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Mike Pompeo took over as America's top diplomat Thursday after being confirmed by the Senate and sworn in across the street minutes later. The new secretary of state immediately dashed off to Europe. *See The News Wire*

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Hurricane-damaged boats removed, destroyed

By **ANDREA PRAEGITZER**
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After languishing off Interstate 75 near the Tuckers Grade exit in Charlotte County for months, boats damaged during Hurricane Irma last year have now been removed and hauled off to area landfills.

Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission officials confirmed Thursday that more than 30 boats were removed earlier in the week from Fred C. Babcock/Cecil M. Webb Wildlife Management Area land off I-75.

The vessels were brought there after being removed from area waterways during cleanup from Hurricane Irma that hit in September.

Owners had 30 days from when boats arrived at the site to claim them, but FWC records don't indicate any were returned to their owners, according to FWC spokesperson Melody Kilborn.

Fort Lauderdale-based, Paradigm Marine was the contractor that handled the destruction and debris removal for the local site, according to another FWC spokesperson Rob Klepper.

Fewer than 200 vessels statewide that were removed after the hurricane remain at four other sites and must still be destroyed, Klepper said.

And Kilborn said contractors have been moving from site to site to "perform destruction of vessels as part of this unprecedented statewide effort."

At the site near Tuckers Grade, the removal process took just under a week to complete.

By Thursday, the site once strewn with barnacle-covered boats of many varieties showed no evident sign they had been there.

Before that, the boats could be seen for months after the hurricane by motorists traveling along I-75 in

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AP PHOTO

80-year-old Bill Cosby is found guilty on all three counts of sexual assault at his retrial, Thursday, at the Montgomery County Courthouse in Norristown, Pennsylvania.

Cosby found guilty of sexual assault

Comedian lashes out at prosecutor in expletive-laden tirade in courtroom after conviction in retrial

By **LAURA KING and DAVID MONTERO**
 LOS ANGELES TIMES

NORRISTOWN, Pa. — Comedian Bill Cosby was found guilty Thursday on charges he drugged and sexually assaulted a former basketball official at Temple University, a woman decades younger than him who said she had once considered the entertainer a mentor and friend.

The verdict in Cosby's retrial, which came on the second day of deliberations and

drew a loud gasp from spectators, came less than a year after a previous jury deadlocked over the innocence or guilt of the 80-year-old comic. The three counts of aggravated indecent assault lodged against Cosby each carry a penalty of up to 10 years in prison, a sentence that would likely put him behind bars for the rest of his life.

Cosby listened to the verdict stoically, but moments later lashed out loudly at District Attorney Kevin Steele and called him

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TREASURE HUNT

Local adventurers aim to strike it rich

By **DANIEL SUTPHIN**
 STAFF WRITER

Bottom line

A group of Southwest Floridians believe they have insight as to where mythical pirate Jose Gaspar buried a treasure worth millions.

It doesn't take a pirate to hunt for treasure in the 21st century — a couple small boats, shovels and metal detectors can go a long way. But, the modern-day treasure hunt isn't as glamorous as the Discovery Channel or the movies make it seem.

Often knee-deep in mud, Southwest Floridian Mike Gattuso and a ragtag group made up of family members, former repo workers and a bounty hunter, search for treasure on Sunday mornings. More often than not, however, their "big score" is a beer can.

Their mission: finding the treasure of Jose Gaspar in the Peace River. The treasure is said to be worth \$30 million.

"This is treasure hunting," said Gattuso, "we have to find something."

According to legend, Jose Gaspar settled along the southwest coast of Florida around 1783 and turned to piracy aboard his ship, the Floriblanca. Gaspar established his base on Gasparilla Island and became the "scourge of the Gulf of Mexico and the Spanish Main."

The myth tells that Gaspar plundered dozens of ships, collecting treasure along the way. Gaspar died between 1821 and 1822, according to the tale, soon after Spain transferred control of the Florida Territory to the United States.

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The crew looks on as Mike Gattuso runs the metal detector over a location where it had pinged previously.



Treasure hunters Stacie Hunt and Mike Gattuso point out a docking location on a small land mass in Peace River.

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Hotel added to Charlotte Commons plans

By **ANNE EASKER**
 STAFF WRITER

A new hotel has been added to the plans for the mixed-use Charlotte Commons development by Private Equity Group at the corner of Peachland Boulevard and Veterans Boulevard.

The Charlotte County Commission approved an amendment Tuesday to the Sandhill DRI (Development of Regional Impact) to exchange 19,440 square feet of approved commercial development for 120 hotel rooms.

Geri Waksler, land use attorney for PEG, said plans are for an extended stay hotel. Beyond that, no further details are currently available.

"The extended stay concept is looked at as something that can potentially relieve some of the demand for housing for Western Michigan University," Waksler told the Sun Wednesday.

The exchange was done using an equivalency matrix to determine how much square footage of commercial development would be required for the hotel to have

a net zero impact on traffic in the area.

"The 19,400 square feet of commercial retail would generate the same amount of traffic as the proposed 120 hotel rooms," Waksler said.

Commissioner Joseph Tiseo said Tuesday he was happy with the change, and would rather have a hotel in the area than two quick-serve restaurants, which he believes would generate more traffic.

"I've had projects next to hotels, and it's almost like they're not even there," he said. "I think this is a win."

Even though the matrix shows it's net, it's got to be better than that in terms of less traffic counts with a hotel as opposed to what could be there."

PEG has already contributed more than \$6 million for roadway improvements in the area, including extra turn lanes and traffic signals at the intersections of Peachland and Veterans Boulevard and Veterans Boulevard and Kings Highway.

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READ ALL ABOUT IT:

United Way brings literacy programs to Charlotte County

By KAYLA GLEASON
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CHARLOTTE COUNTY — The Charlotte County branch of the United Way is teaming up with the Suncoast Campaign for Grade-Level Reading to help bring higher literacy and a love of learning to the area.

“The Suncoast Campaign for Grade-Level Reading is a community-wide effort in Manatee and Sarasota counties to help all children, especially those from low-income families, succeed in school by ensuring they read on grade level by the end of third grade,” according to www.gradelevelreadingsuncoast.net.

A significant chunk of children across the nation — 67 percent — are not proficient readers by the time they exit third grade, and as many as 80 percent of these students come from low-income families.

With Charlotte County’s median income falling significantly lower than those of neighboring counties Sarasota and Lee, it is imperative for the region to focus on the education of its

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Representatives from local nonprofits meet at United Way’s Charlotte County office to discuss the Suncoast Campaign for Grade-Level Reading.

younger generations. A committee of local nonprofit representatives, led by the United Way, is currently working with SCGLR and they hope to have their Community Services Action Plan completed by June 30.

By teaming up with groups like Big Brothers, Big Sisters and the Charlotte Community Foundation, SCGLR can help local students, teachers and parents increase the percentage of children reading at their grade.

One of the programs proposed is the Suncoast Summer Book Challenge. The challenge runs for 11 weeks and requires students to read and log six books at or above

their reading level.

To help local nonprofits, libraries and schools interested in participating, the Patterson Foundation provides funding depending on the number of students enrolled and the length of the course.

The book challenge is very flexible to ensure it reaches as many students as it can. Organizations can decide how long they want or need the program to last depending on their students.

“For someone in kindergarten, it wouldn’t take that much time to read six books,” SCGLR Director Beth Duda said, “but an older child reading on grade-level would need longer.”

The goal of the program is not to create a chore but to develop a love of learning in young minds.

Individuals and organizations can also join Mind in the Making Facilitator Institute, offered under SCGLR.

The institute is a 16-hour course that teaches adults — parents, school staff, community leaders — how to better engage with children and pass their knowledge onto them.

“We’ve had 625

graduates, so far. People from the Sheriff’s Office, attorneys, librarians — there’s been a wide range of involvement and no degree is necessary to participate,” Duda said.

The course does not require any type of degree, either. Interested parents, for instance, are encouraged to join as they are “a child’s first and best teacher,” according to Duda.

Both programs have seen significant results in the students involved. Not only has readership

improved but discipline and leader/student relationships have, as well.

“The goal is for children to thrive,” Duda said, “and the first years of their lives are crucial to development.”

For more information on these and other programs, visit www.gradelevelreadingsuncoast.net/, www.unitedwayccfl.org/ or contact Beth Duda at bduda@thepattersonfoundation.org.

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Local volunteers assemble learning tools for new kindergartners

By KAYLA GLEASON
STAFF WRITER

On Thursday, over 1,100 Kindergarten Readiness bags were filled by 70 volunteers. In fact, so many volunteers turned out that the bags were completed hours earlier than organizers had originally planned.

The material consisted of everything an early learner could need before starting school, from beginner books to alphabet magnets to crayons and coloring pages.

All of the items included were purchased by the Patterson Foundation, the Charlotte Community Foundation and the Rotary Club.

Boxes and boxes of the finished bags will be delivered to each elementary school and passed out to parents of incoming kindergartners after the Kindergarten Round-up.



Eric Jacobs and Jason Green from Publix, Kelli Geddes from Port Charlotte Sunrise Kiwanis, Julie Price from the United Way and Matt Jones, a community volunteer, were among 70 of the volunteers at the kindergarten readiness event.



SUN PHOTOS BY KAYLA GLEASON

All of the materials for the bags were donated by the Patterson Foundation, the Rotary Club and the Charlotte Community Foundation.

Though this is the first year Charlotte County has held the event, Sarasota and Manatee Counties have been streamlining the organization for years and Angie Matthiessen, Executive Director of the local United Way, plans on turning the Kindergarten Readiness bag-stuffing into an annual occurrence here.



Left: Packing and distributing kindergarten readiness bags is only one of the events The Campaign for Grade-Level Reading has planned for Charlotte County.

Right: Kindergarten readiness bags were prepared in the Baker Center cafeteria in Punta Gorda.



Members of the Rotary Club volunteered their time to help pack the readiness bags.



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Cops: Theft suspect attempts to sell stolen Bluetooth helmet on Facebook

By ANNE EASKER
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A Port Charlotte man was arrested Wednesday after attempting to sell a stolen Bluetooth motorcycle helmet on Facebook, the Charlotte County Sheriff’s Office reported.

In March, the victim left his motorcycle near the front door of Walmart on Kings Highway with his helmet on the bike. When he came out of the store, the helmet

was gone.

Surveillance footage captured a suspect whom deputies identified as Eric John Marquis, 40, who identified as homeless, according to a press release. Marquis was unable to be located, but on April 23, detectives discovered Marquis selling a Bluetooth helmet set on Facebook. The victim identified the posted set as his stolen property, the release stated. A detective made arrangements

to purchase the set from Marquis, meeting on April 25 at the Pizza Hut at 3069 Tamiami Trail. Marquis was arrested and transported to the Charlotte County Jail. His bond was set Thursday at \$15,000.

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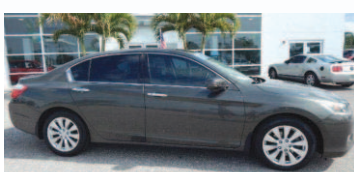
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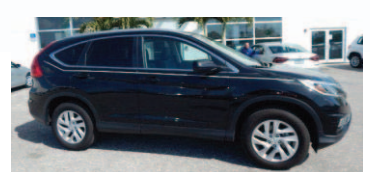
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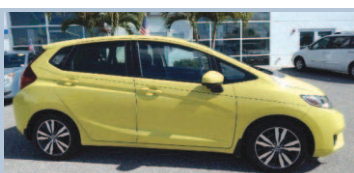
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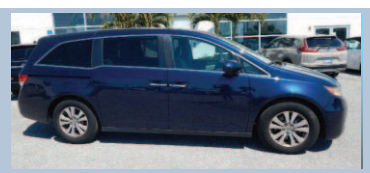
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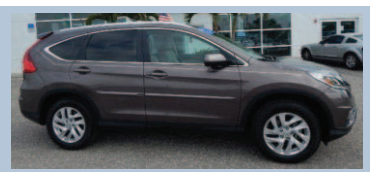
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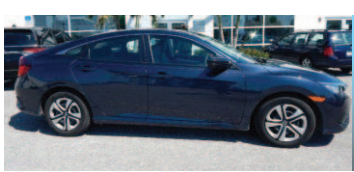
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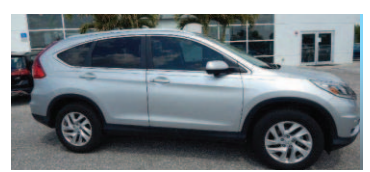
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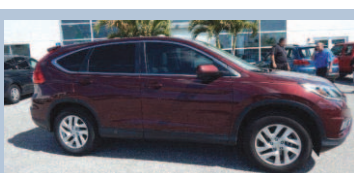
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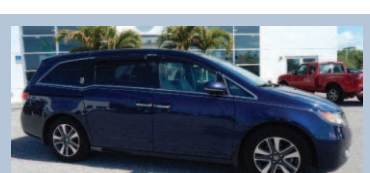
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TREASURE

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He retired after almost 40 years of piracy, dividing the treasure between him and his crew at his base on Gasparilla Island. Supposedly, a battle was held between a British merchant ship and the Floriblanca. The supposed merchant ship raised an American flag, revealing that it was the U.S. Navy schooner USS Enterprise, which was on the hunt for pirates.

In the battle that followed, Gaspar's ship was hit by multiple cannonballs. Instead of surrendering, Gaspar is said to have wrapped an anchor chain around his waist and leapt from the bow of his ship.

The legend tells that most of his surviving crew were captured and hanged, however a few escaped. Some versions say that one of these survivors was John (Juan) Gomez, who would tell the tale of Jose Gaspar to future generations.

As the ship sank, Gomez grabbed Gaspar's seven maps and fled along the Peace River, according to Gattuso. "As he flees," said Gattuso, "the story says he paid \$300,000 as hush money to Lady Boggess. We located the Boggess family who are now married into the Collins family. Their affiliation, is part of the pirate tale that supposedly Juan Gomez had paid them off to keep them hush hush as to where he was."

The crew references a map given to them by the Boggess family — who came across the original map after finding Juan Gomez dead.

"There are parts in the treasure map that give you the places it could be," said Gattuso, "so that's why we came up with multiple locations because we wanted to be able to check those multi areas that could be a possibility."

