



James Steward, 7, of Clovis is seated in a parachute mock-up.



Above:
SSgt Shane
Truman is
about to be
taken down
by military
working dog
Riki.

Left:
Melissa
Pierce of
Clovis, left,
applies
camo face
paint to her
niece Erica
Beevers,
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Clovis.

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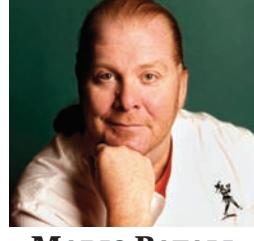
The heart of it all

Master the basics of preparing artichokes with this easy recipe

Near the end of a classic Italian trattoria menu is where you'll often find the list of contorni, or vegetable sides, that augment a main course. After spending time in Emilia Romagna and tasting the dishes that range from simply dressed salads to more complex recipes like farrotto, I learned to never underestimate the deliciousness of a contorno-centric meal. Whether you take part in Meatless Monday or want to wow your family and friends with a seasonal side dish, artichokes are a fantastic choice for this fall.

Layers of deep green leaves enclosing an inedible choke make this vegetable seem exotic, mysterious and sometimes intimidating at first glance to even a seasoned home cook. Similar to deboning a chicken, once you've practiced and mastered the basics of preparing artichokes, you will feel like a boss in the kitchen and be well on your way to discovering the versatility of this vegetable.

Though fire-roasted artichokes have an undeniable cool factor when served at a dinner party or restaur-

**MARIO BATALI**

rant, one of my favorite cooking methods is "doing as the Romans do" and braising the chokes in white wine with citrus and fresh mint. This technique creates the most succulent artichokes you have ever tasted; and since almost

all of the flavor develops during the braise -- what I like to call "unmonitored" cooking time -- you can serve it alongside a more complicated dish such as pumpkin sformato or custard.

Like asparagus, artichokes are difficult to pair with wine because of the presence of certain compounds that turn the wine bitter in the mouth. That's why instead of pairing, I braise the chokes in the wine, which makes them easier to eat and gives you the perfect reason to pour yourself a glass to enjoy while you cook.

Mario Batali is the chef behind 25 restaurants, including Eataly, Del Posto and his flagship Greenwich Village enoteca, Babbo.

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KATE PREVITE

Braise the artichokes in white wine with citrus and fresh mint.

Roman-Style Artichokes

Serves 6

6 large artichokes with long stems, trimmed, halved, choke removed, and held in lemon water
3 cloves garlic, thinly sliced
1 lemon, thinly sliced and seeds removed
1 bunch fresh mint, leaves only, roughly chopped, 1 tablespoon reserved
1 teaspoon hot red pepper flakes

1/2 cup extra-virgin olive oil, plus extra for drizzling
1/2 cup dry white wine
1/2 cup water
1/4 cup thinly sliced red onions
Juice of half a lemon
2 tablespoons orange zest
Coarse sea salt

Place the artichokes end side up in the smallest pot that holds them. Scatter the garlic and lemon slices around them, pushing them down around the artichokes, then do the same with the mint. Sprinkle the red pepper flakes over the top. Add the olive oil, wine and water.

Cover the pan tightly and bring to a boil over medium-high heat, then lower the heat to a simmer and cook until the artichokes are just tender, about 30 minutes. Remove from the heat and allow to stand, covered, for 10 minutes.

Cover the onions and the lemon juice in a bowl and let stand 5 minutes. Strain out the lemon juice, add the zest and the reserved mint, and sprinkle over the artichokes.

Serve warm or at room temperature, with a sprinkling of coarse sea salt and a drizzle of olive oil.

Brown butter makes pasta night feel fancy

BY KELLI FOSTER | the kitchn

There is something eternally satisfying and soothing about buttered pasta. Toss warm strands of spaghetti with a pat of rich butter and a sprinkle of grated Parm, and you've got an ultra-comforting meal that comes together in minutes. Use that as inspiration, then up the ante with nutty brown butter, golden toasted panko, and a double dose of cheese, and you've got a comforting dish that's fancy enough for when friends pop over.

Adding brown butter to any recipe, from vegetables to vinaigrette to cookies, lets your guests know they're in for a real treat. Here it's cooked down over low heat on the stovetop until the milk solids caramelize into a nutty sweetness to turn a basic pot of weeknight spaghetti into a meal that tastes totally luxurious. And if that isn't enough to win you over, it comes together with a short list of pantry staples in about 20 minutes.

Kelli Foster is assistant food editor for TheKitchn.com, a nationally known blog for people who love food and home cooking. Submit any comments or questions to editorial@thekitchn.com.

Brown Butter Parmesan Pasta

Serves 4 to 6

1 pound dry spaghetti
10 tablespoons unsalted butter, divided
1 cup panko breadcrumbs
3 cloves garlic, minced
1/4 to 1/2 teaspoon red pepper flakes
1 cup grated Parmesan cheese
2 tablespoons freshly squeezed lemon juice (from 1 lemon)
2 tablespoons coarsely chopped fresh parsley leaves

Bring a large pot of salted water to a boil. Add the pasta to the boiling water, and cook according to the package instructions until just barely al dente. Drain the pasta; set aside.

Meanwhile, melt 2 tablespoons of butter in a large, high-sided skillet over medium heat until foaming. Add the panko and cook, stirring occasionally, until lightly browned, 3 to 4 minutes. Transfer to a bowl.

Wipe out the skillet with a paper towel. Melt the remaining 8 tablespoons of butter in the same skillet over low heat, stirring with a wooden spoon so that it melts evenly. Once the butter begins to foam and form brown bits, add the garlic and red pepper flakes; continue cooking, stirring constantly, until the butter is browned with a nutty aroma. Remove the skillet from the heat.

Add the pasta and Parmesan to the skillet and use tongs to toss together until the pasta is evenly coated with the brown butter and cheese. Add the reserved panko, lemon juice and parsley, and toss to combine.

Recipe notes: Leftovers can be stored in an airtight container in the refrigerator for up to three days.



JOE LINGEMAN

This delicious pasta dish comes together with a short list of pantry staples in about 20 minutes.

Oceanographer's ashes going to sea aboard rescued sea turtle

By Will Weissert
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

PORT ARANSAS — A rescued green sea turtle will be released this weekend back into the Gulf of Mexico, carrying the ashes of a self-taught Texas oceanographer who founded the rehabilitation center that nursed it back to health.

Thousands are expected to attend a ceremony Saturday that effectively allows Tony Amos, who devoted his life to helping the endangered reptiles, to do so once more in death. His final voyage comes on a stretch of beach named in his honor.

Amos, 80, died of complications from prostate

cancer on Sept. 4, mere days after Harvey roared ashore as a fearsome Category 4 hurricane. It caused extensive damage to the Animal Rehabilitation Keep for ailing sea turtles and aquatic birds that Amos opened nearly four decades ago.

But the turtles there weathered the storm well — as their counterparts in the wild also appear to have done, scientists say.

An early hatching season meant most turtles headed to sea before the storm arrived, with their eggs already hatched rather than lying on the beach to be subsumed. Also, few turtles became stranded inland as Harvey pulled the tide far

out and, since the punishing winds and rains subsided, only a relatively small number has washed back onshore or been found among storm debris.

"This certainly could have been worse," said Tim Tristan, executive director of the Texas Sealife Center, a nonprofit rescue and rehabilitation facility in Corpus Christi, close to where Harvey first made landfall Aug. 25. Five of the world's seven sea turtle species are found in the Gulf of Mexico and have been documented in parts of Texas: green, hawksbill, Kemp's ridley, leatherback and loggerhead.

At Amos' turtle and aquatic bird center in the Harvey-ravaged beach town

of Port Aransas, the hurricane smashed roof tiles and solar panels and collapsed parts of buildings. Partially submerged, concrete tanks housing around 60 rescue turtles were also damaged, but the animals weren't harmed. Even Barnacle Bill, a 200-plus pound loggerhead who first came to the center in 1997, was fine despite the storm mangling the cover of his pool.

Staff arriving by pickup truck had to steer through downed powerlines and assorted destruction to reach the rehabilitation facility just after Harvey passed. They put turtles in the back before returning a second time with plastic tubs.

More than 400 Sandia workers may go on strike

By Maddy Hayden
ALBUQUERQUE JOURNAL

ALBUQUERQUE — The union that represents 430 Sandia National Laboratories employees has authorized them to go on strike after rejecting Sandia's "last, best and final offer" during routine negotiations, a lab spokeswoman said Saturday.

Sandia spokeswoman Heather Clark said Atomic Projects and Productions Workers, the local chapter of the Metal Trades Council (MTC), rejected the lab's proposal on Friday night.

"A strike authorization does not mean

a strike is imminent, and the MTC has not notified the Labs that its members will go on strike," Clark wrote in an emailed statement. "A strike authorization vote by the union membership is common practice during negotiations."

She would not comment on what caused the rejection.

The final version of the three-year contract offered general wage increases, lump sum payments and a \$2,000 ratification bonus, according to Sandia's website.

Clark said it's possible negotiations, which have been ongoing for about a month, could get back on track.

"We do have a contingency plan in place to ensure we carry out our national security mission," Clark said, should a strike occur.

Employees represented by MTC are largely responsible for the care of Sandia's facilities and infrastructure, Clark said.

MTC has represented Sandia workers since 1950.

Clark said they went on strike in 1999 for 13 days. That strike was over pensions, job classification and pay issues, according to an Aug. 13, 1999 Journal article.

SOUTHWEST ROUNDUP

Wounded bears killed in Colorado

ASPEN, Colo. — Two wounded bears have been euthanized in western Colorado.

One bear with broken back legs was spotted recently roaming near Aspen Village. Colorado Parks and Wildlife officials shot the bear when they caught up with it Wednesday.

The Aspen Times reports another wounded bear that tried to break into a car and charged a person was shot and killed in the upper Fryingpan Valley.

Officials say the bear likely cut itself earlier on a trash container.

Firefighters rescue hiker

PHOENIX — Phoenix and Tempe firefighters hauled a hiker with a broken ankle over the top of Camelback Mountain by using a basket and rope systems to get her to a landing zone where a helicopter then picked her up and flew her to a ground ambulance.

A Phoenix Fire Department spokesman says the rescue Saturday took three hours because of its difficult location and the primary rescue helicopter normally used by technical rescue teams being unavailable due to maintenance.

Fire Capt. Larry Subervi says the cross-mountain res-

cue was difficult but something that crews train to do.

He says the 29-year-old patient was reported in stable condition after being removed from the mountain, which is a popular hiking area on the city's east side.

No other injuries were reported.

Players ousted for anthem protest

CROSBY, Texas — The football coach of a private high school near Houston has thrown two players off the team after one knelt and another raised a fist during the national anthem prior to a game.

Head coach Ronnie Mitchem told the Houston Chronicle that he had an understanding with his players at Victory and Praise Christian Academy in Crosby that they would not protest during the anthem.

Mitchem, a former Marine, says he doesn't oppose acts of protest but says doing so during the anthem is offensive to veterans and others.

After the anthem concluded Friday, he told the two players to remove their uniforms and that they were dismissed from the team.

The mother of one of the players says she supports the players' actions and considered Mitchem's punishment excessive.

— Wire reports

More wells needed in Kirtland fuel plume cleanup

By Maddy Hayden
ALBUQUERQUE JOURNAL

ALBUQUERQUE — Albuquerque neighborhoods atop an underground fuel plume caused by a massive leak on Kirtland Air Force Base can expect to host more monitoring wells in the new year, officials said during a public meeting on the leak Thursday evening.

Swiftly rising water table levels underground have taken 53 of about 150 of the existing wells out of commission, according to the New Mexico Environment Department.

"There is a crucial need to install groundwater monitoring wells and sentinel wells to be able to provide continued confidence in the EDB (ethylene dibromide) extent," said Diane Agnew, a hydrologist with the New Mexico Environment Department.

Lynnes said the work plan for new wells has not been completed, but she estimated that they'll need to put in around 10 more sentinel wells, which sit outside the plume area and are used to determine whether the plume is spreading.

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toxic chemical EDB, which floats atop the groundwater.

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It has now risen five feet in the last six months, she said.