One of those locations is marked by a large cypress tree with a Roman numeral three carved into it. That tree stands on a shoreline near the crew's search sites. Based on stories from Juan Gomez's great grandchildren, who searched for the treasure in the 1950s, there were Roman numerals marked on trees in relation to the treasure's location.

"When we found that marked tree," said Gattuso, "it shows us that the story is real because now it ties us in to their story what



Gattuso's crew docking and searching for stable ground on a small land mass. They include (from left to right): Erin Melcher, Gabby and Jordan Poteet, Corey Bigler and Todd Stiger.



In the second boat, crew members (from left to right): Todd Stiger, Corey Bigler and Jordan and Gabrielle Poteet.

they were doing back in the 1950s. That's what the motivation came from. The stories they're telling us are just as real as the buried treasure. Especially when the Collinses already found some of it."

Gattuso said that the Collinses have found three of five safes so far amounting to \$300,000.

"That's why they want us to go look for it," said Gattuso. If the crew finds the treasure, the money will go to help finish building the church the family Boggess and Collins have started. They are \$1 million short from finishing it.

Crewmember Todd Stiger said they choose the search locations through a number of ways. Often time, the group tries to retrace the steps detailed in Gomez's grandchildren's stories. "We put our own interpretation on it," he said. The crew also talks to long-time residents of the area to find out potential locations.

The group determined seven different potential locations where the treasure could be.

For a little more direction, Gattuso decided to go to a psychic to help hone in on the right spot.

"My mother-in-law said, 'call a psychic,'" said Gattuso. "So, I called a psychic. (The psychic) thought I was joking."

The psychic asked if Gattuso had any locations. He gave the psychic seven spots. Out of the seven, the psychic picked three spots where there would be treasure.

"... this is what gets me," said Gattuso. "(The psychic picked this location where we are going today. All I mentioned was a big cypress tree. (The psychic says) there's treasure there."

Gattuso said the hair-raiser for him was the psychic's mention of a lagoon that rested nearby the cypress tree marking point.

"Two things in this part (got my attention)," said Gattuso, "... how did you know there was a lagoon there — lagoons are (usually) closed in — and how did the psychic know that it was 'open dock' to where there is a tip to it?"

When Gattuso presented this new information to his crew, Stiger said he was on the fence about it. Stiger said, "You never know ... and the idea behind this whole thing is that we come out here we all do this ... it's fun. It's a good way we spend every Sunday together."

The first stop on the trip was a small island in the river. Exiting the boat, the crew members' feet sunk into the

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Treasure hunter Mike Gattuso runs a metal detector along the river bank.



Mike Gattuso and his treasure hunting team.

mud, completely dry land was scarce. An alligator egg was spotted near the docking point which made everyone cautious. With metal detectors, Gattuso and his crew searched the small land mass. The metal detector pinged in one area near the end of the small island, which matched the psychic's prediction. The group began to dig.

The crew usually digs around two feet into a site if there is a ping on the metal detector. "The problem is that you go to a certain distance," said Stiger, "if you don't find something, you keep digging and the water is going to keep coming in."

After some digging, they ran the metal detector over the spot again. Again, it pinged. After further digging, Gattuso reached into the hole and found ... a beer can.

"It's an adventure," said Gattuso.

"Sometimes we have a map on the wall of the river and just throw a dart at it," said crewmember Corey Bigler, laughing.

The crew returned to their boats and motored further along the river.

Stiger said the biggest obstacle for the group has been determining the location. "When we sit there and we talk about ... if in fact, Gaspar buried something ... where it would be? How deep it would settle?"

On the way to the next stop, Gattuso and his crew motored along the shoreline dragging the metal detector through the river bank, no pings.

The crew spotted a beach-like shoreline up the path. They docked and searched the area. After some wandering with the metal detector, Gattuso got a ping.

They marked the spot with an "X" and grabbed the shovels. The crew dug through the sand, eventually striking water. They drained out the water and continued to dig since Gattuso was still getting pings on the metal detector.

FIVE BIG TREASURE FINDS:

X Cuerdale

Found: 1840

Value: Approximately \$3.2 million

Workers were fixing an embankment of the River Ribble in Cuerdale near Preston in England. They found a lead box which contained a Viking treasure with more than 8,600 items, including silver coins, jewelry and silver ingots.

X Hoxne

Found: 1992

Value: Approximately \$3.8 million

A British farmer lost his hammer in a field. He borrowed a metal detector and discovered an oak chest filled with silver spoons, gold jewelry and coins. The treasure dates back to the 4th or 5th century.

X Staffordshire

Found: 2009

Value: Approximately \$4.1 million

Using his metal detector on a recently plowed field near Hammerwich in Staffordshire, Terry Herbert found a trove of Anglo-Saxon treasure, including over 3,500 military-related items like weaponry, as well religious artifacts and decorative items. Although not exact, it is thought to date back to the 8th century.

X Sroda

Found: 1985-1988

Value: Approximately \$120 million

An old building in the Polish town of Środa Śląska was being demolished. A vase was found beneath the foundation containing more than 3,000 silver coins, dating back to the 14th century. Two years later more artifacts were uncovered during the demolition of a nearby building, including more gold and silver coins and an array of jewelry, including a gold crown and a ring displaying the head of a dragon.

X Caesarea

Found: 2015

Value: Priceless

During a seabed exploration near the harbor of Caesarea National Park, Israel, scuba divers found nearly 2,000 coins. The coins were of several different denominations and had been minted at different times, sometime between the 10th and 12th centuries.

Source: Mental Floss UK, 2017

Eventually, one of the crew members hit something metal with the shovel: a Schlitz beer can.

Gattuso's crew is self-funded and passionate about the search and each other. Eight people make up the group. The root members of the team are in the repossession business. Bigler is from Pine Island and works in "heavy duty" commercial repossession dealing with planes and boats. Erin Melcher, a mixed martial artist, is the group's mechanic.

"Anything that breaks," said Gattuso, "he's the guy (to fix it)." Melcher is from Labelle.

Stacie Hunt is the muscle and the mind behind the group. As a bounty hunter, she "finds people (and) does a lot of the legal stuff," said Gattuso. "She comes in really handy when it comes to research and ... a little bit of everything."

The group also includes Stiger, Gattuso's daughter Gabby and her husband Jordan Poteet (the videographers).

On the quiet drift back to the Lettuce Lake boat ramp, the crew joked with one another about the morning's hunt.



A cypress tree that Mike Gattuso and his team use as a landmark. The tree is also a part of the legend as a marker on the original treasure map. Near the base of the trunk is the Roman numeral three, which Gattuso said is also a sign that they are close to where the treasure was originally stashed. Supposedly, Gaspar used roman numerals to mark his different treasures.

Although nothing was found, Gattuso said the real treasure of the day was being able to spend time with family and friends.

But finding a treasure would make it that much better.

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BIG TREASURES YET TO BE FOUND:

Lake Toplitz gold

It is believed Nazis buried wooden crates containing gold, diamonds and other treasure in Lake Toplitz, Austria near the end of World War II.

Blackbeard's treasure

The legend of pirate Blackbeard's treasure still lives on despite archaeologists finding

his ship in 1996 near the North Carolina coast. The treasure is believed to be lost at sea.

Treasure of San Miguel

Twelve Spanish ships left Havana, Cuba in 1715 filled with silver, gold, pearls and jewels. A hurricane took out 11 of the ships near Florida. Seven of the lost ships have been discovered but not the treasure which is believed to be on the missing San Miguel ship.

Treasure of Lima

In 1820, a war for independence began to surface in Spanish-occupied Lima. As a result, Spain chose to evacuate the city with their wealth. The crew in charge of moving the treasure went pirate and buried the trove on Cocos Island. The treasure is said to be worth more than \$200 million and believed to still be buried on the island.

Source: Daily Express, UK

TREASURE HUNTING IN FLORIDA:

• In 2015, the New York Post reported that Florida treasure hunters found \$4.5 million worth of Spanish gold coins from a fleet of ships that sank 300 years ago in a hurricane en route from Havana to Spain, according to the salvage owner.

• In 2018, NBC-2 reported that treasure hunters are searching in an undisclosed location off the coast of Key West. The treasure is said to be worth \$150 million "maybe." A Spanish merchant ship, "Consellacion" was said to be carrying the treasure while traveling through Florida waters in 1622; it went down during a hurricane.



Treasure hunters Mike Gattuso and Stacie Hunt.



Mike Gattuso and his crew use two boats to search the river for treasure.

Dearborn steps closer to greater density

By **STEVE REILLY**
STAFF WRITER

ENGLEWOOD — West Dearborn Street property owners are a step closer to seeing multi-story, residential and retail mixed-use developments in the future.

The advisory Sarasota County Planning Commission unanimously approved comprehensive plan and zoning changes to the Englewood Town Center — part of the Englewood Community Development plan — that will allow mixed-use developments. The amendment could increase residential and commercial density

West Dearborn plan schedule

- June 12 transmittal public hearing before the Sarasota County Commission before sending the plans to Tallahassee for a state review.
- July-August state agency review of the proposed changes.
- Sept. 11 final adoption hearing before county commissioners.

from 13 units per acre to 25 units per acre.

The changes would be limited to properties one block north and south of West Dearborn, the main street of Englewood's historic business district.

The changes also need state approvals and a final approval from county commissioners, which is expected in the fall.

The advisory planning commission support came only after the county staff deleted similar development changes proposed for South McCall Road from the Dearborn intersection to South Indiana Avenue. In February, commission members heard from numerous residents and property owners who did not want those changes.

But even though county staff scrapped the South McCall plan, some residents still opposed greater development densities for West Dearborn. Some feared Englewood would lose what they called its "old fishing village" charm.

"The CRA plan does not reflect the wants and the needs of Englewood residents and guests," said Cynthia Kjarum who described herself as longtime resident of Englewood. She gave the advisory board a petition of 200 signatures opposing changes that they viewed as the urbanization of

West Dearborn and the surrounding area.

Joyce Colmar, a Dearborn business and property owner, said the increased density is needed for redevelopment to be fiscally feasible. She's owned the vacant lot for 17 years across from the Pioneer Plaza on the 300 block of West Dearborn.

"We cannot build within the perimeters of costs on that street with the current conditions," Colmar said. "The idea you are going to ruin Englewood because one street, one section on either side of it, will become more dense, to me, is actually illogical. "If you put more

people on that street, you preserve the area around it so that you have birds and open areas," she said.

While South McCall is out of the plan now, it's not forgotten. The county is planning a beautification project that will include sidewalks, streetlights, stormwater and other improvements.

Also, CRA manager Debbie Marks said the county will be holding next winter "focus groups" with residents, commercial and other property owners to determine what future development they'd like to see along South McCall Road.

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Sarasota County to join opioid litigation

Officials want to join federal case against pill mills

By **WARREN RICHARDSON**
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SARASOTA — To protect any potential claims the county may have, Sarasota County commissioners agreed Tuesday to enter the opioid litigation pending in a federal court in northern Ohio.

Specifically, commissioners unanimously agreed to authorize County Attorney Steve DeMarsh to engage the firm of Motley Rice LLC to represent and present any claims the county may

have regarding the crisis.

DeMarsh told commissioners the firm would represent the county on a contingency basis, earning 20 percent of any recovery prior to trial, and 25 percent if the case goes to trial. If no recovery is realized, the county will owe the firm nothing.

Noting that the opioid crisis is a complex issue, Commissioner Mike Moran said the crackdown on pill mills in the state a few years ago had led to people seeking other alternatives for treatment.

Fearing that resolving the crisis might lead to a spike in heroin overdoses, he said, "I'm nervous about what the solution is and the money to fix it."

DeMarsh speculated that a potential settlement with third parties to the litigation might include a "push for treatment."

In response to the crisis several local governments across the country filed lawsuits against drug manufacturers, distributors and pharmacies alleging theories of consumer protection/consumer fraud,

false claims, nuisance, or violations of state and federal laws on controlled substances.

In essence, the plaintiffs allege that the companies aggressively marketed these pills for years while aware of the potential for addiction without warning authorities or consumers.

Due to the multitude of lawsuits filed in different jurisdictions, a panel of federal judges met in December and consolidated the cases, handing them over to District

Judge Dan Aaron Polster of the Northern District of Ohio in Cleveland.

According to The New York Times, approximately 400 individual cases had been filed. The Center for Disease Controls estimates that there are 175 deaths a day in the United States due to prescription opioids.

In January, according to the Times, Polster met with lead attorneys for the parties and appointed a panel of attorneys to engage in settlement discussions to resolve the

litigation, and imposed a ban on discussing negotiations with the media.

Attorney Joe Rice of Motley Rice is one of the members of that panel.

DeMarsh told commissioners, also, that the firm is no stranger to Sarasota County, as it was engaged to represent the county's interests in the Deepwater Horizon litigation several years ago when that offshore drilling rig exploded causing a massive oil spill affecting many Gulf Coast states.

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Ethics court ruling split on misuse of office case against Rob Robinson

By **ELAINE ALLEN-EMRICH**
COMMUNITY NEWS EDITOR

A split-decision by the First District Court of Appeals against former North Port city attorney Rob Robinson found he had an unfair advantage for his firm while creating two jobs for himself.

The court recently ruled Robinson violated state law in 2013 after convincing the majority of the City Commission to create a zoning hearing officer and special magistrate for code enforcement officer position.

Robinson said he was the most qualified for those two positions.

According to the 23-page finding, the court found Robinson "had created an unfair advantage" for his (former) firm Nelson Hesse of Sarasota. "There is competent, substantial evidence that supports the implicit finding that Robinson acted corruptly."

The court found Robinson knew advising commissioners on a matter benefiting himself personally was "inconsistent with his public duties as a city attorney." On similar prior occasions Robinson asked commissioners to hire outside counsel so he could bid on those contracts.

The three-judge panel split its decision of the second violation against Robinson. The majority found Robinson was considered an attorney for the city and not a local government attorney as alleged in the initial complaint against him. The panel found the city charter outlined Robinson's position as an outside legal representative.

Due to the appeals' decision, instead of a \$10,000 fine by the Florida Ethics Commission, Robinson was ordered to pay \$5,000.

In a statement to the Sun, Robinson wrote he's

pleased with the court's decision to overturn one of the charges.

Englewood resident Conni Bruni, who owns properties in North Port, filed the complaints with the Florida Ethics Commission. She alleged Robinson shouldn't have told North Port commissioners he was the best candidate for the newly created jobs as the special magistrate for Code Enforcement cases and the Zoning Hearing Officer at the July 28, 2014 meeting.

Robinson was the city attorney for 14 years. The Commission disbanded the resident's code enforcement board and wanted a special magistrate to preside over violation cases. Robinson wrote a draft ordinance to create the new position.

Commissioners decided they weren't renewing the contract with Robinson's outside firm Nelson Hesse and were instead hiring an in-house attorney.

Robinson asked the City

Commission to appoint him immediately. The job wasn't posted and no other applicants were sought. The then City Commissioners voted 4-1, with Linda Yates opposing, to appoint Robinson to a four-year term to both positions. Yates called it a conflict of interest.

Robinson signed a letter of engagement he penned to charge the city \$275 an hour for the two new positions instead of the \$170 he had been paid as the city attorney.

"Rob Robinson penned and lobbied for his new contract as backup city attorney in 2014," Bruni said. "Then he told commissioners there was a big urgency but the case wasn't head until six weeks after he was appointed."

Bruni filed a complaint with the Florida Ethics Commission a month later.

Robinson, now an attorney with the Kirk-Pinkerton, PA. law firm of Sarasota, resigned as the

city's special magistrate in September 2014. He earned \$10,941 for the short time he served in the new positions.

Bruni said she didn't mind that it took a long time after she filed the complaint for the process to play out — especially after the Florida Ethics Commission elected to investigate her claim. It took about a year. She and Robinson were notified of a hearing date. She drove to Tallahassee for the hearing, but Robinson didn't show up. A new hearing was scheduled in Sarasota.

"Administrative Law Judge Robert Cohen heard the case, and ruled against Robinson in January 2017," Bruni said.

Cohen ruled Robinson misused his position by creating two city jobs for himself. He was fined \$10,000. Robinson appealed to the First District Court claiming he didn't abuse his position as the city attorney and he was categorized as a

public officer — not a local government attorney.

A three-judge panel was appointed to hear the case in January 2018.

"Regarding the second charge, we are bolstered by Judge (Scott) Makar's detailed lengthy dissent in which he states ... 'Robinson didn't misuse his position by acting inconsistent with his public duties nor did he act with wrongful intent,'" Robinson wrote to the Sun. "Judge Makar concluded 'Robinson's conduct violates none of the other public ethics laws related to the procurement of legal services.'"

Bruni said it's gratifying the decisions made by the appeals court will affect future outcomes. She filed a complaint with the Florida Bar Association against Robinson. It's at a hearing stage, but the process was on hold pending the outcome of the appealed case.

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Foundation has plan to help expectant mothers

Sarasota Memorial teams up with Barancik Foundation

By **ALEXANDRA HERRERA**
STAFF WRITER

SARASOTA — For the last 18 months, the Charles & Margery Barancik Foundation has been working with Sarasota Memorial Hospital to help new mothers.

The program — known as the First 1,000 Days — aims to reach mothers who are living at or below the poverty line get the right prenatal care for their children.

Along with care, the program also aims to help them find a way out of poverty, off the streets and in some cases, drug free.

The First 1,000 Days works to ensure new mothers receive the care

they need during the first few years of a child's life. Research shows that the first 1,000 days are crucial for a baby's development, which begins in the womb and goes until year 2 of the child's life.

According to Kelly Romanoff, spokesperson for the Barancik Foundation, the services are already available in the county. Services to bring mothers into safe and affordable housing, register for assistance for medical care, family planning, quality early child care and education, as well as navigating the health care system.

"Our outreach campaign will be three years," Romanoff said. Romanoff said the

foundation will be working on a multi-media campaign, as well as working with community partners to reach expectant mothers. One of those partners is Sarasota County Schools.

"(We'll) be working every angle to help families," she said.

One of the goals of the program is to provide judgment-free help, as well as make the process easier for mothers and families to get the assistance they need during the crucial first 1,000 days.

During a presentation Wednesday at SMH, Dr. Washington Hill, a maternal-fetal specialist at SMH, addressed the crowd, saying the goal of

the program is to provide equity to all those who need it.

Hill said some of the biggest challenges faced by some of the families is navigating the health-care system, and hopes this program will provide clarity.

"We want to make sure not to further hardships," Romanoff said.

The program kicks off this fall to make sure that those who need it most know what's available to them within their community.

For more information on the Barancik Foundation and First 1,000 Days Sarasota, visit www.barancikfoundation.org. Email: aherrera@sun-herald.com

OBITUARIES

There were no deaths reported Thursday.



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NOTICES

3112 FICTITIOUS NAME

04/27/2018

Notice Under Fictitious Name Law Pursuant to Section 865.09, Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, desiring to engage in business under the fictitious name of Silver Wrapture Creations located at 3501 Renault Circle in the County of Sarasota, in the City of North Port, Florida 34291 intends to register the said name with the Division of Corporations of the Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, Florida. Dated at North Port, Florida, this 25th day of April, 2018.

Gwen C Berger
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3116 NOTICE OF ACTION

Notice of Proposed Agency Action by the Southwest Florida Water Management District

Notice is given that the District's Proposed Agency Action is approval of the application for a Water Use Permit to serve Public Supply activities. The total authorized withdrawal is 80,000,000 GPD, and Maximum is 258,000,000 GPD. The project is located in Desoto County, Section(s) 4-10, 15-20 of Township 39 South, Range 23 East; Section 3 of Township 39 South, Range 25 East; and Sections 27, 34 Township 38 South, Range 25 East, in DeSoto County. The permit applicants are Peace River/Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority whose address is 9415 Town Center Parkway, Lake-wood Ranch, FL 34202; DeSoto County B.O.C.C., whose address is 201 East Oak Street, Arcadia, FL 34255; Sarasota County B.O.C.C., whose address is 1660 Ringling Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34236; Manatee County B.O.C.C., whose address is P.O. Box 1000, Bradenton, FL 34206; City of North Port City Commission, whose address is 4970 City Hall Boulevard, North Port, FL 34286; and Charlotte County B.O.C.C., whose address is 18500 Murdock Circle, Suite 536, Port Charlotte, FL 33948. The Permit No. is 20010420.010.

The file(s) pertaining to this project is available for inspection Monday – Friday except for legal holidays, 8am – 5pm, at the Southwest Florida Water Management District, 7601 US Highway 301 North, Tampa, FL 33637-6759.

Notice of Rights

Any person whose substantial interests are affected by the District's action regarding this matter may request an administrative hearing in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Florida Statutes (F.S.), and Chapter 28-106, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), of the Uniform Rules of Procedure. A request for hearing must (1) explain how the substantial interests of each person requesting the hearing will be affected by the District's action, or proposed action; (2) state all material facts disputed by each person requesting the hearing or state that there are no disputed facts; and (3) otherwise comply with Chapter 28-106, F.A.C. A request for hearing must be filed with and received by the Agency Clerk of the District at the District's Tampa Service Office, 7601 U.S. Highway 301 North, Tampa, FL 33637-6759 or sent by facsimile transmission (fax) to the Agency Clerk at (813) 367-9776, within 21 days of publication of this notice. Failure to file a request for hearing within this time period shall constitute a waiver of any right such person may have to request a hearing under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S.

Because the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate final agency action, the filing of a petition means that the District's final action may be different from the position taken by it in this notice of agency action. Persons whose substantial interests will be affected by any such final decision of the District in this matter have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above.

Mediation pursuant to Section 120.573, F.S., to settle an administrative dispute regarding the District's action in this matter is not available prior to the filing of a request for hearing.
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3116 NOTICE OF ACTION

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 17-DR-946
Division: Family
IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF K.C.,
Adoptee

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR PUBLICATION

TO: Yuichi Tomato

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for Step Parent Adoption has been filed against you. You are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to this action on Dennis R. Wallace II, Petitioner's attorney, whose address is 6230 Scott St., #112, Punta Gorda, FL 33950 on or before 05/16/2018, and file the original with the clerk of this court at Charlotte County Justice Center, 350 E. Marion Ave., Punta Gorda, Florida 33950, either before service on Petitioner's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

WARNING: Rule 1.2.285, Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, requires certain automatic disclosure of documents and information. Failure to comply can result in sanctions, including dismissal or striking of pleadings.
DATED this 11th day of April, 2018.

CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

By: J. Kern
Deputy Clerk
Publish: April 13, 20, 27, May 4, 2018
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NEED CASH?

3130 NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell, to satisfy lien of the owner, at public sale by competitive bidding on **May 18, 2018 at 4:30 pm or thereafter** at the Extra Space Storage facility located at:

**3041 S. McCall Rd.
Englewood FL, 34224
941.221.1984**

The personal goods stored therein by the following may include, but are not limited to general household, furniture, boxes, clothing, and appliances.

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2. Joanne Long Household Goods
3. Timothy Montgomery Furniture, Boxes, Household items.

Purchases must be made with cash only and paid at the above referenced facility in order to complete the transaction. Extra Space Storage may refuse any bid and may rescind any purchase up until the winning bidder takes possession of the personal property.
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Notice of Public Sale of Personal Property

Pursuant to the lien granted by the Florida Self-Storage Facility Act, notice is hereby given that the undersigned self-storage units will be sold at a public sale by competitive bidding, to satisfy the lien of the Lessor, with Metro Storage LLC as managing agent for Lessor, for rental and other charges due from the undersigned. The said property has been stored and is located at the respective address below. Units up for auction will be listed for public bidding on-line at www.StorageStuff.Bid beginning five days prior to the scheduled auction date and time. The terms of the sale will be by lot to the highest bidder for cash only. A 10% buyer's premium will be charged per unit. All sales are final. Metro Self Storage LLC reserves the right to withdraw any or all units, partial or entire, from the sale at any time before the sale or to refuse any bids. The property to be sold is described as "general household items" unless otherwise noted. All contents must be removed completely from the property within 48 hours or sooner or are deemed abandoned by bidder/buyer. Sale rules and regulations are available at the time of sale.

Property includes the storage unit contents belonging to the following tenants at the following locations:

Metro Self Storage

1231 Kings Hwy
Port Charlotte, FL 33980
Tel: 941-623-9150

The bidding will close on the website StorageStuff.Bid and a high bidder will be selected on May 16, 2018 at 10AM

Occupant Name Unit Property Description

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John H Brown III

6009 Household Goods

Ana Colon

7014 Household Goods

Alexandra Toussaint

10053 Household Goods

William P Bell

11012 Household Goods

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3138 OTHER NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE IRRIGATION WATER RESTRICTIONS

Charlotte County Mosquito and Aquatic Weed Control announces water use restrictions for the purposes of irrigation in the following fresh water bodies (Freshwater Canals and Fresh Water ponds) Areas included are Sunset Waterway Hillsboro to Kenilworth and Kenilworth to Veterans Blvd.

Do not use water from the above water bodies for irrigation purposes. Buoys will be placed in the waterways during the restriction duration. Water restrictions begin April 30, 2108 and will end 30 days later on May 30, 2018. When the buoys are removed from the water bodies, it will be safe to use the water for irrigation purposes. Area residents may also be contacted by Aquatic Weed Staff who will be in the area providing information. If residents affected by this notice have questions or need additional information, please call Charlotte County Aquatic Weed Control at 941-764-4370 between the hours of 08:00 AM and 3:00 PM.
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Crash sends one to the hospital

STAFF REPORT

NORTH PORT — A crash along West Price and North Sumter boulevards sent one man to the hospital on Wednesday afternoon.

The crash occurred at around 5:45 p.m., when the driver of a tow truck struck a white Mercedes sedan at the intersection, North Port

Police reports show.

According NPPD reports, the driver of the tow truck said the light was green for him at the intersection, and the Mercedes "came out of nowhere."

Witnesses said that the driver of the Mercedes crossing Sumter Boulevard had a green light, reports show.

At the time of the crash, witnesses said the driver of the tow truck ran a red light.

The driver of the Mercedes was transported to Sarasota Memorial Hospital Main Campus with non-life threatening injuries. The driver of the tow truck was unhurt, but was cited for running the light.

Brush fire closes Washington Loop Road

A brush fire closed down Washington Loop Road near Duncan Road around 3:30 p.m. Thursday. The fire was five to seven acres when crews arrived but quickly gained ground, reaching between 50 and 75 acres at its peak. One residential home was threatened, but firefighters quickly protected it. No structures were damaged. The cause of the fire was unknown as of Thursday evening.

The Charlotte County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests:

• Michael Douglas Scovil, 51, of Venice. Charge: violation of probation. Bond: none.

• Cameron Timothy Arnold, 24, of Tampa. Charge: out of county warrant. Bond: none.

• Howard Carl Walker, 41, of Sarasota. Charges: engaging in contracting business without certification and grand theft of property more than \$300 but less than \$5,000. Bond: \$7,000.

• Remy Gianni Johnson, 18, of Annapolis Lane, Rotonda West. Charges: battery, robbery by sudden snatching with no firearm or weapon and petty theft second degree first offense. Bond: \$8,000.

• Luther Andrew Ray, 53, homeless of Punta Gorda. Charge: resisting an officer without violence. Bond: \$2,000.

• Jason Ray Bennett, 31, 11400 block of 5th Ave., Punta Gorda. Charge: violation of probation. Bond: none.

• Charles Bullock, 24, 11500 block of Tamiami Trail, Punta Gorda. Charge: convicted felon fails to register. Bond: \$1,000.

• Jessica Lynn Morrison, 27, 8200 block of Roy Drive, Punta Gorda. Charges: failure to appear, underlying charge and violation of probation. Bond: none.

• Steven Yauger, 17, 6000 block of Golf Course Blvd., Punta Gorda. Charges: possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance without a prescription. Bond: none (released to parent/guardian).

• James Joseph Culotta, 45, homeless of Port Charlotte. Charge: trespass failure to leave property upon order by owner. Bond: \$2,000.

• Jerilee Doyle, 52, homeless of Port Charlotte. Charge: trespass failure to leave property upon order by owner. Bond: \$2,000.

• Brittney Fallon Radil, 29, homeless of Port Charlotte. Charges: introduction of contraband into county detention facility, two counts of possession of a controlled substance without a prescription and possession of drug paraphernalia. Bond: none.