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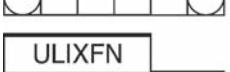
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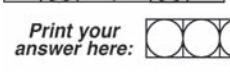
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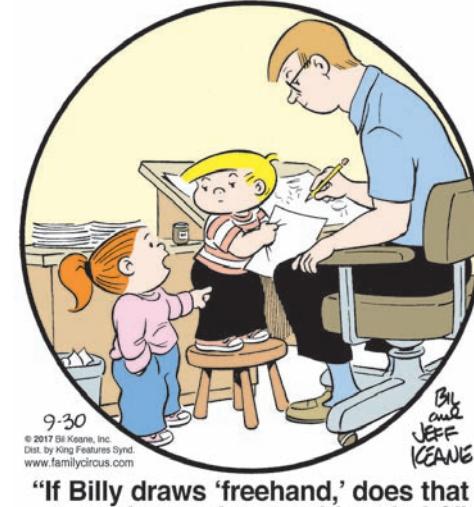
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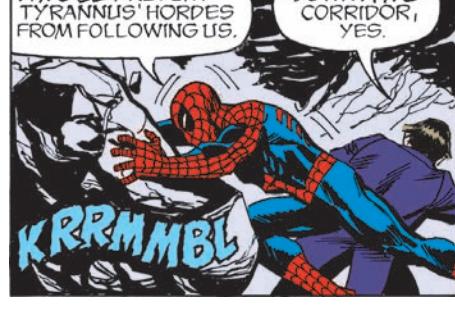
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"If Billy draws 'freehand,' does that mean he won't get paid to do it?"

SPIDERMAN**LUANN****PICKLES****PEANUTS****LOLA****SHOE****In-law's tirades over settlement verge on harassment**

DEAR ANNIE: My father-in-law and mother-in-law died a couple of years ago, months apart from each other. When it came to settling the estate, the will stated in clear and precise terms that everything was to be divided 50-50 between my sister-in-law, "Jackie," and my wife.

A few months later, Jackie contacted my wife saying she had discovered \$110,000 in cash stashed away in their parents' house. My wife was



Dear Annie

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given her share of the cash, \$55,000. The found money was timely because my daughter was getting mar-

ried, and we had bills of our own that needed paying.

A year later, Jackie con-

tacted my wife to say that we

need to return the \$55,000

because that money was

"promised" to her by my

in-laws for building them a

house.

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the money, not only because

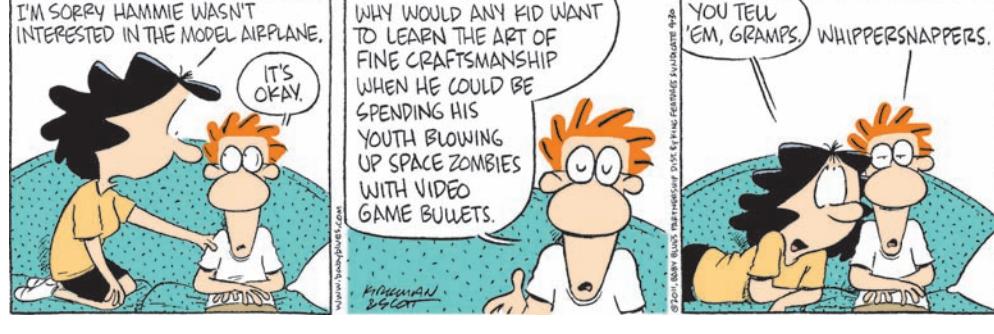
we don't believe Jackie but

because we can't afford to

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ings account. As a result,

Jackie has written letters and

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sent text messages that are very nasty and hurtful.

I thought about reaching out to her husband, "Leon," but he's very unstable, too. Their son, who is in college but can't drive because of previous accidents, called us crying the other day because his father is threatening suicide because he is tired of driving his son everywhere.

We are very concerned about Jackie's mental health. I am also concerned about my wife, who is taking all of

this very hard. What should we do? — **FAMILY FEUDING**

DEAR FEUDING: I'll start with the two people you and your wife can control: you and your wife. Make your own mental health a priority and consider attending some counseling.

Now, I also believe that Jackie would benefit from therapy. But until she believes that herself, there's little you can do. You might be able to get help for her

husband, whether he wants it or not, however. Laws vary by state. Call the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (800-273-8255) for more information about the steps you can take.

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Traveling happy, healthy road

Brenda Reader was born and raised the eldest of eight in Shreveport, Louisiana. Her mother was a single parent whom Reader described as a very strong woman who taught her everything.

At 18 years old, Reader joined the United States Air Force and traveled the world before she and her family moved to Clovis in 1992. She retired from the Air Force in 1998 after serving 24 years.

Since living in Clovis she has studied business and liberal arts at Clovis Community College, worked for the former Bealls Department store at Hilltop Plaza, worked three years at CCC and was employed at Cannon Air Force Base for 15 years until May 2017.

Reader said having a home business had always appealed to her, and so in 2015 she started working with a travel company based in Scottsdale, Arizona. Her company is now developing into a lifestyle company that deals with health and nutrition because "it doesn't do you any good to travel when you're not in good health," Reader said. Retirement hasn't slowed her down.

Reader plans to travel and live happy and healthy while helping others do the same.

WHAT DO YOU LIKE ABOUT YOUR BUSINESS?

I love the people I work with. Everyone has such positive attitudes. One of things that we promote is personal growth, helping ourselves and people around us. My business team is amazing.

WHAT DON'T YOU LIKE ABOUT YOUR HAVING A HOME BUSINESS?

I don't like learning about taxes and what you can and cannot claim. Learning the legality of it

all isn't fun.

WHEN YOU WERE A KID, WHAT DID YOU THINK YOU'D BE DOING AS AN ADULT?

I wanted to be a nurse. Growing up in my day, girls my age wanted to be nurses. But there was a long waiting list for that. When I got into the Air Force I would see people get hurt and I don't like blood so it's good that nursing didn't turn out.

WHAT'S YOUR IDEA OF A PERFECT DAY?

To me, it's waking up to sunshine in the window; my plants are growing, the roses are beautiful and playing with my dogs. I have two Chihuahuas, a mother and daughter. Precious is the baby and Raven is the mom.

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?

I have a lot of them. But, one is, "You are the average of the five people you spend the most time with" by Jim Rohn (Emanuel James). The theory of that is that you become who you hang around. Another one I love is from Pastor T.D. Jakes Sr. who said, "All you have to do to change your life is change your mind." They are my two favorite people to follow.

WHAT DO YOU DO WHEN YOU'RE NOT WORKING?

When I'm not working I follow a list that I made. I do stuff around the house, I walk my dogs, I do my personal and spiritual development. I kind of just try to enjoy

whatever I'm doing. If it's gloomy outside like it's been lately, I like working in my adult coloring books that I've recently started and my crossword puzzles. Things like that. I was warned I'd get bored in retirement but I'm never bored.

WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE TASTE?

Cajun anything.

WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE SMELL?

Jasmine. It's not overpowering or too sweet.

WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOW, PAST AND PRESENT?

I like 'Monk' and a couple of series like 'Game of Thrones' and 'Outlander.' Otherwise, I love to watching black and white movies like 'Love Affair.' My favorite film of all time is 'It's a Wonderful Life' even though they don't show it on TV anymore.

TELL US ABOUT YOUR GREATEST INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENT?

Raising both my kids in the military. There's no book on how to do it. We moved around a lot and they've both turned out to be remarkable people. We had to pack them up so many times, moving from location to location; teaching them that people are just people. Teaching them how to be on their own was the greatest.

— Compiled by The News Correspondent D'Nieka Hartsfield



Above: Reader says these are her reasons for being the best she can be. From left are her husband Charles Reader, grandkids Kiana, 20, Wayne, 12, Zhamal, 18, daughter Anaka and son Charlie.

Right: Reader poses for a photo with her sister Gwen Miller, left, and daughter Anaka Hudson.



BIO

► Name: Brenda Reader
► Age: 62
► Profession: Retired
► Hometown: Clovis

► Family: Husband Harry (Charles) Reader; son Charles D. Reader, 34; daughter Anaka Reader, 41.



Courtesy photo

Reader is snapped with her son Charlie, left, and daughter Anaka.



Much appreciative of folks working in ER

My wife and I seem to be working on the theory we're required to make at least an annual visit to the emergency rooms at Roosevelt and Covenant Hospitals. I do not recommend this as a place to spend your vacation but that's what we've done for the last few years.

We took our most recent hospital vacation at the high water mark of last weekend's flooding. I really thought they might send the ambulance crew out in a boat.

I had been outdoors prior to the incident so I was soaked to the bone when we took off on the journey. When I arrived at RGH my shoes were squishing as I hurried up the driveway. Eight hours later my rain jacket was dry, my pants were only a little wet and

my shoes and socks were still soaked and my feet were cold and starting to smell.

The traffic was much lighter than on previous visits but as always, with only curtains separating patients, stories around us were pretty interesting. We listened as a rodeo cowgirl from a Texas college got her head sewed up. She did well on the stitches but protested loudly about the tetanus needle and the Novocain needle. She cowgirled up and walked out under her own power.

We had a couple involved in an accident with an airplane pilot. No, the pilot wasn't flying but the couple in the emergency room might have been based on the conversation. Can both traffic lights really be green?

We had a gentleman in his 90s

in the other stall with an undetermined diagnosis. The ER staff asked if he'd smoked any marijuana and if he had a medical marijuana card. He told them he didn't have one but he sure might be interested in one.

Finally the entertainment ended and we were there all alone so they decided to send us to Lubbock where the show started all over.

Karl Terry
◆
Local columnist

I stopped to shower and put on dry socks and shoes then followed my wife's ambulance to Lubbock. When I got there about half an hour after she arrived I got back to her bedside just as they were bringing in at least two patients who had been in car wrecks. One was fighting hard and loud as she was rolled down the hall.

As they got ready to begin treatment on her in the room next door, she got even louder and began to threaten folks, calling them names in her apparently inebriated state.

The staff was medically trained and kept politely pointing out her failing in anatomical description. At one point I saw a sailor wander through the hall and I swear he was blushing at the language being used.

At the height of the show a hospital attendant arrived at our bedside wanting to be paid for the visit. She said she would take a credit card so I figured with that good a floorshow I should pay up, maybe tip the nurse.

I've made lots of jokes here but I've got to say my hat is off for the hard job the folks working in an ER do. From putting up with and treating drunk people kindly to enduring visitors with smelly feet, it's a job that is greatly underappreciated. We're also more than a little appreciative of the fact that some of those people are folks we know. Thank you all.

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Freeze frame

Courtesy photo

Southwest Cheese presented more than \$40,000 to area groups recently, including Dora FFA, Special Operations Wounded Warrior Foundation, Clovis Chamber of Commerce's library victims fund and Hillcrest Park Zoo. George Chappell of Southwest Cheese, right, presented checks, including this one to Gail Tarson, president of the Chamber.



Courtesy photo

Rica Burton Lee is given the past President's pin by Kiwanis Lt. Governor Barbara Gomez.



Courtesy photo

Dorothy Glover is congratulated on her re-election as club secretary by Kiwanis Lt. Governor Barbara Gomez.

Honors**Romero**

Melrose native Janine Romero made the Scholastic Honor Roll for the summer term at Oregon State University, according to a release from the school.

Romero was one of 483 students to make the 3.5 GPA or better list, and one of 655 students overall.

To be listed on the honor roll, students must retain at least a 3.5 GPA while carrying 12 or more graded hours of course work.

Add sparkle, shine to footwear

D'Nieka Hartsfield
NiekaStyle

It's boot season and the 'no rules' rule of today's fashion applies to footwear too. One blogger said to "pause your search for the basic black ankle boot." I'll add to that: Pause your search for another pair of regular riding boots to go over your leggings. This fall, opt for something different and something new.

One fun boot to try is sparkly and shiny. You may look like a walking disco ball, but that's OK. Sample a look reminiscent of the Saint Laurent Niki Crystal Embellished Boot, namely, for inspirations' sake

because these boots aren't for the everyday fashion minimalist like myself. They're priced at \$10,000 at Nordstrom. Not practical.

Be inspired by the design but shop the look for less. There's always a cheaper version of the runway bejeweled knee high boot with sequins or whatever type of sparkle suits you. So

find somewhere fancy to go and show up fierce in statement boots.

Another boot that's popular this season is the red ankle boot. Not many of us can say we own a red pair of shoes much less a pair of red boots. The Kinney patent leather ankle boot by Sam Edelman is one popular look to model your search after or try the mod look of a white pair of ankle boots.