• Jacob Cecil Fuhlman, 43, 4000 block of Conestoga St., Port Charlotte. Charge: petty theft first degree property \$100 to under \$300. Bond: \$2,000.

• Marc Anthony Delgado, 19, 2100 block of Mistle Toe Lane, North Port. Charge: violation of probation. Bond: none.

• Curtis Wilbert McKay Jr., 70, 2100 block of South Biscayne Drive, North

POLICE BEAT

The information for Police Beat is gathered from police, sheriff's office, Florida Highway Patrol, jail and fire records. Not every arrest leads to a conviction and guilt or innocence is determined by the court system.

Port. Charges: failure of defendant on bail to appear on misdemeanor and two underlying charges. Bond: \$12,500.

• Jonathan Nieves, 35, 3400 block of Junction St., North Port. Charge: out of county warrant. Bond: \$3,000.

• Tammy Lynn Darnell Darley, 52, 6700 block of Carovel Ave., North Port. Charges: possession of a controlled substance without a prescription and possession of drug paraphernalia. Bond: \$7,000.

• Andrew Chase Brandt, 25, of Jamestown Ave., Englewood. Charge: nonsupport of dependents. Bond: \$324.

• Teresa Jean Lessa, 44, 3100 block of Quail Court, Englewood. Charges: knowingly driving while license suspended or revoked, possession of not more than 20 grams of marijuana, introduction of contraband into county detention facility, possession of a controlled substance without a prescription and possession of drug paraphernalia. Bond: \$16,000.

• Natalie Margaret Roberts, 36, of Daytona Beach. Charge: violation of probation. Bond: none.

• Gavin Aaron Jones, 19, 500 block of San Ambrosia St., Punta Gorda. Charges: possession of not more than 20 grams of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia and tampering with or fabricating physical evidence. Bond: \$9,000.

• Priscilla Lin Stryder, 45, 200 block of Martin Drive NE, Port Charlotte. Charges: possession of a controlled substance without a prescription and possession of drug paraphernalia. Bond: \$7,000.

• Natalio Regino-Santiago, 29, of Kelly, North Carolina. Charge: operating a motor vehicle without a valid license. Bond: \$1,000.

• Robert Burrill Blume, 28, homeless of Englewood. Charges: convicted felon fails to register, possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance without a prescription. Bond: \$8,000.

• William Joseph Larson III, 30, 1600 block of Maryknoll Road, Englewood.

Charges: knowingly driving while license suspended or revoked and failure to have motor vehicle liability insurance. Bond: \$2,000.

The Punta Gorda Police Department reported the following arrests:

• Jeffrey James Bateman, 45, 1400 block of Paxton Terrace, Port Charlotte. Charges: possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of not more than 20 grams of marijuana. Bond: \$5,000.

• Tony Trong Le, 52, 300 block of Royal Poinciana, Punta Gorda. Charge: possession of cocaine. Bond: \$5,000.

The Sarasota County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests:

• Shawn Chase, 34, 2400 block of Haven St., Port Charlotte. Charges: grand theft of a vehicle and grand

theft. Bond: none.
• Nichole Coppersmith, 38, 1300 block of Whispering Lane, Osprey. Charge: obtaining property through fraud. Bond: \$1,500.

• Holly Major, 26, 9200 block of Anita Ave., Englewood. Charges: grand theft of a vehicle, possession of ecstasy, possession of Adderall, two counts of possession of a controlled substance without a prescription, possession or use of narcotics equipment and driving with a suspended license. Bond: \$8,500.

• Cheryl Miller, 51, 500 block of Argus Road, Venice. Charge: probation violation (original charge: battery on a person 65 years or older). Bond: none.

• Ryan Pastorek, 32, 800 block of Tangelo Road, Venice. Charge: contempt of court (original charges: smuggling contraband into a detention facility and possession or use of narcotics equipment). Bond: \$25,000.

• Sarah Pazdro, 25, 300 block of E. Mount Vernon Drive, Venice. Charge: probation violation (original charges: uttering forged bills and exposing an elderly disability). Bond: none.

• Grzegorz Pazdro, 36, 300 block of E. Mount Vernon Drive, Venice. Charge: probation violation (original charges: possession of cocaine and driving with a suspended license). Bond: none.

• Adan Sandoval-Lopez, 27, 200 block of Glen Oak Road, Venice. Charge: aggravated battery when the offender knew the victim was pregnant. Bond: none.

• Brian Sedita, 51, 900 block of E. Desirade, Venice. Charge: Manatee County issued warrant for violation of probation (original charge: burglary of an unoccupied structure). Bond: none.

• Henry Ware, 29, 5700 block of Francook Drive, North Port. Charges: four counts of probation violation (original charges: four counts of burglary of an unoccupied structure, two counts of grand theft and two counts of grand theft of a firearm). Bond: none.

• Angel Escobar-Perez, 26, 100 block of Jessica St., Nokomis. Charge: driving with a suspended license. Bond: \$120.

The North Port Police Department reported the following arrests:

• John Stallsmith, 26, 1000 block of Ohana Way, North Port. Charge: driving without a valid license. Bond: \$120.

• Cody Thomas, 33, 2100 block of S. San Mateo Drive, North Port. Charge: conditional release violation for violating protection against domestic violence. Bond: none.

The Florida Highway Patrol Venice Unit reported the following arrest:

• Craig Rumph, 20, 500 block of Kumquat Court, Sarasota. Charges: possession of marijuana, possession of marijuana with the intent to sell, manufacture or deliver and two counts of possession or use of narcotics equipment. Bond: \$4,000.

— Compiled by Lauren Coffey and Anne Easker



SUN PHOTO BY ANDREA PRAEGITZER

On April 17, more than 30 boats damaged from Hurricane Irma continued to languish at a site at Fred C. Babcock/Cecil M. Webb Wildlife Management Area before they were removed earlier this week and taken to area landfills.

storage, destruction and disposal, as well as site restoration. "Currently, this effort is under budget, and FWC personnel have been diligently working to conduct these activities as economically as possible,"

said Klepper. Seventy-five percent of those costs should be eligible for federal reimbursement, he said. This year's hurricane season kicks off June 1. [Email: Apregitzer@sun-herald.com](mailto:Apregitzer@sun-herald.com)

New annex nearly ready for West County

By **STEVE REILLY**
STAFF WRITER

ENGLEWOOD — Charlotte County's new West County Annex building is nearly complete, and county officials and other offices are getting ready to move in.

The current West County Annex will be closed Friday, May 4, and Monday, May 7. County officials and other offices will move into the new building, located just behind the old annex at 6868 San Casa Drive.

The new annex will open for business Tuesday, May 8.

The new 18,900-square-foot, four-acre annex is replacing the 40-year-old, 12,000 square-foot annex. It will house the Charlotte County Tax Collectors office, which is where residents may renew license tags and obtain a driver's license. The county also reserved space in the new annex for the federally funded Women, Infants and Children (WIC) program

and the Center for Abuse & Rape Emergencies (CARE).

The free nonprofit Community Care Clinic isn't waiting and is already beginning its move into the new facility.

"We're thrilled," clinic executive director Beth Harrison said Thursday. "We're moving in this weekend."

The clinic won't have phone or Internet service initially, but its medical volunteers plan to serve their patients 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday and Thursday next week in the new annex.

The clinic has been operating in what had been a defunct state health clinic with less than 1,000 square feet. In the new annex, the clinic has been allotted 1,691 square feet that will include a dental examination room.

Charlotte County Tax Collector Vickie Potts has long looked forward to the new annex.

"It's the best thing that could happen for

us," Potts told the *Sun* in February.

Her office occupies 1,500 square feet in the old annex and will see its space expanded to 2,986 square feet in the new annex.

The tax collector's West County office serves more than 45,000 customers annually. People waiting to be served often have to sit on chairs in the hallway of the existing annex.

A second phase of the construction project calls for the demolition of the old annex and the construction of a new parking lot. Demolition on the old annex is scheduled to begin early in June and will take about three months to complete, including construction of the new parking lot.

Until the second phase is completed, visitors to the annex will have to park in the existing parking lot. Only handicapped parking will be available in front of the new annex.

The \$6.5-million



SUN PHOTO BY STEVE REILLY

Charlotte County plans to open its new West County Annex behind the old annex at 6868 San Casa Drive, Englewood. The existing annex will be closed Friday May 4 and Monday May 7.

construction project was funded with the county's 2014 1-percent infrastructure sales tax. "Since construction is not completed yet, we do not have numbers of how

much under budget we are," said Gary Burdahl, the county project manager overseeing the construction of the new annex.

"We are still under

budget though," Burdahl said Thursday.

The construction project is also being completed ahead of schedule.

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North Port historic, culture board in the works

By **LAUREN COFFEY**
STAFF WRITER

NORTH PORT — While North Port is just shy of 60 years old, the City Commission wants to ensure its culture and historic aspects are protected and represented.

The board has been a topic on the dais on-and-off for several years, which came to fruition at the latest City Commission meeting

late Tuesday night. The four commissioners present — Commissioner Chris Hanks had left the meeting at the time — unanimously approved the first reading of the ordinance, which will come back on May 8 for a second and final reading.

"This goes back to 2011 when I first tried to do this," Vice Mayor Linda Yates said. "Thank you public for sticking with us; it's got one more

reading and it's been a long time coming."

Several changes were requested of the board, which will consist of seven members.

The commissioners wanted to ensure three of those members were people from the general public. They also clarified no more than two members can be from the same category, which includes anthropology, conservation and

historic architecture. Four of the seven members need to be North Port residents.

Commissioner Jill Luke also wanted to make sure "cultural" was a consistent term used throughout the ordinance, alongside "historic."

"We're looking at our heritage through this advisory board," Luke said. "The heritage to rise up through this from the dirt, from the culture,

from the historical aspect. So we will see our heritage be known and be spread."

The City Commission had previously mentioned the use of a cultural and historic advisory board could be beneficial when it comes to the new direction of the Warm Mineral Springs land and building.

"Thank you for doing this, it is long overdue but that is not any of

your fault and I thank you for getting to it now," said Bill Goetz, vice president and chair of Friends of Little Salt Spring. "The city is really blessed with amazing cultural resources and the sooner we get this done, the sooner experts can advise staff."

The topic will be brought back up at the May 8 meeting, which is at 1 p.m. in the City Commission chambers. Email: lcoffey@sun-herald.com

COSBY

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an "a**hole" after the prosecutor asked that Cosby be immediately jailed because he was a flight risk.

The judge decided Cosby can remain free on bail while he awaits sentencing, but ordered him to remain confined to his home except for future court appearances. The judge also ordered Cosby to undergo a sexual predator assessment. No date for sentencing was set.

The accusations against Cosby posed a troubling juxtaposition for a public that grew up with his wholesome image cultivated over decades of putting out landmark family-friendly comedy albums, peddling pudding on TV and receiving the Kennedy Center honor in 1998. One of his most famous roles, however, was playing obstetrician Cliff Huxtable, the kindly and wise patriarch in "The Cosby Show" that ran in the 1980s and early '90s.

But in the intervening months, the #MeToo movement erupted, with scores of powerful men brought to account over charges of sexually harassing or assaulting women, often in the context of an implied threat to block victims' professional



AP PHOTO

Bill Cosby departs after his sexual assault trial, Thursday, at the Montgomery County Courthouse in Norristown, Pa.

advancement unless they submitted. The movement formed an explosive backdrop to what is viewed as the first criminal case to reach a conclusion in light of the #MeToo movement.

In Cosby's 2017 criminal trial, just one woman was allowed to testify to an episode similar to the 2004 assault that accuser Andrea Constand described — but that resulted in a hung jury. Prosecutors were more optimistic with this case as lawyers for Constand, now 45, were allowed to bring in five other women who told similar stories of being manipulated by Cosby into taking pills and then finding themselves immobilized and helpless to fight him off as he molested or raped them.

Cosby's legal team offered up a blistering

portrayal of Constand and the other accusers as opportunistic liars, and sought to undermine her credibility by producing a witness, a onetime roommate, who described hearing Constand muse about falsely accusing a famous man in order to win a big payoff. Early in the trial, the defense disclosed that Cosby had earlier paid Constand nearly \$3.4 million to settle a previously confidential civil claim.

Dennis McAndrews, a Philadelphia-based attorney who has been following the case, said the defense presented a "broader-based attack" than what was offered during the first trial. He said the strategy appeared to be designed to get at least one juror to hold out on convicting Cosby. To obtain a criminal conviction, decisions must be unanimous.

During the two-week trial, the prosecution denounced what it called the defense's attempt to shame the victims into silence, and depicted Cosby as a calculating assailant who believed his celebrity would shield him against lurid accounts of assault and coercion against women who trusted him and believed he could help them in their careers. Dozens of women have come forward to accuse him.

square feet remain.

County staff found the hotel "consistent with the intent of the Economic Center."

"The proposed hotel use will provide employment opportunities and provides walkable access to the Peachland Promenade Shopping Center, which is located across Peachland Boulevard to the south," a report for the commission

states. "It is therefore staff's professional opinion, the subject area contains residential and commercial general uses; a hotel development is compatible with the surrounding residential and commercial uses."

Donald Schrottenboer, president of PEG, could not be reached for comment.

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HOTEL

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The rest of the development includes a 500-unit apartment complex, with one-, two-, and three-bedroom apartments across from Peachland Promenades, as well as the commercial space, of which 130,560

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VIEWPOINT

OUR VIEW

Military museum marches into future

OUR POSITION: The Military Heritage Museum will shift its base of operations from Fishermen's Village to the IMPAC building. We believe it's a good move.

In the early days, the Military Heritage Museum did a lot of moving.

Two closets — one in an American Legion post and one in a VFW — formed its very first home about 20 years ago.

It was housed from 2001 to 2004 in an 850-square-foot unit toward the foot of Fishermen's Village — a location that bears no resemblance to its current site at the head of the Village, a popular dining and boutique shopping destination in Punta Gorda.

For three years, the museum occupied a storefront in a shopping center on Madrid Boulevard in Burnt Store Isles.

It finally landed in its current location in 2007. Since then, good things have been happening for both the museum and Fishermen's Village.