Another is 1970s-inspired suede and lace up boots. Also, over-the-knee, OTK, boots are still a thing. But now they're bolder with statement-making floral prints, textures and fun col-

ors. Your statement OTK boot this season is not only colorful and leather but they're thigh high.

Last but not least is the slouchy boot. They came and went time and again but are back for another try this fall. Pair them with a flowing midi-length skirt and a bomber jacket. For a more subtle boot, try the hiker boot style with looks from Dr. Martens like the Leona Temperley style.

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School menus

Clovis Elementary

Monday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. **Lunch** — Chicken spaghetti, steamed broccoli and carrots, apple.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Banana bread. **Lunch** — Popcorn chicken, mashed potatoes w/gravy, seasoned green beans, chilled peaches.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Muffin. **Lunch** — Bean and cheese burrito, Spanish rice, garden salad w/ranch, seasonal fresh fruit.

Thursday: Breakfast — Frudel. **Lunch** — Corn dog, baked beans, zucchini coins w/ranch, seasonal fresh fruit, oatmeal cookie.

Friday: No school

■ Breakfast includes 100 percent fruit juice, fresh fruit, milk, choice of cereal, toast or graham cracker. Salad bar offered daily.

Clovis Middle

Monday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. **Lunch** — Choice of chicken spaghetti, pizza, chicken chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, burrito, spicy chicken sandwich with steamed broccoli and carrots, apple.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Banana bread. **Lunch** — Choice of soft taco w/salsa, pizza, ham chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, corn dog, spicy chicken sandwich, baked fries with mashed potatoes w/gravy, seasoned green beans, chilled peaches.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Muffin. **Lunch** — Choice of bean and cheese burrito w/salsa, pizza, Hawaiian chicken chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, deli sandwich, spicy chicken sandwich, baked fries with Spanish rice, garden salad w/ranch, seasonal fresh fruit.

Thursday: Breakfast — Frudel. **Lunch** — Choice of corn dog, pizza, turkey chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, BBQ porky rib sandwich, spicy chicken sandwich, baked fries with baked beans, zucchini coins w/ranch, seasonal fresh fruit, oatmeal cookie.

Friday: No school

■ Breakfast includes 100 percent fruit juice, fresh fruit, milk, choice of cereal, toast or graham cracker. Salad bar offered daily.

Clovis Secondary

Monday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. **Lunch** — Choice of chicken spaghetti, pizza, chicken chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, burrito, spicy chicken sandwich with steamed broccoli and carrots, apple.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Frudel. **Lunch** — Choice of corn dog, pizza, turkey chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, corn dog, spicy chicken sandwich, baked fries with mashed potatoes w/gravy, seasoned green beans, chilled peaches.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Muffin. **Lunch** — Choice of bean and cheese burrito w/salsa, pizza, Hawaiian chicken chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, deli sandwich, spicy chicken sandwich, baked fries with Spanish rice, garden salad w/ranch, seasonal fresh fruit.

Thursday: Breakfast — Frudel. **Lunch** — Choice of corn dog, pizza, turkey chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, corn dog, spicy chicken sandwich, baked fries with baked beans, zucchini coins w/ranch, seasonal fresh fruit, oatmeal cookie.

Friday: No school

■ Breakfast includes 100 percent fruit juice, fresh fruit, milk, choice of cereal, toast or graham cracker. Salad bar offered daily.

Floyd

Monday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. **Lunch** — Oatmeal. **Lunch** — Spaghetti w/meat sauce, green beans, pineapple tidbits, garlic bread.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Breakfast burrito. **Lunch** — Taco salad, ranch style beans, apricots.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Banana bread. **Lunch** — Choice of soft taco w/salsa, pizza, ham chef salad, cheeseburger/hamburger, corn dog, spicy chicken sandwich, baked fries with mashed potatoes w/gravy, seasoned green beans, chilled peaches.

Thursday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs w/toast. **Lunch** — Hamburger on bun, fries, oranges.

Friday: Breakfast — Mini waffles, raisins. **Lunch** — Pig in a blanket, baked beans, broccoli, peaches.

■ Breakfast includes juice. All meals include milk.

Portales Secondary

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal, cheese stick, raisins.

Lunch — Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes w/gravy, roll, mixed fruit or pizza, fries, salad w/tomatoes and cucumbers, mixed fruit.

Tuesday: Breakfast — French toast, flour tortilla, banana.

Lunch — Ham and cheese sandwich, lettuce/tomato, carrots, chips.

Wednesday: Breakfast — French toast, apples. **Lunch** — Spaghetti, green beans, roll, oranges or chicken quesadilla, refried beans, salad w/tomato, oranges.

Thursday: Breakfast — Omelet, flour tortilla, banana.

Lunch — Ham and cheese sandwich, lettuce/tomato, carrots, chips or cheese nachos, pinto beans, carrots.

Friday: Breakfast — Mini waffles, raisins. **Lunch** — Pig in a blanket, baked beans, broccoli, peaches or chicken sandwich, fries, broccoli, peaches.

■ Breakfast includes juice. All meals include milk.

Texico

Monday: Breakfast — Muffin, strawberries.

Lunch — Beef and bean burrito, lettuce/tomato/salsa, corn, applesauce.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Breakfast sandwich, pears.

Lunch — Grilled cheese sandwich, chicken noodle soup, mixed vegetables, fruit cocktail.

Wednesday: Breakfast — French toast sticks, apples.

Lunch — Country steak w/gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls.

Thursday: Breakfast — Breakfast burrito, oranges.

Lunch — Chicken patty on bun, fries, lettuce/pickle spear, pears.

■ Breakfast includes assorted fruit, juice, cereal. Lunch served with fruit. Milk served with every meal.

Portales Elementary

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal, cheese stick, raisins.

Lunch — Chicken nuggets.

Thursday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes cereal, toast w/jelly. Milk served with every meal.

Elida

Monday: Breakfast — French toast sticks, sausage.

Lunch — Taquita, beans, salad, applesauce.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Biscuits and gravy. **Lunch** — Tacos, corn, salad, apricots.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Pizza. **Lunch** — Chicken, hash brown casserole, salad, rolls, pears.

Thursday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes fruit or juice. Milk, fruit served with every meal.

Dora

Monday: Breakfast — Ham, egg and cheese bar, biscuit.

Lunch — Corn dog, salad, fries.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cinnamon roll. **Lunch** — Chicken Alfredo, steamed broccoli, garlic breadsticks.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. **Lunch** — BBQ porky rib sandwich, spicy chicken sandwich, baked fries with baked beans, zucchini coins w/ranch, seasonal fresh fruit, oatmeal cookie.

Thursday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes fruit or juice. Milk, fruit served with every meal.

Melrose

Monday: Breakfast — Bagel w/sausage, fruit.

Lunch — Hot dog, mac n cheese, green beans, fruit.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Banana bread, fruit.

Lunch — Lasagna, corn, French bread, mandarin oranges.

Wednesday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes yogurt, granola bar, fruit, cereal, variety of juice. Lunch includes mixed salad, fresh vegetables, croutons, crackers, chips w/salsa. Milk served with every meal.

Texico

Monday: Breakfast — Muffin, strawberries.

Lunch — Beef and bean burrito, lettuce/tomato/salsa, corn, applesauce.

Tuesday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes juice. All meals include milk.

Portales Elementary

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal, cheese stick, raisins.

Lunch — Chicken nuggets.

Thursday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes cereal, toast w/jelly. Milk served with every meal.

Elida

Monday: Breakfast — Apple muffin, cinnamon oatmeal, juice.

Lunch — Frito pie, shredded lettuce, celery sticks, fruit.

Tuesday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes cereal, toast w/jelly. Milk served with every meal.

Dora

Monday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes fruit or juice. Milk, fruit served with every meal.

Melrose

Monday: Breakfast — Bagel w/sausage, fruit.

Lunch — Hot dog, mac n cheese, green beans, fruit.

Tuesday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes yogurt, granola bar, fruit, cereal, variety of juice. Lunch includes mixed salad, fresh vegetables, croutons, crackers, chips w/salsa. Milk served with every meal.

Texico

Monday: Breakfast —

■ Breakfast includes juice. All meals include milk.

Portales Elementary

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal, cheese stick, raisins.

Lunch — Chicken nuggets.

Thursday: Breakfast —

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Elida

Monday: Breakfast —

Create stencils from freezer paper

Information on ways to add protein to your breakfast, using freezer paper to create stencils, and the healing and medicinal use of ingredients will be the featured topics on "Creative Living" on Tuesday at 9:30 p.m. and on Thursday at noon. (All times are Mountain.)

Sarah Ryan is a registered dietitian and nutritionist, and she stresses that breakfast is the most important meal of the day. She will demonstrate some quick and fun ways to add protein to your favorite breakfast which will energize you all morning. Ryan lives in Conroe, Texas.

Jen Fox is a business owner and designer, and she's going to show how to use a common and inexpensive household item, freezer paper, to create stencils to use to embellish fabric with fabric paint. Fox is from Albuquerque.

Maria Benardis will talk about some of the ingredients in ancient Greek recipes. She explains that their healing and medicinal use in ancient times is still current even today. She



**Sheryl
Borden**
♦
Creative
Living

lives in New York City.

Information on professional sewing tips and the hunt for profit will be the featured topics on Tuesday at noon and on Saturday at 2 p.m.

Janet Pray is going to share some of her trade secrets, including how to hold the fabric while sewing, how to sew curves and talk about the importance of proper chair and table height. She is from Highland, Michigan.

Author Kivi Bernhard will talk about the hunt for profit in a tough global economy. His book is titled "Leopardology," and he will explain the six pillars of positive predatory thinking as he compares critical business thinking with the hunt for the African leopard.

Bernhard lives in Atlanta, Georgia.

Putting the fast in breakfast

Break for breakfast — Take a few minutes to fuel up. Don't skip breakfast to shave precious morning minutes. If so you or your family are missing out on the many benefits of eating the morning meal. Check out these solutions plus a full menu of speedy, nutritious, and simply delicious breakfasts the whole family will love.

The traditional triplet —

Whole-grain ready-to-eat cereal and fat-free milk plus 100 percent orange juice.

The hot and wholesome bowl —

Microwavable oatmeal with chopped apples and walnuts made with fat-free milk instead of water for an extra punch of protein, calcium, and vitamin D.

The PB & B — Whole-wheat toast topped with peanut butter and sliced bananas plus fat-free milk.

The swirl-and-go —

Crunchy high-fiber cereal, blueberries, and sunflower seeds

swirled into low-fat or fat-free vanilla yogurt.

You don't have to eat breakfast as soon as you get up, but you do need to eat it within the first few hours of your day.

Morning sundae

- 2 cups low-fat granola cereal without raisins
- 3/4 cup (6 ounces) low-fat vanilla yogurt
- 1 cup raspberries or blueberries, fresh or frozen (thawed)

Into a large glass mug or sundae glass, plop 1/2 cup of the cereal, then 3 tablespoons of the yogurt, then 1/4 cup of the berries. Repeat layers and then eat.

"Creative Living" is produced and hosted by Sheryl Borden. The show is carried by more than 118 PBS stations in the United States, Canada, Guam and Puerto Rico and is distributed by Westlink, Albuquerque.

On the shelves

The following are available for checkout at:

Clovis-Carver Public Library

American Educator by Ginger L. Franklin, donated in memory of Terri G. McCully, chronicles the author's true story from ninth-grade dropout, to university instructor and beyond. Out of her turbulent years teaching in colleges and prison, and helping students from over 50 countries, many personal, often heart-wrenching stories as well as the complex realities of overseas conflicts, rarely seen on the news, are exposed.

Monsterland written by James Crowley and donated in memory of Susan Tatum is a suspense-filled, hilarious, and heartwarming adventure, written for middle school children. Running into the woods to escape neighborhood bullies, Charlie finds himself entering Monsterland, a mysterious place where werewolves live amongst troll and goblins. With the help of a hulking monster chaperone, Charlie searches to find what happened to his cousin Billy.

If You Plant a Seed by Kadir Nelson and Today's Moment of Truth by Lee Strobel and Mark Mittelberg have been donated in memory of Wanda Walters and Krissie Carter.

If You Plant a Seed presents a resonant, gently humorous story that demonstrates for young children not only the process of planting and growing but also how even the smallest acts of kindness, compassion, and generosity can bear sweet fruit.

Today's Moment of Truth tenders 180 insightful devotions based on scientific, historical, and biblical facts, sharing daily infusions of inspirational and encouraging spiritual truths while deepening your knowledge of the evidence for Christianity.