The museum operates on a \$200,000 annual budget. There's also a \$1 million endowment that matches the funds the museum raises itself. A couple of closets full of stuff have evolved into more than 20,000 artifacts, 4,000 literary titles and more than 1,000 documents — all carefully preserved and dotted over by 75 volunteers and staff.

It brings in 67,000 visitors a year — all potential customers for Fishermen's Village stores.

But now the time has come for the museum to move down the street and become the first tenant of the vacant IMPAC building, a 55,000-square-foot former business training center that Fishermen's Village bought last year.

The move still needs a positive recommendation from the Punta Gorda Planning Commission and City Council approval, permissions we urge.

Clearly, the move is a win-win.

From the perspective of the museum, it offers an opportunity for expansion. Plans call for the museum to occupy the entire first floor of the building, then later to operate a community theater in the building.

Kathleen Roth, the museum's interim executive director, spoke of the "increased connection" with veterans, visitors, donors and the local community.

The vision is to take the museum to the next level of technology by using holographs and "electronic docents" so people can take a self-guided tour of the museum.

For Fishermen's Village, it's the first step in revitalizing a long-vacant building, which was built in 1994. Eventually, 25 high-end boutique hotel rooms will be developed in a separate part of the IMPAC building.

"This is exciting for us with the benefits of having an empty building transformed, painted and repurposed into a wonderful place that the museum and the community will be proud of," Fishermen's Village general manager Patti Allen said.

Allen said there are plans to promote the museum by operating a shuttle service between Fishermen's Village and the museum's new location.

A timeline for the move has not been set, but the hope is it will happen this summer — in time for the new snowbird season.

"It will be a world-class museum," Allen said.

Roth said the museum's mission is to "educate. ... That's what we do. We tell the big stories through the little stories, connecting the visitor to history."

The museum will continue to tell those stories as a page is turned in its own.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Students showed courage by rallying

Editor:

Kudos to Port Charlotte High School student leader Sabrina Salovitz and other students who "took the bull by the horns!" Cutting classes, they risked serious academic consequences by their school system, in order to rally against gun violence in schools.

Kudos also for student leader Lianna Hubbard and her group from Florida South Western Collegiate. Unfortunately, I was unable to go to her rally in Punta Gorda to hear her speak.

I admire the courage of all students who take a stand regardless of adverse consequences, unlike some of our fearful congressional and state representatives who are beholden to the NRA.

On that same day of the rallies, there was another school shooting. When will it ever end?

Please readers, let us protect school students. Vote to cast out all assault rifles!

Tony Battisra
Port Charlotte

Thanks for saving programs for seniors

Editor:

You made it happen! Back in October, we penned a letter to this newspaper, asking you to reach out to your legislators and lend your support to the SHINE program. And you did.

Thanks to you, the Federal government has funded SHINE for another year. SHINE (Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders) is a vital program for seniors and adults with disabilities. It provides free, unbiased, and personalized assistance to Medicare beneficiaries. Last year in Southwest Florida, more than 9,400 folks received assistance from SHINE to choose the right Medicare plan, help with claims and appeals, and apply for discounts and savings programs.

You rescued this vital program from the budget chopping block. Your letters, phone calls and petitions saved SHINE for another year.

Thanks also to our 60-plus

SHINE counselors/volunteers who assist Medicare beneficiaries year-round. Their commitment to providing this important program is unmatched, and we appreciate all that they give to SHINE.

But while we celebrate a 2018 victory, we've already learned that SHINE and all other state health insurance assistance programs will be in for another tough fight in 2019. We at the Area Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida hope that you will once again join us and advocate for the SHINE program when the time comes again.

With 10,000 baby boomers becoming eligible for Medicare every day, SHIP programs like SHINE will continue to be vital for years to come.

Marianne Lorini
President & CEO
Area Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida

Aviation experience a plus for board

Editor:

Ever hear the story about Tammany Hall? If not, then Google it. It would appear that the political machine in Charlotte County is trying to form its own Tammany Hall and plant people with little or no experience into key roles that they, the puppet masters, can then pull the strings.

Two seats are up for election on the Charlotte County Airport Board and one candidate has virtually no aviation experience other than getting on an airplane and flying to another airport. Why would a physical therapist pick the Charlotte County Airport Board to run as her first foray into politics? Rob Hancik is the most experienced board member elected! Having managed an airport in Springfield, Missouri before he retired. He has been known to ask the "hard" questions even if the questions are not popular. During his tenure on the board, Hancik has been instrumental in the tremendous growth of our airport and proven his dedication to both the Airport Authority and the general aviation community.

Another candidate, Stan Smith is running against Kathy Coppola, a board member who has served past her time. It would be nice to see another member on the board with airline/aviation experience uninfluenced by Allegiant. Stan Smith understands airports and aviation problems having retired as a captain with United Airlines and knows about schedules, funding, revenue generation and general aviation problems.

David Stern
Cape Coral

Democrats can't accept defeat

Editor:

My greatest fear is nuclear war — therefore I was extremely relieved to read in the Saturday "News Wire" edition that North Korea has suspended nuclear missile testing. This has been accomplished during the present Trump administration.

On the other hand, not only disappointment but outrage at the news of Dems suing the Trump campaign, Russia and Wikileaks over alleged election conspiracy. I guess the Hillary Clinton supporters and the Democrats never learned to accept defeat gracefully and be a good loser.

Phyllis Robertson
Rotonda West

Rick Scott TV ad tries to trick us

Editor:

Rick Scott appears in an ad on TV, prompting term limits for Congress. The ad appears to be the start of his race for U.S. Senate against our current senator, Bill Nelson, the former astronaut.

In his ad he says, "there are over 41,000 zip codes in the United States, and in all but one of them, they want term limits for Congress. That zip code is Washington, D.C."

I have some questions. Question # 1, Which of the almost 300 zip codes for Washington, D.C., is Rick talking about?

Question # 2, Who is the "they" in the other 41,000-plus zip codes? Is it a majority of the people in each zip code or just a few people?

Question # 3, Who conducted the over 41,000-plus individual polls in each zip code, to determine the desire of those residents/voters in each, on the question of term limits?

Inquiring minds want to know, is Rick trying to trick us into believing something that is not true?

Don Ferguson
Englewood

Hillary cartoon showed her issues

Editor:

The public shaming of "Hillary" (March 18, Sun Viewpoint cartoon), "I didn't win the election because white married women don't stand up to the men in their lives." It was indeed poignant from her misandry view (i.e., hatred/contempt of men). Kudos to the free press for this cartoon. Watching her humiliate herself with her book(s) and speeches is sad. Imagine her as U.S. President. Has she broken down or what?

Well boys, is it time to fight the #metoo with a #whomoi?
Alan P. Lessman
Punta Gorda

Thanks to those who came to my aid

Editor:

To whom it may concern, I would like to thank the people who helped me when I fell in Manasota Key parking lot March 21. First, there was a gentleman named Steve who saw me fall in the parking block. He came over and asked if I was alright, I told him no that I had hurt my nose.

Then another man came, in the meantime my husband arrived from bathroom, then a nurse came, I had cut my nose and scraped my ankle and knee. They all asked my husband if he needed help in getting me up. As my husband has a bad back they helped get me up and into our Blue SUV. Nephew had gone to look for someone with a first aid kit, and brought back Lifeguard.

So to all these kind helpful people my husband and I want to thank you very much.

Helen & Charlie Russo
Englewood

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ICE and the bitter fruit of dehumanization

The attitude of President Trump toward federal law enforcement is, to put it mildly, mixed. The FBI refused to bend to his will. So it is comprised of “hardened Democrats” engaged in a “WITCH HUNT.” The FBI was, according to Trump, too preoccupied with the Russia investigation to prevent the Parkland, Florida, school shooting. Its reputation “is in Tatters — worst in History!”



Michael Gerson

rule. The agency that defies the ruler must be discredited. The agency that does his bidding is viewed as a kind of Praetorian Guard.

Most of the professionals working in ICE would surely deny this characterization, pointing to an important legal role independent from any individual president. But they need to understand that their work is now being conflated with Trump's nativism.

ICE's 40 percent increase in arrests within the country after Trump took office is now closely associated with the president's political priorities. His sweeping executive orders on immigration broadened

the focus of enforcement beyond serious threats to public order. Arrests of immigrants without criminal convictions have spiked dramatically. Routine “check-ins” with ICE officials can end with handcuffs and deportation. “Sanctuary cities” — a recurring presidential political obsession — are being targeted with additional personnel. Hundreds of children have been removed from parents seeking asylum and detained separately — compounding their terrible ordeal of persecution and flight. ICE recently announced a new policy that makes it easier to detain pregnant women. Asylum seekers have often been denied “humanitarian parole” while their cases are decided, effectively jailing them without due process.

Officials of the agency insist their nonpolitical mandate hasn't changed. But Homan has praised the Trump administration for taking “the handcuffs

off law enforcement.” Whatever their intention, ICE agents are being used by the president to send a message of callousness. And they are tying themselves to Trump's political fortunes in the process.

The job performed by ICE is essential to American security, and not easy. Agents must prevent some truly dangerous people from entering and staying in the country — gang members, drug dealers and terrorists. But it is also their job to deal with asylum seekers — men, women and children fleeing from gangs, targeted for death by drug cartels and oppressed by terrorist states. Some of the worst people in the world, and some of the most sympathetic people in the world, are processed by immigration officials. It takes care and discernment to make this distinction.

ICE is not currently an agency famous for its care and discernment. In

releasing an immigration activist detained by ICE early this year, U.S. District Judge Katherine B. Forrest said, “It ought not to be — and it has never before been — that those who have lived without incident in this country for years are subjected to treatment we associate with regimes we revile as unjust. ... We are not that country.”

Accusations of abuse in ICE custody are numerous and serious, and they pre-existed the Trump era. An investigation by ProPublica and the Philadelphia Inquirer reported cases of racial profiling, fabricated evidence and warrantless searches — all given little scrutiny by overwhelmed immigration courts. During the last few years, there have been hundreds of accusations of sexual abuse, racial slurs, abusive strip searches and verbal harassment in ICE jails, prisons and detention centers. For an institution that

claims “zero tolerance” for such practices, it seems to get a lot of serious complaints. One asylum seeker, Gretta Soto Moreno, has called the facilities worse than normal prisons because ICE “feels like it can treat immigrants any kind of way.”

This is the bitter fruit of dehumanization — in a facility, in a system, in a country. It is unclear if Trump would even regard such a reputation as undesirable. He has effectively given permission for bullying.

This is an issue ripe for more rigorous congressional oversight — even an independent commission to investigate charges of physical and sexual abuse in the ICE system. But this would require a critical mass of elected Republicans to give a damn about the rights and dignity of migrants. It is a distant dream.

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A story of the haves and the have-not-as-much

Sometimes it seems as though government at every level only listens to those with deep pockets.



Harvey Goldstein

side of I-75 that protects Kings Gate, a development owned by the Benderson Corporation.

It is interesting that the only sound study was done in 2004, just after Hurricane Charley, and it was a computer simulation. No actual sound readings were taken. At that time there

were almost no homes constructed on the Benderson side of I-75.

A wall for Deep Creek was rejected even after members of the Deep Creek sound mitigation committee submitted decibel readings in Deep Creek far in excess of state and federal environmental standards.

Finally, citizens of Deep Creek decided on another method. They had access to a study done at the University of Michigan that demonstrated that a stand of Bamboo, like plantings, could mitigate the sound if planted next to the interstate. Since Deep Creek owns a 40-foot

right of way adjacent to the interstate, the thought was that planting clumping Bamboo in that 3,000-plus-foot-long area would reduce the sound pollution that affects Deep Creek, and also negatively affects property values. The bamboo would grow to 40 feet in height, and would provide a significant reduction in the sound that is now reflected from the wall that was built on the west side of I-75 to protect the Benderson property.

Amazingly, the chairman of the Deep Creek Committee found that every part of that area was listed as Scrub Jay lots. I find it stunning that an

area immediately adjacent to I-75 would be attractive to Scrub Jays. Also, every lot east of Rio De Janeiro Boulevard in Deep Creek Sec. 23 is considered a scrub jay territory! This includes the entire area of Deep Creek Golf Course as well.

This kind of biased classification may cause expenses that would preclude any sound mitigation by a bamboo barrier.

Surprisingly, just across I-75, not one square inch of the Benderson property are classified as Scrub Jay lots. Not even one inch of the golf course there. Amazing it seems that scrub jays are unable to

fly across I-75. If I was a conspiracy theorist, I might think that the deep pocket Benderson Corporation might have “convinced” state or federal bureaucrats to exclude their property from scrub jay limitations.

Is there a solution? Only if our state and federal representatives step up to the plate to protect middle class citizens from the over reach of bureaucrats instead of meekly submitting to the demands of rich corporations. We as free citizens have the power to demand from our elected officials that our property values also count!

A showcase of the vilest and noblest manifestations of humanity

As the museum of human nature, aka the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, marks its 25th anniversary, it continues to receive artifacts, such as a letter handwritten on a yellow scrap of paper. It was donated to the museum by Frank Grunwald, 85, who lives in Indianapolis.



George Will

happened, it was our destiny. We did what we could. Stay healthy and remember my words that time will heal — if not completely — then — at least partially. Take care of the little golden boy and don't spoil him too much with your love. Both of you — stay healthy, my dear ones. I will be thinking of you and Misa. Have a fabulous life, we must board the trucks. Into eternity, Vilma.”

So, the museum presents human nature's noblest as well as vilest manifestations. It has received 43 million visitors, 90 percent non-Jewish, many of whom have had opportunities to talk to survivors, such as Fanny Aizenberg, who in her 102nd year still comes most Sundays. Located just off the Mall, one of the world's most pleasant urban spaces and the epicenter of American politics, the museum inflicts an assaultive, excruciating knowing: Nothing — *nothing* — is unthinkable, and political institutions by themselves provide no permanent safety from barbarism, which permanently lurks beneath civilization's thin, brittle crust.

This is why the Holocaust is the dark

sun into which this democracy should peer. Calling the Holocaust unfathomable is a moral flinch from facts that demand scholarship, which the museum enables. It has, for example, more than 900 video interviews with witnesses and collaborators. And perpetrators, such as Juozas Aleksynas, a member of a Lithuanian police battalion that committed genocide in Belarus in 1941:

“We were issued Russian guns and bullets ... some were exploding bullets. ... A person's skull opens up so fast. ... They would carry children — the little ones — they'd take the others by the hand. They lie down, lay the child next to them. ... First you shoot the father.

... How would the father feel if the child was shot by his side?”

An album found long ago in an abandoned SS barracks contains photos of Auschwitz guards and administrators at leisure — singing, picnicking. It includes some of the few pictures of a short, dark-haired man -- Dr. Josef Mengele, who escaped prosecution for his “medical” experiments, drowning in 1979 while swimming in Brazil.

In his mind-opening 2017 book “Why? Explaining the Holocaust,” Peter Hayes says the subject “continues to resist comprehension.” Resist, but not defy. His many conclusions include the awesome — for better or worse — power of individual agency: No

Hitler, no Holocaust. But Hitler began tentatively, with small measures. Hayes concludes his book with a German proverb: *Wehret den Anfängen* — beware the beginnings.

Today, there is an essentially fascist government in Hungary. Anti-Semitism is coming out of the closet: The Labour Party, which might form Britain's next government, is riddled with it, from the top down. Blood-and-soil tribalism — degenerate successor to throne-and-altar conservatism — is fermenting across Europe. And there is a name for

what is happening to the Rohingya in Myanmar: genocide. The museum of human nature remains what it would prefer not to be: pertinent to understanding not only the past but the present.

How do those who work at the museum, immersed in the task of making us remember the unspeakable, maintain their emotional equilibrium? By also remembering Vilma.

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Babcock Ranch offers Lee County 2,250 acres valued at \$23.6M

By Bill Smith
NEWS-PRESS

Making good on promises made at a series of community meetings, the developer of Babcock Ranch has offered to sell 2,250 coveted acres to Lee County's 20/20 program.

Kitson and Partners LLC has filed an application to sell the land to the county preservation program. It is owned by the company's Babcock Property Holdings subsidiary.

Babcock Ranch developer Syd Kitson told Lee County audiences during a series of community meetings last year that the site would be offered to the county once approval was in hand for the 4,157 acres of Babcock ranch located in the county.

County Commissioners granted Kitson the comprehensive plan and zoning changes needed to build the Lee County portion of Babcock Ranch at a meeting several weeks ago.

Kitson Senior Vice President Gary Nelson has projected the value of the site at \$10,500 per acre. At that price, the parcel would total \$23,625,000. However, county procedures for a large land acquisition require multiple appraisals to be conducted.

Last year's \$42.4 million purchase of the Edison Farms property east of Interstate 75 was based on three appraisals. The property is adjacent to the county-owned Bob Janes Preserve, which consists of 5,620.37 acres acquired for \$41.5 million nearly 12 years ago. The cost per acre for the Janes Preserve was \$7,390.72. At that price, the 2,250 Babcock Ranch acres offered to the county would cost about \$16.6 million.

The land offered to the 20/20 program includes 497 acres on which development has been approved.

Babcock's offer is contingent on the county agreeing to allow the 1,630 units that could have been built on a slice of the property to be placed on another part of the Babcock Ranch property.

"There would be no homes on the eastern-most pods that were in the development application, instead those units, that density, would move to the western portion of the site," said Tina Matte, a spokeswoman for Babcock Ranch. In setting a value for the property, Kitson has offered to value the land based on what it is worth without the development

entitlement Babcock Ranch was granted by the county.

Essentially, the land is being offered to the county at a discount.

"This is entitled land, and entitled land has a higher value," Matte said. "Syd felt that by using that raw land price rather than an entitled land price, it would be more fair to the county and to the 20/20 program."

The county's 20/20 fund has about \$42 million in the bank, but that includes funding for maintenance and improvements to the existing preservation land.

Kitson & Partners bought the 91,000-acre Babcock Ranch in 2006 and later sold 73,000 acres to the state for preservation.

Lee County Commissioner Frank Mann, who has voted against the Babcock Ranch development in his district at every opportunity, takes a positive look at acquiring the conservation property.

For one thing, Mann said, the land is adjacent to the Bob Janes Preserve, a 5,620-acre property that he has commended as a water recharge and wildlife habitat area. For another, he notes that it makes the preserve accessible to North Fort Myers.

"I was always hopeful that we would someday add it because it is immediately adjacent to the Bob Janes Preserve," Mann said. "This would just expand the Bob Janes right up against North River Road in North Fort Myers."

The parcel is the same property on which Kitson and the county attempted to negotiate a 20/20 sale more than a decade ago. That deal fell apart because appraisals were based on comparable sales that did not reflect the drop in real estate values in the county after the start of the Great Recession.

Nelson said that a recent sale of 430 acres to Florida Power & Light for \$10,800 justifies the \$10,500 per acre valuation for the Babcock property.

In the run-up to the county commission vote to approve the project, Kitson held meetings and was repeatedly asked about the 20/20 donation.

"We did a lot of public outreach, in Alva, in North Olga and in Bayshore and at every single one of those meetings at least one person said 'are you going to offer those eastern pods to 20/20,'" Matte said. "Syd said 'I will when we get through this process' so this is really him keeping a

promise that he made to the neighbors."

The chair of eYes on 20/20, a citizens group created to support the conservation program, said it would be a good addition.

"We have always believed that is an important parcel, it would be great if the county could get its hands on it," said eYes on 20/20's Barbara Manzo. "It's a valuable piece of property, we would support that purchase, absolutely."

The offer to negotiate the sale of the property comes as commissioners grapple with future funding for the 20/20 program. The 20/20 fund is supposed to be maintained at \$40 million in reserves. A big purchase such as the Babcock parcel could make money tight for maintenance and buying additional property.

Commissioner Larry Kiker has suggested keeping a running balance of \$40 million plus a 20 percent overage in the fund. Renewed funding for the program depends on the largess of commissioners, who are in the midst of discussions about how, when and by how much to replenish the 20/20 account. County staff is expected to make a recommendation at a commission work session next month.

The county has committees working on the 20/20 program that have had a difficult time making a quorum over the past year.

It also still needs to be reviewed by county staff. "There's a lot of work to be done," said Betsy Clayton, county spokeswoman.

The April meeting of the Conservation 20/20 Land Acquisition and Stewardship Advisory Committee, which evaluates potential sites, was canceled when a quorum could not be reached. Meetings have been repeatedly canceled over the past year. Commissioners appoint members to the committee, which has significant membership from both developers and conservationists. Commission Chairman Cecil Pendergrass recently speculated that the county has "almost exhausted" potential 20/20 sites.

An 84 percent majority of county voters reaffirmed the program last year, 20 years after a nonbinding referendum helped launched the program, which has made 130 purchases, setting aside 29,000 acres for conservation.

COMMUNITY NEWS BRIEF

Save our History Events

The Punta Gorda History Center and Punta Gorda Historical Society will welcome the public to two events during the annual Giving Challenge. On May 1 at the Punta Gorda Woman's Club at 118 Sullivan St., from noon to 8 p.m., there will be a fun day with free hot dogs, popcorn, baked goods, games, music, crafts and more. Enjoy the day and learn most about Punta Gorda's past.

On May 2 at the Punta Gorda History Center at 512 E. Grace St, from

8 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. there will be a History Trivia Breakfast. You can join other history buffs for a light breakfast and two rounds of historic trivia with prizes.

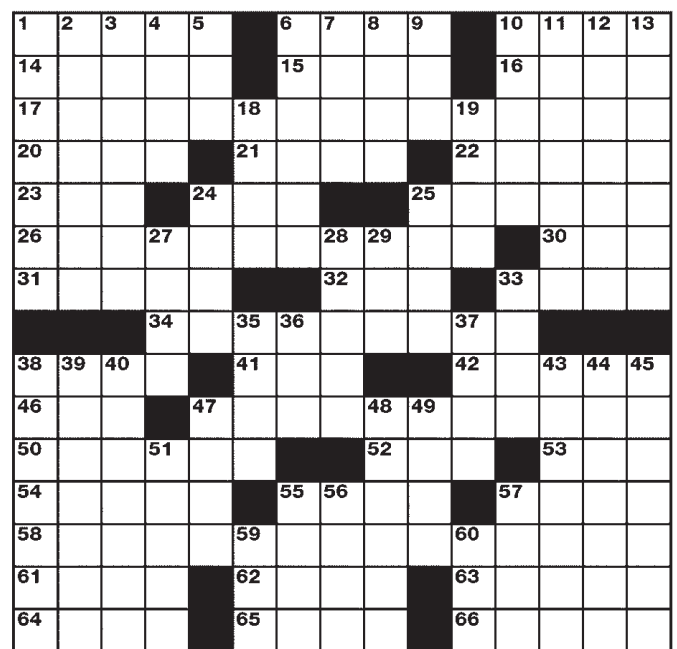
Donations to the Punta Gorda History Center and Punta Gorda Historical Society are requested, but not required to participate. During these two days donations from \$25 to \$100 through the Giving Challenge will be matched by the Patterson Foundation 1:1. The Historical Society needs to make major repairs to many of the roofs of the buildings they

are preserving including the one on the historic Woman's Club Building. The History Center is working to preserve and make accessible for research and to the public the vast Vernon Peoples Collection and other Punta Gorda History collections which would be lost to future generations if not preserved and indexed. Direct donations to either organization can be made online from noon to noon May 1 and 2 at giving-partnerchallenge.org and entering the name of the organization to which you wish to donate. For more information, call 941-916-8800 or 941-258-2080.

Newsday Crossword

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- ACROSS**
1 Chin locales
6 Hang-up
10 Engagement, for short
14 Lucy's landlady
15 Opposite of "enhance"
16 Novelist Roberts
17 Quirk of BRING/BUY/CATCH/FIGHT/SEEK/TEACH/THINK, part 1
20 Cause for complaint
21 Pond's competitor
22 Halves of matching sets
23 Overfamiliar, as a one-liner
24 Mrs. Lennon
25 Austin Powers adversary
26 Quirk, part 2
30 Up to, in verse
31 Wheel alignment
32 Maintenance machine
33 Exploitations
34 It may be felt in Westerns
38 Out of luck
41 Symbol of sturdiness
42 ___ loading (racer's ritual)
46 Pinch preceder
47 Quirk, part 3
50 Moon of Mars
52 Agcy. with auditors
53 Sports tour operator
54 Parts of gables
55 It's surrounded by *agua*
57 "Not so fast!"
58 Quirk, part 4
61 Bart's bus driver
- DOWN**
1 Fast ferry
2 Shakespearean general
3 Cajole
4 10th-century explorer
5 Type of digital camera
6 Synagogue salutation
7 Exploratory agency
8 Ostentatious
9 Setting at the BBC
10 Boutros-Ghali successor
11 Certain "Sign Here" stickers
12 Early arrival, informally
13 Loafer ornaments
18 Small mount
19 Give forth
24 Shout of distress
25 A great deal
27 Steves of travel prose
28 Call forth
29 What the Norse call a "fjord"
33 Lowest median-age state
35 Apt rhyme for "pursues"
36 Successor of 10 Down
37 They may be disappearing
38 Supplementary poker pile
39 Find by great effort
40 Innocent nature
43 Meals
44 Seed of a business breakthrough
45 Speaking skill
47 Tip of a spout
48 Gretzky NHL team
49 Male or female nickname
51 Particle with a quark
55 Checklist component
56 Checklist component
57 Sprinkles
59 Bulls run for it
60 *Glee* cheerleading coach



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Los Angeles Times Daily Crossword Puzzle

Edited by Rich Norris and Joyce Lewis

- ACROSS**
1 Short shots?
5 Toque wearer
9 Tenth of a grand
14 "Quickly!"
15 Quasimodo's creator
16 Conifer with durable wood
17 Bishop in bed?
20 Mid-70s cost to mail a typical letter
21 Wears down
22 Veracious
23 Enliven
24 "I happen to have a deck of cards right here?"
28 "___ Rose Has Its Thorn": Poison hit
29 Bashes
30 "So there!"
33 Focusing aid
34 "Under the Redwoods" author
36 Valley
37 "Good Behavior" broadcaster
38 High spot on a farm
39 Radio station, e.g.
40 Fake lawyer?
43 Nooks
46 Get behind, with "for"
47 Immature insects
48 Indicates
52 Software service provided by hardware sellers ... and a hint to three long puzzle answers
54 Lacks
55 Bad thing to take in a ring
56 Rim
57 Beasts of burden
58 Gravity-propelled toy
59 Seven ___
- DOWN**
1 Historian's field
2 Archipelago
3 Normandy city
4 Ghosts
5 Calisthenic exercise
6 Fox pursuer
7 What some poachers poach
8 Metrosexual
9 Priests, e.g.
10 Biblical dancer
11 Milan-based fashion house
12 Work for a chamber group
13 What we have here
18 Matthew who led a 19th-century expedition to Japan
19 Alter, in a way, as a file
23 "___ lot of good that'll do you"
24 Bombard
25 Roasting site
26 Canterbury's county
27 Mistake
30 Wist with cash or candy
31 Away from the wind
32 German title
34 Staff exanders
35 Multinational range
36 Sets for some 43-Across
38 Learned experts
39 Company name inspired by a volcano
40 Like oxen
41 Gradually develop
42 Labored
43 Highest-ranking
44 "___ Theme": "Doctor Zhivago" melody
45 Salad green
48 Gardening aid
49 Aspect
50 Roman robe
51 Small tip components
53 NFL stat

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Thursday's Puzzle Solved



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LOCAL SPORTS

BASEBALL: Charlotte 10, Inspiration Academy 5

Ten-run inning pushes Tarpons past Lions

By **CHUCK BALLARO**
SUN CORRESPONDENT

PUNTA GORDA — It happens all the time in baseball — a pitcher who has dominated leaves the game, giving the opposition a jolt of relief and confidence as they batter the relievers and rally to win.

That was the case for the Charlotte High School baseball team as it rallied from a 5-0 deficit for 10 runs in the sixth inning for a 10-5 win in the team's season finale against Inspiration Academy of Bradenton.

Most impressive about the comeback was how the Tarpons did it, with pinch hitters and junior varsity players, not to mention the help of the Lions, who committed three errors that inning.

Charlotte (17-7) got next to nothing going off Lions starter Steven Colon, who allowed a walk and three hits in five innings while striking out 11.