AI: Its Nature and Future by Margaret A. Boden reviews the philosophical and technological challenges raised by Artificial Intelligence (AI), considering whether programs could ever be really intelligent, creative or even conscious. Moreover, it reveals how the pursuit of Artificial Intelligence has helped us to appreciate how human and animal minds are possible.

The Ultimatum by Karen Robards bristles with the drama around Bianca St. Ives, the best in the business. Running a multinational firm with her father, she makes a living swindling con men out of money they stole, but her latest gig had a little hiccup. That is if you count two hundred million dollars and top-secret government documents going missing as little.

Threads of Suspicion by Dee Henderson navigates a twisting plot in which nothing is as it seems. Detective Evie Blackwell and her new partner, David, must contend with the pressure to deliver results through the governor's new Missing Persons Task Force. As they investigate two unrelated cold cases, the two find themselves in the midst of growing suspicions about public agendas and questions that lie just beneath the surface of Evie's personal life.

Portales Public Library

A Column of Fire by Ken Follett

In Ken Follett's latest

installment about the fictional Middle Age city of Kingsbridge, the city has been torn apart by the religious conflict between Catholics and Protestants, with Kingsbridge Cathedral right at the center. The year is 1558, and lovers Ned Willard and Margery Fitzgerald are hoping to get married, but unfortunately find themselves in the middle of the conflict, with Ned being a Protestant and Margery being a Catholic. When Ned goes to work for Princess Elizabeth, who then in turn becomes queen, Margery's family sets itself against Ned while the rest of Europe sets itself against Elizabeth and England. The young queen responds to the antagonism by creating England's first secret service in order to notify her of any rebellions and plots of invasions or assassinations. For the next several decades the love between Ned and Margery struggles to survive while the real enemies of the conflict-those who choose tolerance, and those who insist on forcing their beliefs on others-continue to battle.

Miss Kopp's Midnight Confessions

by Amy Stewart

In the third book based on the true story of the Kopp sisters, deputy sheriff Constance Kopp is frustrated by the continued sexism toward women in the legal system during 1916, seeing other young women brought into the Hackensack jail over charges that are either trivial or wrongly convicted. Some of the women that don't belong in a common jail, for instance, are Minnie Davis, a sixteen-year-old runaway with no future and no one to turn to, and Edna Heustis, a strong-minded patriotic woman who left her home to work in a munitions factory. Constance uses her position in law enforcement to do her best to help these defenseless women and others, while her sister Fleurette challenges her personal beliefs and tries to make her see her views on how young women should behave and how they should present themselves at the time.

Golden Hill

by Francis Spufford

In his debut novel, renowned nonfiction author Francis Spufford explores the history of mid-eighteenth century Manhattan through the story of a handsome young stranger who arrives in New York full of mystery and ambition. Set thirty years before the American Revolution in 1746, Richard Smith walks into a counting house on Golden Hill Street with a thousand pounds in his pocket, an amount that raises the suspicions of the New York merchants, and an amount that Mr. Smith himself refuses to explain. No one knows where he or the money came from and what he plans to do with it, and it is this intrigue that sets in the motion the plot of this historical novel. Full of twists and turns and detailed in imagery of the new "small" town of New York as it was in all its grubby and gritty glory, Spufford's Golden Hill is both rich in word and easily readable.

— Summaries by library staff

Senior calendar

Baxter Curren Senior Center

908 Hickory, Clovis

Monday: 8:30 a.m. exercise class, 10 a.m. jewelry pals, noon pinochle, 1 p.m. line dance, **5 p.m. social night**

Tuesday: 8 a.m. quilting, noon pinochle 101, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. exercise equipment, **6 p.m. trivia mania**

Wednesday: 8 a.m.-4 p.m. exercise equipment, 8:30 a.m. exercise class, 10 a.m. sewing, 1 p.m. crafts

Thursday: 8 a.m. blood pressure, **flu shots**, 8 a.m. eggs, gravy and biscuits \$4, **8:45 a.m. board meeting**, 8:45 a.m. pinochle 101, 1 p.m. bingo, **6 p.m. line dance**

Friday: 8 a.m.-4 p.m. exercise equipment, 8:30 a.m. exercise class, 10 a.m. needle gang, noon pinochle, **7 p.m. dance - Outlaws**

Daily activities: 8-ball pool

Community Senior Center

1100 Community Way, Portales

Monday: Tuna and shells, salad w/dressing, crackers, sliced peaches

Tuesday: Baked chicken, sliced tomato, broccoli and cheese, cornbread w/margarine, strawberries and bananas

Wednesday: Pork butt roast, mashed potatoes w/gravy, cauliflower, wheat bread w/margarine, fruit cocktail

Thursday: Beef tacos, lettuce/tomato/cheese, spanish rice, pinto beans, banana

Friday: Chicken sandwich, cheese/tomato, black-eyed peas, cauliflower, angel food cake w/strawberries

CRSMA Senior Diner's Club

901 West 13th Street, Clovis

Monday: Meatballs w/gravy, buttered rice, vegetable medley, dinner roll, plums w/topping

Tuesday: Country ham, scalloped potatoes, california blend vegetables, cornbread, cheesecake

Wednesday: Country fried steak, baked potato, broccoli, dinner roll w/margarine, fresh fruit

Thursday: Potato soup w/bacon and cheese, salad w/dressing, dinner roll w/margarine, pineapple upside down cake

Friday: Sloppy Joe on bun, tater tots, green beans, strawberries and bananas

Friendship Senior Center

901 West 13th St., Clovis

Monday: Daily activities

Tuesday: Daily activities, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. happy crafty crew

Wednesday: Daily activities, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. happy crafty crew, **11 a.m. flu shots**, 1 p.m.-4 p.m. Mexican train

Thursday: Daily activities

Friday: Daily activities, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. blood pressure check, 1 p.m.-3 p.m. bingo

Daily activities: 9 a.m.-11 a.m. coffee klatch, crafts, 8-ball pool, exercise equipment

La Casa Senior Center

1120 Cameo St., Clovis

Monday: Daily activities, 9 a.m. exercise, 1 p.m. bingo

Tuesday: Daily activities, 1 p.m. bingo

Wednesday: Daily activities, 10 a.m. exercise, 1 p.m. bingo

Thursday: Daily activities, 1 p.m. loteria

Friday: Daily activities

Daily activities: Sewing/crafts, 8-ball pool

Other activities: 11 a.m. general meeting second Tuesday each month, 1 p.m.-5 p.m. dance, third Sunday each month, 1 p.m.-3 p.m. jam/potluck, last Friday each month

Los Abuelitos Senior Center

1515 W. Fir St., Portales

Sunday: Portales dance

Monday: Daily activities, 1 p.m. bingo

Tuesday: Daily activities

Wednesday: Daily activities

Friday: Daily activities, 1 p.m. loteria

Daily activities: 10:30 a.m. exercise, sewing/crafts, 8-ball pool

Other activities: 11 a.m. general meeting, second Thursday each month, 1 p.m.-5 p.m. dance, second Sunday each month, 8 a.m.-noon commodities, third Wednesday each month for ages 60-plus, blood pressure on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, applications at 1515 West Fir St. A. Information: 575-356-5056

Portales Senior Center

421 N. Industrial Dr., Portales

Monday: 8 a.m.-9 a.m. exercise, 9 a.m. games

Tuesday: 8 a.m. quilting, 9 a.m. bridge

Wednesday: 8 a.m. exercise, 9 a.m. card games

Thursday: Noon lunch, 2 p.m. Mexican train dominoes

Friday: 8 a.m. exercise, 9 a.m. card games, 1 p.m. dominoes

Daily: 8 a.m.-4 p.m. weekday games, noon pool (cards, Mexican Train dominoes, etc.)

won best table topics for his impromptu speech on the songs of 'They Might be Giants.'

Toastmasters provides a supportive and positive learning experience in which members are empowered to develop communication and leadership skills, resulting in greater self-confidence and personal growth. Meetings are held every Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the theater of the Wheatfields senior living community and every Thursday at 7 p.m. at the KENW Broadcast Center in Portales. Guests are welcome.

Call Donna Labatt (575) 799-3215 for more information.

Club notes

Curry County Extension Club

The Curry County Extension Club Council met July 31 and set some upcoming events:

The Extension Club Membership/Banquet will be Oct. 10 at 6 p.m. at the Clovis Chamber. Tickets are \$5. Each Club needs to turn in one person to recognize with a biography by Oct. 2. and bring a door prize.

The Christmas Showcase will be presented Nov. 17 and 18.

We welcome new members in any of the Clubs: Fairfield Club meets second and fourth Fridays at 10 a.m. at Cheyenne Meadows Community Center; Grady Alpha Club meets first

Hi-Plains Toastmasters

On Sept. 26, Hi-Plains Toastmasters held its weekly meeting from 7 p.m.-8 p.m. in the theater of the Wheatfields Senior Living Community. Kevin Wilson presided as Toastmaster of the evening. Brian Stover won best speaker for his researched presentation on youth soccer which James Idsinga evaluated. Jon Barr

evening.

New

Freeze frame



Courtesy photo

Kiwanis Lt. Gov. Barbara Gomez swearing in Paul Lockman as president of the Portales Kiwanis Club.



Courtesy photo

Sonja Koukel, an extension health specialist from Las Cruces, made a presentation about Over the Counter Drugs at the Leadership Training event held at the Curry County Extension Office Sept. 19.

Community calendar

Clovis

Clubs/organizations

American Legion Unit 25 — 7 p.m. ladies auxiliary meeting third Wednesday each month; 7 a.m.-11 a.m. first Saturday each month, \$6 breakfast, open to the public; 2 p.m. Sundays and 7 p.m. Tuesdays, bingo; 9 p.m.-1 a.m. dance every Friday. 2400 West Seventh Street. Information: 575-763-5392.

American Legion Post 117 — 5:30 p.m. ladies auxiliary meeting first Tuesday each month, 2900 W. Grand Ave. Information: 575-309-5673; 6:30 p.m. bingo at Red Arrow bingo hall, 320 W. 21st Street. Doors open two hours early. Information: 575-763-4030

AMVETS Post 14 — 6 p.m. ladies auxiliary meeting first Tuesdays monthly; 7 p.m. Sons of AMVETS meeting second Tuesdays monthly; 7 p.m. AMVETS meeting third Tuesdays monthly; 5:30 p.m. Riders meeting second Saturdays monthly. All meetings at Post 14, 2010 West Seventh Street. Information: 575-762-9355

Border Sport Shooters (an IDPA Club) — 5:30 p.m. third Saturday each month at the club range. Call for directions. Information: Joe Stanford 806-777-2217.

Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts Roundtable — 7 p.m. second Thursday each month at Saint James Episcopal Church, 1117 N Main Street. Information: Brian Chambers 575-760-9203

Boy Scout Troop 226 — 7 p.m. Mondays at Kingswood Methodist Church. Information: Cheryle Csakan 575-760-6048.

Boy Scout Troop 411 — 6:30 p.m. Mondays at Parkland Baptist Church, 921 Parkland Drive. Information: Calvin Poppen 575-218-4432.

Christian Believers Community Prayer Brunch — 10 a.m. third Saturday each month. Provides Christian counseling for substance abuse, provides a life coach and information for referrals. Christian Believers Center, Fifth and Main streets. Information: Sister Yancy 575-763-1715.

Clovis Astronomy Club — 7 p.m. second Sunday each month at the Java Loft, Third Friday after dark at Ned Houk Park. Annual fee: \$10. Information: 757-846-7509 or Clovis Astronomy Club Facebook page.

Community calendar

Portales

Clubs/organizations

9 to 5 Club meeting — Third Tuesday each month. Information: 575-356-2132

Bethel Club meeting — 2 p.m. second Tuesday each month. Information: 575-356-4519.

Causey Club meeting — Second Monday of each month. Information: 575-276-4220

Elida Club meeting — Second Thursday of each month. Information: 575-607-6157

Friendship Club Meeting — 1 p.m. second Wednesday of each month. Information: 575-973-2007

High Plains Breastfeeding Alliance — Weekly play group, location and times vary. Information: Heidi Zamora at 575-763-7964.

Masonic Lodge No. 26 — 7:30 p.m. fourth Monday each month, regular communication, 117 East 3rd Street. All Masons welcome. Infomation: Vern Newlin 575-626-4408

Mood Elevators fellowship group — 3 p.m. Sunday at Bowl-A-Matic in Fort Sumner, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Calvary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. Meetings subject to change. Information: 575-478-2525.

Peanut Valley Toastmasters — 7 p.m. Thursdays at ENMU broadcast center. Information: Donna Labatt 575-799-3215.

Portales Lions Club — Noon first and third Thursday of each month at Portales Senior Center, Industrial Drive. Information: 575-760-2417

Portales Masonic Lodge No. 26 — 7:30 p.m. every fourth Monday each month, 117 East 3rd Street. All Masons welcome.

Information: Vern Newlin 575-626-4408

Portales Traditional Jam — 2 p.m.-5 p.m. Sundays at Wesley Foundation, 1417 S. Ave. K. Old time, bluegrass, Celtic music. All instruments, ages and skills welcome. Information: 575-356-1051.

Promise Keepers — 5:45 a.m. Mark's Grill, 1126 W. First Street. Information: John Pugh 575-799-2000.

Roosevelt County Literacy Council — 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday-Friday at Portales Public Library. Free GED, ABE, ESL and citizenship classes. Volunteers needed. Information: 575-356-8500.

Roosevelt County Association of Educational Retirees — 2 p.m. third Thursday each month at L.C. Cozzens administrative offices, Zia Room. Information: 575-799-9615.

Roosevelt and Curry County Right to Life — Call for time and place. Information: 575-714-0455 or 575-714-0160

Seasoned Prayer Warriors — Noon each Wednesday at Emmanuel Baptist Church. Love the Lord? Non-denominational prayer warriors, Praying for Portales. Information: 575-356-3588.

Starlight Square Dance Club — 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Portales Senior Citizens Center, 421 North Industrial. Information: 575-760-1170.

United Daughters of the Confederacy — Noon first Saturday of each month. Information: 575-742-0307.

Women's Community Prayer

Alliance luncheon — 11:45 a.m. third Wednesday each month at Victory Life Coffee House.

Information: 575-359-0050.

Education

Blackwater Draw Museum — 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Saturday; noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Information: 575-562-2202.

Health

ENMRSH — 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday free development screening for infants from birth to 35 months. Call 575-742-9032 in Clovis/Portales, 575-487-2372 in Logan, 575-461-0212 in Tucumcari and 575-472-3111 in Santa Rosa.

HIV/STD testing — By appointment Monday-Friday at Roosevelt County Health Office, 1513 W. Fir Street. Information: 575-356-4453.

Pregnancy and TB Tests — 8 a.m.-11 a.m. and 1 p.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Wednesday at La Casa Family Health Center, 1515 W. Fir. Information: 575-356-6695.

Support groups

AA, Lamplighters group — 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Friday at Church of Christ student center, 207 S. Avenue K. Information: 575-769-6052.

AA, Willow group — 6 p.m. Tuesday book meeting, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday open meeting at Central Christian Church, 1528 S. Main Street. Information: 575-769-6052.

Al-Anon: Serenity Circle — 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at First Presbyterian Church, 108 South Ave. F. Information: 575-769-6052.

Al-Anon, Men only group — 6 p.m. Monday at Church of Christ student center, 207 S. Avenue K. Information: 575-769-6052

Hope for Hurting Women — 6 p.m. Tuesdays at 1513 S. Roosevelt Rd. 3. Prayer, support and encouragement for women. Information: 575-760-0598.

NA, Milagro Group — 6 p.m. Sunday, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at Church of God, 1427 E. Amazon. Information: 575-309-7593.

Al -Anon, Twisted Sisters

women only group — 6 p.m. Monday at First Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall, 108 S. Avenue F. Information: 575-769-6052

Bereavement Group — 1 p.m.-2 p.m. second and fourth Monday each month. Plains

Regional Medical Center Home Health/Hospice, 1701 S. Ave. P. Support group for people whose loved ones have died and who would like help coping with grief, loss and living again. Information: Sandy Turner at 575-769-7399.

Brain Injury Support — 6 p.m. Thursdays at Wesley Foundation Building. Contact 575-359-1964 or karlatheresa@msn.com.

Cancer survivors/caregivers support — 5 p.m. first and third Tuesdays at Mental Health Resources, 300 East First Street. Information: 850-797-1153

Diabetic Support — 6 p.m. Tuesdays at the auditorium, La Casa Family Health Center, 1515 W. Fir. Information: 575-356-6695.

Divorce Care — 6:15 p.m. Wednesdays at First United Methodist Church parlor. Support/recovery for those going through divorce. Information: 575-356-8597.

Grief support — 6 p.m. Mondays at First United Methodist Church. Information: Dr. Keith Wilks at dr.keithwilks@yahoo.com or 356-8597.

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Narcotics Anonymous

— 6:30 p.m. Mondays and Saturdays at Christian Campus House, 223 South Avenue K. Information: Rick B. at 575-309-7593

Parents Anonymous — 7 p.m. Tuesdays at 1411 S. Ave. O. Parents can share their questions, concerns, problems and solutions about parenting. Information: Monica Hayes at 575-693-5867.

Seniors

Portales Senior Dance — 7 p.m.-10 p.m. Saturdays at Portales Senior Center, 421 N. Industrial Drive. Live band and potluck. \$5. Information: 575-356-8741.

Seniors commodity distribution — 8 a.m.-noon third Wednesday of each month at Los Abuelitos Senior Center. Food distributed to people age 60 and up. Application: 575-356-5056 or at the senior center, 1515 W. Fir Street.

Square dance lessons — 7 p.m. Tuesdays Starlight Swingers offers square dance lessons at the Portales Senior Center, 421 Industrial Drive. Call 575-356-5509 or 575-477-2318.

Volunteer

Interim Healthcare Home Care & Hospice — 2300 N Main St., Suite 19A, Clovis. Minimum requirement two hours per month. Walk-ins welcome. Contact Angela Laumbach, Volunteer Recruitment Coordinator at 575-763-9728 or 575-714-5000.

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10 a.m.-4 p.m.

El Rancho de las**Golondrinas, Santa Fe**

Admission: \$8 adults, \$6 seniors/teens, free 12 and under

Information: 505-471-2261

Olivia Newton-John

8 p.m.

Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland

Tickets: \$54-\$89

Information: 432-552-4430

Tuesday

Andy Mineo, Social Club**Misfits, Wordsplayed**

7 p.m.

Sunshine Theater, Albuquerque

Tickets: \$19-\$34

Information: 505-764-0249

Yellow Claw: Los**Amsterdam Tour, Riot Ten**

9 p.m.

El Rey Theater, Albuquerque

Tickets: \$23-\$30

Information: 505-510-2582

Wednesday

Jimmy Eat World, Man With Mission

7 p.m.

El Rey Theater, Albuquerque

Tickets: \$30-\$45

Information: 505-510-2582

Thursday

Charlie Daniels Band

8 p.m.

Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland

Tickets: \$39-\$89

Information: 432-552-4430

Richie Hawtin, Hito

9 p.m.

El Rey Theater,

Tickets: \$25

Information: 505-771-5680

Albuquerque

Tickets: \$15-\$22
Information: 505-510-2582

Friday

Ganja White Night

7:30 p.m.

Sunshine Theater, Albuquerque

Tickets: \$10

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Charlie Daniels,**Marshall Tucker**

8 p.m.

Inn of the Mountain Gods, Mescalero

Tickets: \$35

Information: 800-545-9011

a-Resolve

7 p.m.

Flickenger Center, Alamogordo

Tickets: \$10

Information: 575-437-2202

ABQ Gem, Mineral and Jewelry Show

9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Expo NM, Albuquerque

Admission: Free

Information: 505-222-9700

Charlie Daniels,**Marshall Tucker**

8 p.m.

Inn of the Mountain Gods, Ruidoso

Tickets: \$35

Information: 800-545-9011

Saturday

A symphonic night at the movies: "Oz with Orchestra"

7:30 p.m.

Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland

Tickets: \$44

Information: 432-552-4430

DJ Jazzy Jeff

9 p.m.

Santa Ana Casino, Albuquerque

Tickets: \$25

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Albuquerque Int'l

ABQ Gem, Mineral and Jewelry Show

9 a.m.-5 p.m.

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Admission: Free

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Bird Walk: Los Luceros Historic Site

7 a.m.-1 p.m.

Pajarito Environmental Education Center, Los Alamos

Cost: \$12

Information: 505-662-0460

Albuquerque Int'l**Balloon Fiesta**

5:45 a.m.-9 p.m.

Balloon Fiesta Pkwy NE

Admission: \$10, Parking \$15

Information: www.balloonfiesta.com

Oct. 8

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9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Expo NM, Albuquerque

Admission: Free

Information: 505-222-9700

Albuquerque Int'l**Balloon Fiesta**

5:45 a.m.-9 p.m.

Balloon Fiesta Pkwy NE

Admission: \$10, Parking \$15

Information: www.balloonfiesta.com

Oct. 9

Insane Clown Posse, R.A. The Rugged Man, LYTE, DJ Stigmata

8 p.m.

Sunshine Theater, Albuquerque

Tickets: \$27

Information: 505-764-0249

Alison Wonderland

9 p.m.

El Rey Theater, Albuquerque

Tickets: \$20-\$30

Information: 505-510-2582

Albuquerque Int'l

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LEGAL 64090
September 24, 2017
October 1, 2017

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF ROOSEVELT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF CURRY
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

BRANDON DOUGLAS,

Petitioner,

vs.

NO: D-0905-DM-02017-00316

CHRISTINA GARCIA,

Respondent.

NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO CHRISTINA GARCIA:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a Petition for Paternity, Custody, Visitation, and Support has been filed and is now pending against you in Cause No. D-0905-DM-201700316 in the District Court of Curry County, New Mexico, wherein **BRANDON DOUGLAS** is the Petitioner and you are the Respondent entitled to notice.

That the object of said suit is to obtain establish paternity, custody, visitation, and support in re: **MICHELI A. DOUGLAS**, born September 17, 2010; that unless you appear, answer or otherwise plead in said cause on or before November 10, 2017, Petitioner will be entitled to the relief prayed for in her Petition; that **TATUM & McDOWELL**, P.O. Box 1270, Clovis, NM 88102 are the attorneys for Petitioner.

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Downs, New Mexico. The Owner will only consider proposals from general contractors that have demonstrated a successful track record of renovating multi-family rental housing developments. A Qualification Statements Packet may be obtained by contacting James Hingston (949-236-8123) or by e-mail request to jhingston@cpp-housing.com on or after September 22, 2017. Qualification Statements must be submitted by 2:00 PM PST, October 6, 2017. Successful Bidder will be announced on or before October 9, 2017.

LEGAL 64062
September 24, 2017
October 1, 2017
October 8, 2017
October 15, 2017

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF ROOSEVELT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. D-911-CV-2017-000409

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF Sammy Jo Chalk FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

TAKE NOTICE that in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 40-8-1 through Sec. 40-8-3 NMSA 1978, the Petitioner Sammy Jo Chalk, will apply to the Honorable Donna J. Mowrer, District Judge of the Ninth Judicial District at the **Roosevelt** County Courthouse at **Portales**, New Mexico at 3:00p.m. on the 6th day of November, 2017 for an Order for Change of Name from Sammy Jo Chalk to Sammie Jo Chalk.

Vicki J. Wilkerson
District Court Clerk

Submitted by:
Sammy Jo Chalk
Petitioner Pro Se

LEGAL 64084
September 24, 2017
October 1, 2017

JLG NM CENTRAL 2017, LLLP REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATION STATEMENTS FROM GENERAL CONTRACTORS

The JLG NM Central 2017, LLLP (JLG Central Portfolio) (Owner) will be accepting Contractors Qualification Statements at its Consultant's office at Community Preservation Partners, 17782 Sky Park Circle, Irvine, California 92614 for the renovation of six (6) Multi-family Rural Development Apartments Projects located in Las Vegas, Portales, Artesia, Belen and Ruidoso

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Lot Two (2) in the Foster Subdivision of Block "B" of the Sage Addition to the City of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, as shown by the official recorded plat thereof on file in the office of the County Clerk of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, in Plat Cabinet A, Slide 294; together with all improvements thereon, subject to restrictions, reservations, and easements as shown of record,

including any improvements, fixtures, and attachments, such as, but not limited to, mobile homes (hereinafter, the "Property"). If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control.

The foregoing sale will be made to satisfy a foreclosure judgment rendered by this Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on August 31, 2017, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the Property. Plaintiff's judgment is in the amount of \$94,264.83, plus interest to and including date of sale in the amount of \$2,292.74, for a total judgment of \$96,557.57.