"(Colon) was amazing tonight. We've played them before but we didn't know they had that arm," Charlotte coach Lavell Cudjo said. "He kept us off balance and we couldn't



Charlotte's Dustin Thomas makes an out at second base against Inspiration Academy.

even get runners on."

Lucas Hartman came in and retired the first batter, but when Aaron Martins' routine grounder to second was muffed, the complexion of the game changed. Kyle Machado singled and then pinch-hitter Tyler McQueen reached on an error by Hartman to allow the first run to score.

Pinch-hitter John Dominguez walked to load the bases. After a strikeout, JV player Hal Turner came off the bench

and drove in two with a single and Garrett Dunson also singled to cut the lead to 5-4.

After an infield single by pinch-hitter Justin Hinchey, Bryce Hayse walked to tie the game and Aaron Martins' grounder off the plate for an infield single gave Charlotte the lead.

Two more bases-loaded walks and a throwing error gave Charlotte its "bracket" inning and fifth straight win as it heads to North Port and districts

next week, to try for the win that really matters.

For Turner, who made his varsity debut in that sixth inning, his couldn't have started his varsity career any better than with a hit that flipped the batting order.

"I got in because we were losing and he put all the JV and bench kids in. I don't think he was expecting a 10-run inning, but he was glad he did it," Turner said. "I saw the infield was holding the runner on and I tried to



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Charlotte's Cam Kroch throws out a pitch to Inspiration Academy during the Tarpons home game on Wednesday evening.

hit it in the right side of the field and put it in the hole."

The Lions (7-21) got 11 hits off the first two Charlotte pitchers, Cameron Koch and Jake Guthridge, both JV pitchers. Guthridge pitched three innings of relief to get the win.

Josiah Clark had a single, triple and three runs scored for the Lions.

Rob Arakel had two hits and a run, while Anthony Westbrook drove in two.

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Steven Colon, Lucas Hartman (6), Aaron Combs (6), Fin Prosser (6) and Anthony Westbrook, Cameron Koch, Jake Guthridge (4), Bryce Hayse (7) and Aaron Martins. WP: Guthridge LP: Combs. Top hitters: Kyle Machado (CH) 3-4, 2 runs, Josiah Clark (IA) 2-3, 3B, 3 runs. Records: IA 7-21, Charlotte 17-7.

PREP TENNIS: Regional Tournament

Mantas fall in opening round of Regionals

By **VINNIE PORTELL**
SPORTS WRITER

ENGLEWOOD — Even though Harry Trismen is new to coaching high school tennis and inherited a roster with no senior players, the Lemon Bay boys tennis team picked up right where it left off after its 2017 District Championship, winning a District title once again this season under the first-year coach.

Lemon Bay's run came to an end this week in a 4-3 Regional quarter-finals loss to Mariner which the Mantas took down to the wire at Lemon Bay High School. But even though the 2017-18 season is over for Lemon Bay, Trismen said he's excited at what he's seen in his first year.

"I can't wait for next year because I don't have any seniors on this team," Trismen said. "I get the whole team back, and you never know,

there could be some freshmen to come in and challenge them. I've been more of a tennis instructor than a tennis coach (before this year), but I loved it. The kids were great, the experience was a ton of fun and I look forward to doing it again."

Lemon Bay No. 1 player Enrique Subero and No. 2 player Noah Pirro nearly advanced the Manta Rays to the semifinals with their play this week.

Subero won his singles match 6-1, 6-3 over Andrew Kibler of Mariner while Pirro came back from a second-set deficit to defeat Teddy Perchall of Mariner 6-3, 7-5. Subero and Pirro also teamed up to knock off Kibler and Perchall in No. 1 doubles with a 3-6, 6-4, 10-7 comeback victory.

Moving up from the team's No. 3 player to its No. 1 as a sophomore, Trismen said he's been especially impressed

with the growth he's seen in Subero this season.

"He was tremendous," Trismen said of Subero. "I wasn't here last year, so it's hard for me to tell how he measures up to the No. 1 and No. 2 they had last year, but I think he's risen to that level."

After winning a District Championship in his first season in taking over for longtime boys tennis coach Mike Maier, Trismen said he'll look to schedule more opponents out of the Mantas' district to prepare them for what could be to come in Regionals and beyond next season.

Lady Mantas lose to Cape Coral

After qualifying for Regionals by finishing as runner-ups in the 2A-District 11 tournament, the Lemon Bay girls tennis team lost to Cape Coral in the opening round of Regional play.

Despite playing with

just one returning starter in last year's No. 3 player, Chloe DiDonato, the Mantas turned a 5-6 regular season into a trip to Regionals.

But this week that came to an end when the Lady Mantas lost 5-2, with No. 2 player Siena Burger capturing a 7-5, 6-1 victory and No. 5 player Lauren Maheu capping her undefeated season with a 6-2, 6-4 win.

"The girls played hard today, but Cape Coral was just too deep," Lemon Bay coach Darrell Roach said in a text message. "Siena and Lauren played awesome matches to win us our two points on the day. These girls were a joy to work with, a group of overachievers who gave it their all despite their lack of experience. It was a very enjoyable and rewarding season for me as coach and I am proud of how they progressed, competed and represented our school."



SUN PHOTO BY TIM KERN

Lemon Bay No. 1 player Enrique Subero slams it home against Mariner.

AWAY AT COLLEGE

LeMaster keeps hitting for Eckerd College

By **BARBARA BOXLEITNER**
SUN CORRESPONDENT

Offensive production keeps Shane LeMaster in the starting lineup for the Eckerd College baseball team.

With a 2017 All-Conference upper-classman ahead of him at second base, the Charlotte High School graduate has become the designated hitter.

Among the team's position players who are freshmen, LeMaster made the most appearances and starts. He hit .343 in 34 games with two home runs and 24 runs batted in. His batting average ranked 24th in the Sunshine State Conference as of Sunday.

"He's done an excellent job," Eckerd head coach

Josh Beaugard said. "He's really run with his opportunities."

"He's a very smart baseball player," Beaugard said. "He knows what he has to do."

The coach said he knew from recruiting that LeMaster was a "pesky out" and "made solid contact."

And LeMaster has been a tough out despite having to adjust to not playing in the field much. He handled his two fielding chances.

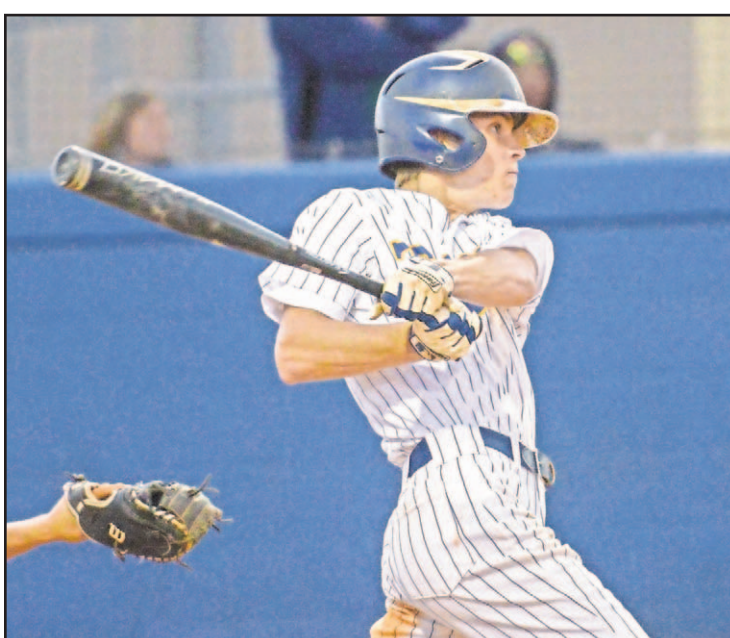
"It's been a little weird for me," said LeMaster, who usually hits sixth in the order. "I never saw myself as a designated hitter."

"I've always believed I was a pretty good hitter," he said. "My main goal was to put the ball in play."

LeMaster said he's been trying to stay relaxed at the plate yet aggressive early in the count. Though his offensive production has come in bunches, he has put together a season-high six-game hitting streak and a four-game one.

He began the week with nine multi-hit games. Six times he had three hits, and in four of those, he had at least two RBIs. He paced the offense during a March win over Lynn University, going 3-for-4, including a three-run home run and one-run single.

The home run gave his team a lead it would later surrender. "I've never hit a home run," said LeMaster, whose six sacrifice flies tied for the conference lead.



SUN FILE PHOTO

Charlotte High graduate Shane LeMaster is now currently playing as the designated hitter for Eckerd College.

LeMaster said he doesn't plan to play summer ball because he will have a medical procedure to improve his breathing. "I get headaches from my

sinuses," he said. "I used to play basketball. I was always breathing really heavily."

"I can't breath very well," he said. "It's a decent time

that I have to take off. I would still work out."

Send updates about area athletes to Barbara Boxleitner at jdanddoc@gmail.com.

Court backs state in felons' rights fight

By GARY FINEOUT
ASSOCIATED PRESS

TALLAHASSEE — With time running out, a federal appeals court late Wednesday sided with Florida in an escalating battle over the state's process for restoring voting rights for former prisoners.

U.S. District Judge Mark Walker had given Florida until Thursday to create a new process after ruling in February that the state's current system is unconstitutional and arbitrary, with decisions possibly swayed by politics and racial factors.

But a three judge panel of the Atlanta-based 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals blocked Walker's

ruling while it considers an appeal from Gov. Rick Scott and other Florida Republican officials.

"We are glad that the 11th Circuit Court of Appeals has stayed the lower court's reckless ruling," said John Tupps, a spokesman for Scott. "Judges should interpret the law, not create it. Gov. Scott will never stop fighting for victims of crime and their families."

The decision by the court came less than two hours before Scott and GOP officials were scheduled to hold an extraordinary late-night meeting of the state's clemency board where they were poised to adopt new rules. The meeting was scrapped after the

appeals court sided with Florida in a split decision.

Florida's clash over voting rights comes as Scott campaigns for the U.S. Senate seat of Democrat Bill Nelson in a state where as many as 1.5 million felons remain disenfranchised by the state's ban that is included in Florida's constitution.

Walker's ruling had kept the ban intact, but he had challenged the current system that requires a former prisoner to wait between five and seven years before they can even ask to have their voting rights back. The governor and the three elected Cabinet members then decide each request individually, subject to the governor's unilateral veto.

MORE HEADLINE NEWS FROM AROUND THE STATE

Window coverings mimic tree branches to deter birds

GAINESVILLE (AP) — The University of Florida is experimenting with a unique window design that mimics tree branches to help prevent bird collisions.

School officials say birds hitting windows has been a campus-wide problem for years. Mark Hostetler is a professor of wildlife ecology and conservation in UF's Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences. He says they asked students to monitor buildings two years ago to see where the bulk of the collisions were occurring. The new window treatments have vertical lines similar to tree branches and other obstacles that are too narrow for most birds to fly through, so they avoid them.

Hostetler says no bird collision deaths were recorded after installing the treatments in Newins-Ziegler Hall.

Alert deputies spot 'nervous' felon in Florida restaurant

DESTIN (AP) — Sheriff's deputies having lunch at a Florida restaurant say they noticed a man who seemed "nervous" about their presence, and worked to confirm their suspicions.

The Okaloosa County Sheriff's deputies learned 37-year-old Donald Lee Nelson was a fugitive from Jasper County, Indiana, wanted on charges of armed robbery, pointing a firearm at someone and criminal confinement with a deadly weapon.

A sheriff's statement says deputies located Nelson's SUV outside an apartment in Destin on Wednesday afternoon. They called in the county's fugitive warrants team and Nelson was taken into custody when he stepped out of his apartment.

Wildlife officials set traps to catch bear that killed dog

LONGWOOD (AP) — Wildlife officials have set up traps in a Florida neighborhood where a bear attacked and killed a dog days after critically injuring another dog.

WFTV reports a bear tore through a pool screen on Tuesday and grabbed Russell Nusynowitz's 15-year-old poodle named Maggie.

Two days earlier, officials say another resident of The Estates at Springs Landing found a bear and two cubs in his garage. Rick Mann tells the news station that the bear attacked his 5-year-old Maltese-Yorkie mix named Reese. The dog suffered seven puncture

wounds and a bruised liver and underwent five hours of surgery.

Troopers: 17 vehicles involved in crash near Orlando

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — The Florida Highway Patrol is investigating a crash involving 17 vehicles near Orlando.

Sgt. Kim Montes said in a news release that the crash happened around 6 a.m. Thursday on State Road 520.

The road was shut down in both directions as troopers investigate the crash.

Montes said at least two victims were taken to hospitals with injuries that weren't considered life threatening.

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BREAKING NEWS: Millions of Americans take the supplement CoQ10. It's the "jet fuel" that supercharges your cells' power generators, known as mitochondria.

As you age, your mitochondria begin to die. In fact, by age 67, you lose 80% of the mitochondria you had at age 25.1 But if you're taking CoQ10, there's something important you should know.

As powerful as CoQ10 is, there is a critical thing it fails to do. It can't create new mitochondria in your cells.

Taking CoQ10 is not enough

"There's a little-known NASA nutrient that multiplies the number of new power generators in your cells by up to 55%," says Dr. Al Sears, owner of the Sears Institute for Anti-Aging Medicine in Royal Palm Beach, Florida. "Science once thought this was impossible. But now you can make your heart, brain and body young again."

"I tell my patients the most important thing I can do is increase their 'health span.' This is the length of time you can live free of disease and with all your youthful abilities and faculties intact."

Medical first: Multiply the "power generators" in your cells

Al Sears, M.D., recently released an energy-boosting supplement based on this NASA nutrient that has become so popular, he's having trouble keeping it in stock.

Dr. Sears is the author of over 500 scientific papers on anti-aging and recently spoke at the WPBF 25 Health & Wellness Festival featuring Dr. Oz and special guest Suzanne Somers. Thousands of people listened to Dr. Sears speak on his anti-aging breakthroughs and attended his book signing at the event.

Now, Dr. Sears has come up with what his peers consider his greatest contribution to anti-aging medicine yet — a newly discovered nutrient that multiplies the number of tiny, energy-producing "engines" located inside the body's cells, shattering the limitations of traditional CoQ10 supplements.

Why mitochondria matter

A single cell in your body can contain between 200 to 2,000 mitochondria, with the largest number found in the most metabolically active cells, like those in your brain, heart and skeletal muscles.