The foregoing sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master, and is subject to all taxes, utility liens and other restrictions and easements of record, and subject to a one (1) month right of redemption held by the Defendant upon entry of an order approving sale, and subject to the entry of an order of the Court approving the terms and conditions of sale.

Witness my hand this 20th day of September, 2017.

/s/ Jennifer A. Taylor

JENNIFER A. TAYLOR, Special Master

PO Box 91988

Albuquerque, NM 87199

Telephone: (505) 433-

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Faxsimile: (505) 433-

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E-mail: sales@ancillary-s.com

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 15, 2017, at the hour of 10:00 AM, the undersigned Special Master, or her designee, will, at the front entrance of the Roosevelt County Courthouse, at 109 W. First Street, Portales, NM 88130, sell all of the rights, title, and interests of the abovementioned Defendant, and to the hereinafter described real property to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 2009 S Ave I, Portales, New Mexico 88130, and is more particularly described as follows:

In accordance with the Court's decree, the proceeds of sale are to be applied first to the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fees, and then to satisfy the above-described judgment, including interest.

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with any remaining balance to be paid unto the registry of the Court in order to satisfy any future adjudication of priority lienholders.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that in the event that the Property is not sooner redeemed, the undersigned Special Master will, as set forth above, offer for sale and sell the Property to the highest bidder for cash or equivalent, for the purpose of satisfying, in the adjudged order of priorities, the judgment and decree of foreclosure described herein, together with any additional costs and attorney's fees, including the costs of advertisement and publication for the foregoing sale, and, reasonable receiver and Special Master's fees in an amount to be fixed by the Court. The amount of the judgment due is \$94,264.83, plus interest to and including date of sale in the amount of \$2,292.74, for a total judgment of \$96,557.57.

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Submit a cover letter, resume with five references and phone numbers, copy of highest degree/diploma to Lorraine Meza, Human Resources, 1100 West 21st, Clovis, NM 88101. MHR is an EOE/AAA employer. Deadline for accepting applications is October 4, 2017.

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Hounds keep Wagon Wheel, 28-14

□ Eastern posts 447 yards of offense, ties trophy count 15-15.

BY THE STAFF OF THE NEWS

CANYON, Texas — Ladies and gentlemen, we have a brand new ballgame.

Eastern New Mexico University did what it does better than anybody in the country, control the ball, and the Greyhounds punished host West Texas A&M with 447

yards of offense and four consecutive touchdowns to bruise their way to a 28-14 win to improve to 5-1 on the season and 3-1 in the Lone Star Conference.

Just as important in the minds of most Greyhound fans, tie up the all-time Wagon Wheel series at 15 wins apiece.

The Greyhounds have won four of the last five Wagon Wheel games, and dominated in all facets of the game. The Buffaloes (2-3, 1-

2) posted just seven first downs and managed 254 yards of offense with a smattering of big plays at the end — including Justin Houghtaling's 24-yard pass to Junior Pome'e with :49 to play.

Houghtaling, an Artesia native, competed 12 of 20 passes, and gave the Buffs and early lead with a 5-yard toss to Ja'Quarius Daniels midway through the first quarter.

Kamal Cass had 28 carries for 138-yards and a 9-yard touchdown run, while Wyatt Strand rushed 16 times for 98 yards and scored on runs of 1 and 14 yards in a 21-point

fourth.

D'Maujeric Tucker rushed six times for 34 yards, including a 2-yard run early in the fourth quarter to give Eastern its first lead.

The Greyhounds were slightly above their gaudy average (38:48) in time of possession, holding the ball for 39:01 on the evening. But the Greyhounds used that to their advantage, as Strand scored his first touchdown on a quick snap as the Buffaloes expected him to milk the clock and tried to swap out a defensive unit.

In addition to knotting up the

series that started back in 1986 — the teams didn't play in 2000 or 2010 — the Greyhounds also gained the honor of being the final team to run up Kimbrough Memorial Stadium hill to claim the wooden trophy. West Texas A&M plans to move to an on-campus stadium next season, a year before it hosts the Wagon Wheel game again.

The Greyhounds come back home to face Texas-Permian Basin in their homecoming game, 7 p.m. Saturday at Greyhound Stadium.



Staff photo: Kevin Wilson

Clovis sophomore Kunal Puppalla, left, tries to poke the ball away from Sandia's Mario Hernandez in the first half of Saturday's District 2-6A game at Leon Williams Stadium.

Cats tripped up

□ Clovis own-goal becomes winning goal for Sandia, 3-2.

By Peter Stein

STAFF WRITER

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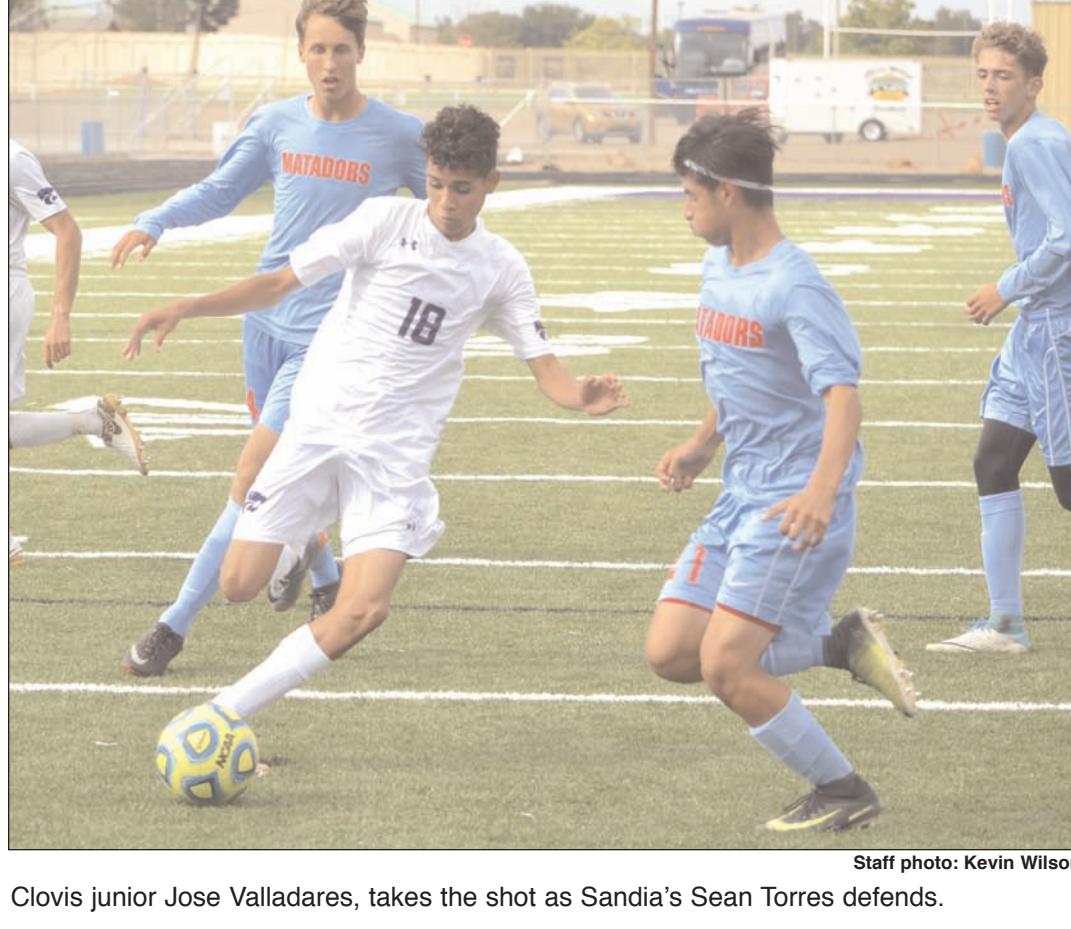
For a while during the first half of Saturday's Sandia/Clovis boys soccer game, there were signs of that long-absent, unfamiliar yellow light. What's that called again? Oh yeah, sunlight.

But the skies darkened considerably in the second half, and also did so figuratively for the Wildcats, who lost 3-2 on an own-goal at Leon Williams Stadium.

WILDCATS It was a game marked by yellow cards, mostly controversial ones against Clovis. But ultimately the 'Cats were beaten on an unlucky bounce, dropping to 2-2 in district play, 8-6 overall. Sandia improved to 6-6-2, 2-1 against district opponents.

"In the second half we started moving the ball really well," Clovis head coach Greg Trujillo said, "and I'm thinking, 'OK, our chances are looking good. And then we have an exchange there, and an own-goal. Those things you have no control over."

The game was scoreless for three-quarters



Staff photo: Kevin Wilson

Clovis junior Jose Valladares, takes the shot as Sandia's Sean Torres defends.

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Rams claim title

□ Portales wins Chavez tourney for its first time.

By Eric Murray

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PORTALES — Saturday marked the conclusion of the sixth annual Peyton Chavez Memorial Volleyball tournament, as some of the top 3A and 4A teams around the state battled it out.

When it was all said and done, the host Portales Rams won the tournament for the first time ever, as it defeated the Robertson Cardinals in the Gold Bracket championship game, 3-1.

"It really means a lot because of Coach (Ruth) Chavez. Even though she's not our coach anymore, we still love her and she and Peyton mean so much to us — this was a really important thing for us," Rams senior Libero Zamorye Cox said. "It's awesome to do it our senior year — we finally did it."

The Rams (8-3) had a strong weekend start to finish, as they dominated pool play on Friday, taking down five of the seven other teams in the tournament, while splitting two other matchups. Friday's performance was enough to earn Portales the No. 1 overall seed, as it beat No. 4 Santa Rosa in four sets on Saturday morning to advance to Saturday afternoon's title game against No. 2 Robertson (10-2).

It was an intense match in the early going, as Robertson went ahead, 23-21, in the first set. However, the Rams responded by scoring the final four points of the set, giving them an early 1-0 lead.

The Cardinals responded in the second set by hanging on to a late lead this time around, winning the set 25-22.

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Area Scoreboard (All Times Mountain)

Thursday/Friday

Thursday

Prep volleyball

Melrose 3, Grady 0

Floyd 3, Clovis Christian 0

Elida 3, San Jon 1

College soccer

UT-Permian Basin 4, ENMU men 0

Friday

Prep football

Lubbock Cooper 35, Clovis 28, 2OT

Portales 37, Socorro 0

Capitan 56, Texico 12

Melrose 56, Dora 6

Floyd 32, Hondo Valley 0

Hale Center 29, Bovina 21

Muleshoe 33, Idalou 3

Volleyball (prep, college)

ENMU 3, UT-Permian Basin 0

College soccer

UT-Permian Basin 1, ENMU women 0, OT

Saturday

Football

College

ENMU 28, West Texas A&M 14

Volleyball

Clovis 3, Manzano 0

Portales 3, Santa Rosa 1

Portales 3, Robertson 1

Texico 3, Dexter 0

Texico 3, Pojoaque 1

Grady 3, Floyd 0

ENMU 3, West Texas A&M 1

Prep soccer

Boys

Sandia 3, Clovis 2

NMMI at Portales, ccd.

Girls

Sandia 5, Clovis 3

Lovington at Portales, ccd.

College soccer

Lubbock Christian 1, ENMU men 0

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In brief**Trump tweets anew about NFL**

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump on Saturday night stoked the controversy over his call for punitive action against NFL players who take a knee or otherwise protest during the national anthem, tweeting anew that they should remain standing out of respect for the nation and its flag.

Trump took time from a Twitter rant against criticism of the federal response to hurricane damage in Puerto Rico to tweet: "Very important that NFL players STAND tomorrow, and always, for the playing of our National Anthem. Respect our Flag and our Country!"

Protesting during the playing of "The Star-Spangled Banner" began last season when Colin Kaepernick, then a San Francisco 49er, declined to stand to bring attention to police treatment of blacks and to social injustice.

During a wide-ranging speech at a political rally in Alabama on Sept. 22, Trump called for NFL owners to fire players who engaged in such a protest. In the days that followed the president issued a series of tweets reiterating his views and calling for a boycott of games by fans.

Criticism from players, owners and fans — and some praise — greeted Trump's remarks. The controversy boiled for days and seemed to overshadow other issues facing the Trump presidency, including the failure of congressional Republicans to repeal and replace the nation's health care law, the primary loss in Alabama of Trump's favored candidate, a turbulent hurricane season and the back-and-forth between the U.S. and North Korea over missiles and nuclear weapons.

Relatively few players had demonstrated before Trump's remarks. Last Sunday, more than 100 NFL players sat, knelt or raised their fists in defiance during the national anthem.

— Wire reports

MLB Standings

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AMERICAN LEAGUE**East Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
x-Boston	93	68	.578	—	—	6-4	W-1	48-32	45-36
y-New York	91	70	.565	2	—	7-3	W-2	51-29	40-41
Tampa Bay	79	82	.491	14	5	6-4	W-3	41-39	38-43
Toronto	75	86	.466	18	9	4-6	L-3	42-39	33-47
Baltimore	75	86	.466	18	9	2-8	L-4	46-35	29-51

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away		
x-Cleveland	101	60	.627	—	—	7-3	L-1	48-32	53-28		
y-Minnesota	84	77	.522	17	—	6-4	L-1	40-40	44-37		
Kansas City	80	81	.497	21	4	6-4	W-2	43-37	37-44		
Chicago	67	94	.416	34	17	7-3	W-1	39-42	28-52		
Detroit	65	97	.401	36	1/2	19	1/2	2-8	W-1	34-47	31-50

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away		
x-Houston	100	61	.621	—	—	7-3	L-1	48-33	52-28		
Los Angeles	79	81	.494	20	1/2	4	1/2	3-7	W-1	42-37	37-44
Seattle	77	83	.481	22	1/2	6	1/2	3-7	L-2	40-41	37-42
Texas	77	83	.481	22	1/2	6	1/2	3-7	W-2	43-37	37-44
Oakland	74	86	.463	25	1/2	9	1/2	7-3	L-1	40-39	37-44

x-clinched division

y-clinched wild card

Friday's Games

N.Y. Yankees 4, Toronto 0
Cleveland 10, Chicago White Sox 1
Houston 3, Boston 2
Tampa Bay 7, Baltimore 0
Texas 5, Oakland 3
Minnesota 6, Detroit 3
Kansas City 2, Arizona 1
L.A. Angels 6, Seattle 5

Saturday's Games

Boston 6, Houston 3
N.Y. Yankees 2, Toronto 1

Tampa Bay 4, Baltimore 3

Chicago White Sox 2, Cleveland 1

Detroit 3, Minnesota 2

Kansas City 4, Arizona 3

Oakland at Texas, late

Seattle at L.A. Angels, late

Sunday's Games

Houston (McHugh 4-2) at Boston (Sale 17-8), 1:05 p.m.
Oakland (Mengden 2-2) at Texas (Hamel 11-5), 1:05 p.m.
Toronto (Anderson 4-4) at N.Y. Yankees (Montgomery 9-7), 1:05 p.m.
Seattle (Paxton 12-5) at L.A. Angels (Bridwell 9-3), 1:07 p.m.
Baltimore (Gausman 11-11) at Tampa Bay (Snell 4-7), 1:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Volstad 1-1) at Cleveland (Tomlin 9-9), 1:10 p.m.
Detroit (Sanchez 3-6) at Minnesota (Colon 6-14), 1:10 p.m.
Arizona (Ray 15-5) at Kansas City (Vargas 18-10), 1:15 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE**East Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away	
x-Washington	97	64	.602	—	—	5-5	L-1	47-33	50-31	
Miami	77	84	.478	20	10	1/2	6-4	W-3	43-37	34-47
Atlanta	71	90	.441	26	16	1/2	3-7	L-6	37-44	34-46
New York	69	91	.431	27	1/2	18	4-6	L-1	37-44	32-47
Philadelphia	65	95	.406	31	1/2	22	6-4	W-3	38-41	27-54

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away	
x-Chicago	92	69	.571	—	—	8-2	W-4	48-32	44-37	
Milwaukee	85	76	.528	7	2	1/2	4-6	L-1	44-37	41-39
St. Louis	83	78	.516	9	4	1/2	4-6	W-1	44-36	39-42
Pittsburgh	74	87	.460	18	13	1/2	6-4	W-1	44-37	30-50
Cincinnati	67	94	.416	25	20	1/2	1-9	L-3	39-42	28-52

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away		
x-Los Angeles	102	58	.638	—	—	6-4	L-1	57-24	45-34		
y-Arizona	92	69	.571	10	1/2	5-5	L-2	52-29	40-40		
y-COLORADO	87	73	.544	15	—	5-5	W-3	46-33	41-40		
San Diego	71	90	.441	31	1/2	16	1/2	3-7	W-1	43-38	28-52
San Francisco	63	98	.391	39	1/2	24	1/2	5-5	L-1	37-43	26-55

Friday's Games

Chicago Cubs 5, Cincinnati 4

Philadelphia 6, N.Y. Mets 2

Washington 6, Pittsburgh 1

Miami 6, Atlanta 5

Colorado 9, L.A. Dodgers 1

Kansas City 2, Arizona 1

Milwaukee 5, St. Louis 3

San Francisco 8, San Diego 0

Saturday's Games

Chicago Cubs 9, Cincinnati 0

San Diego 3, San Francisco 2

St. Louis 7, Milwaukee 6

Pittsburgh 4, Washington 1

Miami 10, Atlanta 2

Kansas City 4, Arizona 3

N.Y. Mets at Philadelphia, late

L.A. Dodgers at Colorado, late

Sunday's Games

N.Y. Mets (Syndergaard 1-2) at Philadelphia (Pivetta 7-10), 1:05 p.m.

Pittsburgh (Brault 1-0) at Washington (Gonzalez 15-8), 1:05 p

Regional football: Mules get first win

□ Quarterback swap pays off in Muleshoe's 33-3 win over Idalou.

By Zech Lucero
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CLOVIS — Friday night football was a night the tide turned for some area football teams. For others, the waves came crashing down.

Muleshoe 33, Idalou 3

Muleshoe picked up its first win of the season, and won big at that. Ryan Rodriguez got the Mules

started with an 11-yard rushing touchdown and followed with a 27-yard run to put the Mules ahead to a quick 14-0 lead in the first. Michael Lozano added a 73 yard-run for a touchdown in the second quarter. Muleshoe had a total of 379 rushing yards and 86 passing yards.

"We kinda got a shot in the arm which gave us some spark coming into this game," Muleshoe head coach David Wood said. "We did switch our quarterbacks, so our running back became the quarterback, and our second-string running back went to starting running

back. We are going to stick with this chemistry and work on it through our off week, so until it doesn't work anymore, we'll stick with it."

Muleshoe will return to action Oct. 13 as they face Slaton on the road.

Hale Center 29, Bovina 21

Bovina played outstanding as they fell just short to undefeated Hale Center (5-0). Hale Center started the game off with a rushing touchdown with 8 minutes to go in the first quarter, but Bovina clearly didn't want to play catch-up as they scored with 3 minutes left in the

first off of a touchdown pass to tie the first.

Bovina had no answer in the second quarter and half of the third, as Hale Center scored 3 unanswered touchdowns. Bovina came back to close the gap, but fell short as Hale Center took a 29-21 win. Bovina (3-2) stays home as it faces Smyer Oct. 13.

Melrose 56, Dora 6

With key players missing from the Coyotes it really was a struggle to make anything happen against the State Champions. Melrose controlled the game throughout, but Dora scored and prevented on what

could have been a complete shut out. Melrose (5-0), which ended the game in the third quarter via the 50-point rule, goes on to play Mountainair next week.

Dora (3-2) stays home to take on Springer next week.

Capitan 59, Texico 12

After blowing out Loving last week, Texico (1-5) wasn't able to carry that momentum against the classification's No. 1 team in the state. Texico looks to gain some momentum it brought against loving to next week's matchup at Clayton.

ENMU edges Buffs

□ Hounds rally in fourth, 32-30, to dispatch WT.

BY THE STAFF OF THE NEWS

PORTALES — Even without it going five games, Eastern New Mexico and West Texas A&M found a way to push things to the limit Saturday.

The Greyhounds bent but rarely broke, using a late 3-0 to take a marathon fourth set and leave

Greyhound Arena with a 19-25, 25-23, 25-19, 32-20 Lone Star Conference victory Saturday evening.

Sara Tuioti-Mariner had 22 blocks to lead Eastern New Mexico (6-9, 4-2 LSC), who have won three of their last four and six of their last 10 since starting the season 0-6. Brooklyn Biel added 14 kills and three blocks for the Greyhounds.

The Lady Buffs (6-8, 3-4), hoping to catch the Greyhounds on the second night of a back-to-back, staved off elimination with a 4-0 run to knot things up at 24 in the fourth set. The Greyhounds took a 25-24 lead on a Marissa Ellis kill, but the Buffs held off two match points before posting a 2-0 run to set up their own game point.

A Gia Pettes kill gave West Texas A&M its first game point at 27-26, but the Buffs couldn't close the deal on that point, 29-28 or 30-29.

Tuioti-Mariner tied it at 30 with a kill off Alexis Aguirre's set-up, then served the final two points with Jennifer Martinez and Aguirre getting the final kills.

Aguirre posted 31 assists to lead ENMU, while Andrea Aguilar had 36 digs on the night.

Kamille Jones led WT with 11 kills, while Petties led all players with six blocks.

The Greyhounds remain home Tuesday to face Lubbock Christian at 6 p.m.



Staff photo: Kevin Wilson

Portales' Timothy Garcia scores on an 8-yard run in the first quarter of Portales' 37-0 victory over Socorro Friday night. Smith carried 13 times for 89 yards as Portales improved to 5-1 on the season. The Rams visit Hope Christian on Friday at Milne Stadium in Albuquerque.

Air Force tops Lobos

By Glen Rosales
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ALBUQUERQUE — Richard McQuarley's five rushing touchdowns tied a New Mexico school record and he finished with 179 yards to help the Lobos overcome a sluggish first half for a 56-38 victory Saturday night over Air Force.

Four of McQuarley's scores came in the second half, including bursts up the middle of 63 and 65 yards on consecutive possessions in the fourth quarter.

New Mexico (3-2, 1-1 Mountain West), which led the country in rushing last season, had just 83 at halftime before exploding for 280 second-half rushing yards.

Arion Worthman threw for three touchdowns and had 90 rushing yards and another score for Air Force (1-3, 0-2).

But Lobos quarterback Lamar Jordan, who only completed four passes, had 146 yards and two scores, hitting Jay Griffin IV for a 75-yard score and Delane-Hart Johnson for a 49-yard TD.

The game was delayed for an hour at the end of the first quarter because of lightning.

THE TAKEAWAY: The second straight win for New Mexico helps the Lobos forget about its recent two-game skid that included a disappointing 30-28 home loss to rival New Mexico State. It also puts New Mexico within three wins of bowl eligibility for the third straight season.

The Falcons are all alone at the bottom of the

conference's Mountain Division and have lost three straight in the series and four of the last five.

UP NEXT: New Mexico has a week before resuming Mountain West play against Fresno State on Oct. 14.

Air Force is at Navy on Oct. 7 in the opener of the Commander and Chief's trophy competition. The series also includes Army, but the Falcons have taken the trophy two of the last three seasons.

Army tops UTEP — Army snapped its two-game losing streak and coach Jeff Monken was plenty happy — just not ecstatic.

Andy Davidson rushed for 100 yards and one touchdown, Ahmad Bradshaw threw his first scoring pass of the season, and Army beat UTEP 35-21 on Saturday on a windy day at Michie Stadium.

The Black Knights overcame an early running-in-the-kicker penalty, missed too many tackles against UTEP running back Quardraig Wadley, and had an interception nullified by a penalty. Against a team struggling to find any sort of identity — UTEP's first lead of the season came on Wadley's 1-yard run in the final moments of the first quarter — it didn't matter.

"I'm happy to win. It certainly beats the failing of last weekend," Monken said. "What we've got to do is play better. There's a lot to clean up. We had to earn this one. They (UTEP) had themselves right there."

Army (3-2), coming off road losses to Ohio State and last week to Tulane, broke open a tight

game with two touchdowns in the third quarter and another early in the fourth as Bradshaw finally displayed some nice touch throwing the ball. He finished 3 of 5 for 80 yards and rushed for 93 yards on 11 carries.

UTEP (0-5) entered the game allowing an average of nearly 48 points per game but played Army to a 14-14 standoff in the first half, thanks to the solid play of Wadley, who finished with a career-high 156 yards on 28 carries.

"It didn't reflect in the final score, but I thought in all phases the kids went out and fought," UTEP coach Sean Kugler said. "This was a team last year that came to our place and completely annihilated us. I don't think they can say the same thing today."

UTEP gained only 23 yards and failed to notch a first down in the third quarter as the game quickly slipped away. Army drove quickly to the go-ahead score as the Miners' offense sputtered and their defense had no answer for Army's triple option.

Bradshaw, who last week failed to complete a pass in a game for the second time this season, finally broke out of his slump with a 42-yard scoring pass to Jordan Asberry midway through the third. Bradshaw's 24-yard completion to Jeff Ekejam set up Slomka's 13-yard TD on the third play of the fourth quarter.

Kahani Smith intercepted Army backup quarterback Luke Langdon and returned it 52 yards for a TD late in the quarter for UTEP's only points in the second half.

Lubbock Christian tops Greyhounds 1-0

□ Eastern's runners take second, third at NMJC race in Hobbs.

BY THE STAFF OF THE NEWS

LUBBOCK — Just across the Texas-New Mexico border, the Eastern New Mexico University men's soccer team found an unfriendly crossbar. Lubbock Christian's Abdou Joof's shot deflected off that crossbar, and into the next 1:43 into the second half, and the host Chaps made it stand for a 1-0 Heartland Conference victory Saturday afternoon.

The Chaps (4-6, 3-3 Heartland) led in most categories on the day,

including a 19-8 edge in shots — 7-3 on goal — and 3-2 on corner kicks.

Ignacio Dicun let the Greyhounds in overall shots and shots on goal with three and two, respectively.

Sophomore Ryan Flores made six saves in his first start of the season for the Greyhounds (2-7-1, 1-5).

Parker O'Quinn made three saves for Lubbock Christian.

The Greyhounds are idle until Thursday, when they hit the road to face Newman.

Cross country competes in Hobbs — It was a great day for

South Plains College, but also a pretty good day for the Greyhound men's and women's cross country teams Friday afternoon at the New Mexico Junior College Invitational meet.

South Plains won both competitions, while the ENMU women took second and the men third.

In the men's competition, ENMU had a total of 11 runners and finished with 68 points on the day and a third-place finish. South Plains College had nine total runners with six placing in the top ten and cruised to a 19 point win on the day. Felix Kosgei (South Plains) finished in first with a time of 24:20, followed by Andrew Bosque of South Plains finishing in second

with a time of 24:41.

ENMU's Omer Almog took third with a time of 24:44 in an ENMU comfortable third place finish. Other runners for the Hounds included Lorenzo Juarez (13th, 26:35), Marcel Skalecki (14th, 26:41), Garrett Meyer (18th, 27:07), Christian Monroy (23rd, 27:29), Benjamin Lantz (30th, 27:54), Toby Kirk (31st, 27:58), Louis Bolander (39th, 28:45), Ivan Moinat (42nd, 29:28), Luis Villasenor (47th, 29:47), and Jaren Brooks (48th, 30:17).

In the women's race, the Hounds took second overall with a 66 point score to end the day, with South Plains finishing on top with a score of 49 points.

Esther Gitahi (New Mexico JC) finished first with a time of 18:29. ENMU had a total of seven runners, with Coley Norcross finishing 7th with a time of 20:09, and Mason Swanson finishing in 8th with a time of 20:19.

Other runners for the Hounds included Abby Kepfer (13th, 20:49), Sierra Quinones (21st, 21:35), Cynthia Tovar (22nd, 21:36), Nancy Rodriguez (29th, 22:25), and Anna Parker (37th, 22:57).

The teams return to action Saturday at Canyon in the West Texas A&M Buffalo Stampede.



Staff photo: Kevin Wilson

Clovis senior Junior Valdez stares at the referee in disbelief after being called for a first-half foul, as Sandia's Will Maclay sits on the turf. The two went up for a ball in the air, and only Valdez landed on his feet.

Clovis

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of the first half, but just inside the 10-minute mark, Clovis finally struck. Wildcats senior midfielder Jared Garcia kicked the ball in from the 25-yard line on the right sideline, sending it toward a pack of Clovis and Sandia players to the left of the Matadors' goal. A scramble ensued until the ball came to Clovis junior midfielder Jose Valladeras, who was able to kick it to his right, even with a defender on him. The ball came across to Wildcats senior defender Noel Caldera, who was free right in front of the goal and punched one home.

With under five minutes to go until halftime, Sandia's Meheshad Ahmadi was standing at around the 15-yard line, with a clear shot at Clovis' goal, and knocked it in to tie the game at 1.

"In the second half we started moving the ball really well, and I'm thinking, 'OK, our chances are looking good.' And then we have an exchange there, and an own-goal. Those things you have no control over."

The half's final two minutes were eventful. The Matadors Will Maclay raced for a loose ball, but Clovis sophomore keeper Bruno Armendariz came out and just beat Maclay to the ball, falling on it right at the 12-yard line. The black line indicating the outer perimeter of the box is the 13, but the ref yellow-carded Armendariz for coming out too far.

"The ref said that he handled it outside and pulled it in," Trujillo said. "But there's no way. He had a yard of territory to cover (before he would be out). ... But those are the things in the game that happen."

Resulting from the call, Maclay was given a free kick, positioned diagonally

to the left of Clovis' goal. He hit a beauty, finding the right corner of the net.

As soon as Maclay's goal had been registered, Armendariz pleaded his case to the ref and was carded, forcing him to leave the game. Soon after, Wildcats junior forward Elias Ortega was carded for commenting to the lineman. Ortega insisted he was talking to his teammate; the ref insisted he was talking to the lineman. Some of the Clovis fans insisted the ref should get a red card.

"He lost his head, the ref," Trujillo opined.

An apparent cramp by Wildcats sophomore defenseman Kunal Puppalla led to an injury substitution, which also gave Trujillo the

chance to put Armendariz back in the game, and he remained in for the duration.

Less than four minutes into the second half, the Wildcats were on the attack, and junior forward Kade Jones finished for them, booting one in to tie the game at 2.

Clovis had some chances to regain the lead, but couldn't get the ball through, and with roughly 16 minutes to go in the second half, the own-goal put Sandia ahead, this time for good.

"We'll lick our wounds and try to come back," Trujillo said.

And they'll try to do that against state powerhouse La Cueva in Albuquerque on Tuesday.

"We have to play really smart," Trujillo said. "We start off slow always, always, always, until my defense adjusts and we start playing a little bit better."

Portales

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However, despite Robertson going ahead 13-8 in the third set, Portales went on a 9-1 run to take control of the set, en route to a 25-15 victory.

Finally, Portales managed to break a 17-17 tie in the fourth set, going on an 8-0 run to take the title.

For the host team, it was a special moment, especially for Rams coach Charity Gomez. Now in her second year at the helm, Gomez replaced Coach Chavez — who started the tournament

in honor of her late son, Peyton, who passed away in his sleep at 13 years old, back in 2011.

"I always get emotional when I talk about it because it's in the honor of Coach Chavez' son, and I think it's just something that if you play in honor of someone, you need to take it serious," Gomez said, crying. "We owe every year (to them) and that's our goal, and I'm just so happy that it finally happened. It's just really special in that aspect of it."

As for the Cardinals, it was just their second defeat of the year. For coach Stacy Fulgenzi — coaching in her

second Peyton Chavez Tournament, the quality of competition gives her team an opportunity to prepare for district and postseason play, and she especially likes the tournament's format of Friday pool play, followed by bracket play on Saturday.

"It's a great tournament (and) we enjoy ourselves here," Fulgenzi explained. "I knew it was gonna be tough (vs. Portales). Obviously, Portales is an awesome team. I knew it was gonna be a fight and I basically told my girls, 'It comes down to who wants it more and who's gonna

hustle for every point. Can't take anything for granted.' Today, I felt like they outlasted us a bit."

Cox led the Rams with 31 digs, while Lindsay Blakely had 14 kills and Sarah Blaeser had 17 service points. In other Saturday action, Texico (9-2) defeated Pojoaque (5-6) in four sets to take the Silver Bracket title. Moriarty (10-3), meanwhile, beat Santa Rosa (11-3) in the Gold Bracket third-place game, while Dexter (6-5) took down West Las Vegas (1-8) in the Silver Bracket third-place match.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

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The Baxter-Curren Senior Center will host its third annual **Granny Bowl** Oct. 7 at Mainline Bowl in Clovis.

The daylong event, a fundraiser for the center, is free for participants with team captains seeking donations and sponsorships in advance.

The event will feature games and contests for children, and door prizes for all ages.

Information: 575-762-3631.

The Clovis Softball Association is accepting entries for its annual **Halloween HOWWWL Tournament** at Guy Leeder Softball Complex.

The tournament, which includes a \$300 entry fee paid up front, will be played Oct. 20-22.

Registration will stop once the tournament

reaches 136 teams — 30 in Men's E, 20 in Women's E, 36 in Men's D, 18 in Women's D and to be determined in men's and women's C.

Online registration is encouraged, and rosters must be posted online.

Information: Roger Jackson, 575-762-8977.

Non-varsity sports update

Gattis falls to Marshall

The Gattis Middle School seventh-grade football team lost to Marshall, 28-14, on Tuesday. Playing a good game offensively was Daniel Rivera and Josh Mathis with a TD run each and Langdon Brown with a crucial 20-yd reception. Kaden Foote who kicked two PATs.

Defensively, the Cubs were led by Rivera who recovered two fumbles, Logan Brammer with a forced fumble

and numerous tackles and Foote and Mathis with a quarterback sack each.

The next game is 4:30 p.m. Tuesday against Portales at Norman Vohs Field.

Yucca falls to PJHS 38-8

The Yucca Middle School seventh-grade football team had another disappointing week with a 38-8 loss to Portales Junior High School on Tuesday Sept 26th, 2017. The Chaps held the game to a score of 8-8 in the

first quarter before Portales pulled away.

The Chaps will be back in action Tuesday for a home game, when they play Marshall Middle School at 4:30 p.m.

The Eastern New Mexico News accepts submissions from coaches for any junior varsity or middle school sports performance.

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Major league baseball statistics

The Associated Press Through Friday

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team batting

	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	Avg
Houston	5545	889	1565	237	847	.282
Cleveland	5454	814	1441	212	776	.264
New York	5534	855	1451	239	818	.262
Baltimore	5587	740	1459	232	710	.261
Kansas City	5472	696	1423	191	655	.260
Minnesota	5492	808	1428	204	774	.260
Detroit	5492	731	1424	186	695	.259
Seattle	5481	742	1417	196	706	.259
Boston	5603	776	1444	167	727	.258
Chicago	5449	703	1400	185	667	.257
Arizona	5447	795	1381	217	760	.254
Cincinnati	5415	750	1372	219	712	.253
New York	5441	728	1366	223	706	.251
Philadelphia	5462	675	1364	171	640	.250
Milwaukee	5395	720	1343	221	683	.249
Los Angeles	5340	759	1329	220	719	.249
Tampa Bay	5413	684	1320	226	661	.244
Texas	5362	789	1305	235	746	.243
Los Angeles	5348	700	1296	184	668	.242
Toronto	5442	690	1312	222	658	.241

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team batting

	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	Avg
Colorado	5464	818	1489	191	787	.273
Miami	5529	763	1471	192	730	.266
Washington	5479	810	1457	213	788	.266
Atlanta	5513	722	1448	163	696	.263
St. Louis	5410	753	1391	195	720	.257
Chicago	5432	812	1389	220	775	.256
Arizona	5447	795	1381	217	760	.254
Cincinnati	5415	750	1372	219	712	.253
New York	5441	728	1366	223	706	.251
Philadelphia	5462	675	1364	171	640	.250
Milwaukee	5395	720	1343	221	683	.249
Los Angeles	5340	759	1329	220	719	.249
San Francisco	5489	632	1368	127	605	.243
Pittsburgh	5389	653	1312	151	620	.243
San Diego	5285	597	1231	187	569	.233

Individual batting

	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	Avg
Blackmon Col	639	137	210	37	103	.329
Ju.Turner LAD	453	72	146	21	71	.322
D.Murphy Was	527	92	169	23	93	.321
Votto Cin	552	105	177	36	100	.321
Posey SF	489	60	155	12	67	.317
Ozuna Mia	608	91	190	36	122	.313
LeMahieu Col	605	95	188	8	64	.311
F.Freeman Atl	432	83	133	28	71	.308
Pham StL	442	93	136	23	73	.308
Arenado Col	602					