But because of changes in cells, stress and poor diet, most people's power generators begin to malfunction and die off as they age. In fact, the Mitochondria Research Society reports 50 million U.S. adults are suffering from health problems because of mitochondrial dysfunction.

Common ailments often associated with aging — such as memory problems, heart issues, blood sugar concerns and vision and hearing difficulties — can all be connected to a decrease in mitochondria.

Birth of new mitochondria

Dr. Sears and his researchers combined the most powerful form of CoQ10 available — called ubiquinol — with a unique, newly discovered natural compound called PQQ that has the remarkable ability to grow new mitochondria. Together, the two powerhouses are now available in a supplement called Ultra Accel II.

Discovered by a NASA probe in space dust, PQQ (Pyrroloquinoline quinone) stimulates something called "mitochondrial biogenesis" — a unique process that actually boosts the number of healthy mitochondria in your cells.

In a study published in the Journal of Nutrition, mice fed PQQ grew a staggering number of new



NASA-discovered nutrient is stunning the medical world by activating more youthful energy, vitality and health than CoQ10.

mitochondria, showing an increase of more than 55% in just eight weeks.

The mice with the strongest mitochondria showed no signs of aging — even when they were the equivalent of 80 years old.

Science stands behind the power of PQQ

Biochemical Pharmacology reports that PQQ is up to 5,000 times more efficient in sustaining energy production than common antioxidants.

"Imagine 5,000 times more efficient energy," says Dr. Sears. "PQQ has been a game changer for my patients."

"With the PQQ in Ultra Accel, I have energy I never thought possible," says Colleen R., one of Dr. Sears' patients. "I am in my 70s but feel 40 again. I think clearer, move with real energy and sleep like a baby."

It works right away

Along with an abundance of newfound energy, users also report a sharper, more focused mind and memory, and even younger-looking skin and hair. Jerry M. from Wellington, Florida, used Ultra Accel and was amazed at the effect.

"I noticed a difference within a few days," says Jerry. "My endurance almost doubled. But it's not just in your body. You can feel it mentally, too," says Jerry. "Not only do I feel a difference, but the way it protects my cells is great insurance against a health disaster as I get older."

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Clerk hosts 'Take Our Daughters & Sons to Work Day'

By ANNE EASKER
STAFF WRITER

Children of Charlotte County Clerk of Court employees had the opportunity to tour all areas of the Charlotte County Justice Center Thursday for National Take Our Daughters & Sons to Work Day. The Clerk's Office hosted an all-day program for the kids to learn about the work of clerk staff, judges, bailiffs and jury members.

"Having our Clerk's Office staff actively participate in Bring Your Child to Work Day is incredibly rewarding because it's important for our children to see the great work their parents do day-in and day-out which helps their community," said Clerk

Roger Eaton.

The day kicked off with kids observing first appearance, where recent arrestees are assigned a court date, advised of whether they qualify for a public defender, and have their bond set by a judge. Next was a tour of the Vietnam Wall near the courthouse, followed by the control room and jail cells, meeting a county judge, a brief presentation from Leadership Charlotte, and touring jury management. In the afternoon, they visited the marriage license and passports departments and had a presentation from the Supervisor of Elections.

Parents were also invited to tour each area of the Justice Center

along with their children.

"I'm excited for the day," said Stacey Wear, a staff member at the clerk's Murdock Circle office. "I think it'll show the kids everything we do here and things they're normally not exposed to."

Kids said their favorite part of the day was touring the jail cells and the courtroom, where Judge Peter A. Bell explained the role of the judge and the court process.

Shea Codrington, who works in court administration, said it was neat for her son Ricky to see firsthand the type of work she does, which isn't easy to explain to a child.

"He's been wondering for years, trying to understand what



SUN PHOTO BY ANNE EASKER

Children of employees at the Clerk of Court got a full tour of the Charlotte County Justice Center for Take Our Daughters & Sons to Work Day.

I do when I go to court," she said.

Clerk Eaton said while the clerk's office has participated in

the national event in the past, this year staff made it more of an experience for the kids to see everything that goes

on at the courthouse. Twenty-four kids attended.

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Englewood hospital welcomes 28 students

By ELAINE ALLEN-EMRICH
COMMUNITY NEWS EDITOR

Englewood Community Hospital staff spent time with young family members Thursday during Take Your Child to Work Day.

The event offers hospital staff an opportunity to acquaint their children with the rewarding field of healthcare and experience a behind the scenes look at what hospitals do. Children learn about the many

types of jobs in a hospital that make up the team needed to care for patients including nursing, imaging, food and nutrition, plant operations, environmental services and administration.

Students learned CPR and other medical techniques. They also got to see the Bayflite helicopter, which serves as a hospital in the air while patients are transported to a trauma center following a crisis situation.



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Nikki Kiehl and Heather Perry are daughters of Vickie Pettigrew at Englewood Community Hospital.

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Right: Dane Angelissis, 10, a Venice Elementary School student whose mother, Elizabeth, is a quality coordinator/nurse, is shown how a patient is bandaged.

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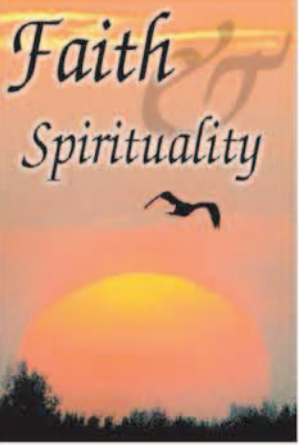
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SERMON OF THE WEEK:

Place your soul under new management

My wife and I frequented a local restaurant because of their reasonable prices. However the food at times lacked in flavor and quality. The waitresses were not courteous and the place was losing business. The owner put the restaurant up for sale and it was purchased. The new owners did a complete remodel of the facility. They hired a new chef and put out a new menu. When we visited the restaurant we were overwhelmed with the changes. The new management had transformed the menu, the quality of the food, and the whole atmosphere. Everything was new, even the care of the wait staff.

Under new management is a wonderful way of describing what happens when a person trusts Jesus Christ as his Savior. Paul told the Romans about this new management in Romans 8:9-11, "But you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you. Now if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he is not His. And if Christ is in you, the body is dead because of sin, but the Spirit is life because of righteousness. But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you."

The old management of the flesh is no longer in possession of our lives. We are under the new management of the Spirit. His indwelling brings about a whole new atmosphere that Paul calls "life." We are promised eternal life, we get to enjoy overcoming and victorious life, and we can daily live abundant life. We also get to participate in a Spirit-led life. Our old management of the flesh ran us into the ground with sin, defeat, and hopelessness. It eventually would lead us to eternal death. But when we received Christ, old things passed away behold all things became new (2 Cor. 5:17).

Are you still living under the old manager of the flesh? Don't you think it is about time to receive Christ and put your life under new management?

The Rev. Jim Stultz is pastor of Peace River Baptist Church in Punta Gorda. Email him at jimstultz@yahoo.com.



SUN PHOTO BY KAYLA GLEASON

St. Edmund's Episcopal Church has been a staple of the Arcadia community for 125 years.

'Honor Our Past, Celebrate Our Present, Anticipate Our Future': St. Edmund's recognizes 125 years in Arcadia

By KAYLA GLEASON
STAFF WRITER

For St. Edmund the Martyr Episcopal Church in Arcadia, 2018 marks its 125th anniversary. In 1893, St. Edmund first opened its doors to the people of Arcadia, offering hospitality, knowledge of faith and a stronger relationship with God, according to the church website, www.episcopalarcadiafl.com/.

The church has stood on the same land for the last 125 years, and even damage from hurricanes could not slow the congregation down — after Hurricane Charley, St. Edmund's helped the surrounding community by providing food and supplies. Before a physical church was even built, legend has it the land on which St. Edmund's sits held the first religious service in all of Florida.

"The original church building was built on the site in 1897; it is now used as parish hall," St. Edmund's Deacon Robert Vaughn said. "The mission of 'St. Edmund, Martyr & King' was



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The Rev. Robert Vaughn has been deacon at St. Edmund's since 2001.

formed in 1893." To celebrate, the church has already begun planning a special gathering in November, the actual anniversary month.

"We are planning a church service officiated by our bishop (Bishop Dabney Smith of the Episcopal Diocese of Southwest Florida), former parishioners and clergy, current parishioners and guests on Saturday, Nov. 17. There will also be a reception or luncheon of some sort. Perhaps a dinner the evening before. Everything is only in the planning stage," said Vaughn.



SUN PHOTOS BY KAYLA GLEASON

After the congregation outgrew the original sanctuary, construction on the current building began in 1930.

Since last November, a committee made up of church leaders and active members from the community has been coming up with ideas for festivities and ways to raise money for this year's party, with possibilities including raffles and pancake dinners.

The church is also working on writing a comprehensive history, a collaboration with the DeSoto Historical Society and a local library display to raise awareness for the anniversary.

"We had wanted to do even more," Pat Moore, interim treasurer of St.

Edmund's, said, adding, "some things didn't work out so we're just doing what we can."

Moore is also leader of the events subcommittee and in charge of planning and budgeting prospective events.

This subcommittee

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Light Notes:

Mysterious incident brings answer to prayer

By Lucy Luginbill
TRI-CITY HERALD

It was as if she were mentally wringing her hands, the car steering wheel clasped firmly. How could a petite nurse handle a lanky hospice patient alone?

As her automobile sped across town, Lorna Runge did what came naturally.

"I'm praying, 'Lord, I need an extra pair of hands,'" said the now "60-something" registered nurse as she recalled her imminent home visit back in 2000. "He was a tall man — I'm only 5 feet — and he's over 6 feet. I knew I couldn't turn him."

The retired nurse had volunteered her assistance when she learned that the husband of a church acquaintance was dying of terminal cancer and spending final days at his Pasco home.

Lorna had worked in local hospitals for years and in her

new "leisure" time since retiring had completed classes for parish nursing. Her expertise and the couple's need seemed to go hand in hand.

But when the call from the elderly patient's wife came on short notice, Lorna was without anyone to assist her. And that's when this diminutive nurse had prayed for a big answer.

"When I arrived, a neighbor had just come over to visit and I latched onto him because I thought he could help — be an extra pair of hands — but he was reticent," Lorna said, recalling her initial relief followed by disappointment.

Never mind. Lorna had a few quick care items to finish before she would make an attempt to turn the patient, predictably unable to lift his own weight in the process.

"God has always given me somebody to come alongside over the years, an extra pair of

hands," Lorna said, explaining how she has cared for several family members.

But her need this time was immediate. What Lorna couldn't imagine was that help was already on the way.

At the same time Lorna had been praying, a couple across town was just heading out their door with two items on their "to-do" list — mall-walking and dropping off a recorded Sunday sermon.

"We were on the highway," said Gene Wallace of Richland, Washington, a retired senior technician at Pacific Northwest National Laboratories, as he remembered how he and his wife were in conversation. "I asked her, 'Should we see our friend first or go mall-walking?'"

The decision was made to walk first for an hour or so and then go visit.

But within minutes of the couple's discussion, the hospice

patient's doorbell rang — the home where Lorna needed help. As the front door opened, there stood almost 6-foot tall Gene, his wife at his side.

"We were halfway to the mall when I heard an audible voice over my shoulder say 'Go see him now!'" Gene said, shaking his head at the memory, a man who has rubbed shoulders with scientists in the workplace and has his name on four patents. "I didn't want to argue."

Lorna Runge is glad he didn't. The extra pair of hands arrived right on time.

Seems like God had the situation in his hands all along.

Lucy Luginbill is a career television producer-host and the Spiritual Life editor for the Tri-City Herald. In her column, she reflects on the meaning of her name, "Light Bringer." If you have a story idea for Light Notes, contact her at lluginbill@tricityherald.com.

Cyprus regains rare Orthodox Christian mosaic stolen in 70s

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NICOSIA, Cyprus — A rare 6th century mosaic depicting St. Andrew that was taken from a looted church in the Cyprus' breakaway north has been returned after four decades, the head of the island nation's Orthodox Christian Church said Monday.

Archbishop Chrysostomos II said that the artistry that went into the mosaic coupled with its rarity made the work a symbol of Cyprus' "stolen heritage."

It is among only a handful of mosaics to have survived a period during the 8th and 9th centuries when many Orthodox icons were destroyed.

The mosaic showing a bearded St. Andrew — among Christ's first Apostles — was



one of several that went missing from the Church of Panayia Kanakaria after Cyprus split into ethnic Greek and Turkish sides in 1974.

A Turkish art dealer, Aydin Dikmen, was arrested a quarter-century later for selling that piece and others from Kanakaria Church, as well as artworks from other churches.

Most of the Kanakaria Church mosaics have now been repatriated with the exception of

one of St. Luke.

London-based Greek Cypriot art dealer Maria Paphiti located the St. Andrew mosaic in 2014 after another dealer asked her to verify the origin. When the dealer was informed that the mosaic belonged to the Cyprus Church, he agreed to return it as long as his expenses were covered.

Paphiti reached out to Greek Cypriot businessmen Roys Poyiadjis and Andreas Pittas for help covering



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A Christian Orthodox cleric sits by the extremely rare 6th century mosaic depicting St. Andrew, during a ceremony of repatriation at the Archbishop in capital Nicosia, Cyprus. Archbishop Chrysostomos II told a ceremony Monday that the artistry coupled with the rarity of the mosaic — one of only a handful which survived a period in the 8th and 9th century which saw the destruction of many such mosaics and icons — had become a symbol of Cyprus' "stolen heritage."

the cost of the mosaic's repatriation, which came to 50,000 euros (\$61,200.)

Archbishop Chrysostomos honored

the three of them Monday during a ceremony at Cyprus Church headquarters.

Cyprus hosts a second mosaic of the same

rarity and time period depicting the Virgin Mary. A third resides in the Orthodox monastery of Saint Catherine at the foot of Mount Sinai.

Mormons to celebrate 1978 lifting of ban on blacks in clergy

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SALT LAKE CITY — The Mormon church says it will celebrate the upcoming 40th anniversary of its reversal of a ban on blacks in the religion's lay priesthood.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day

Saints said Monday night that the celebration will take place June 1 in Salt Lake City.

The ban on men of African descent being allowed to participate in the religion's lay clergy ended in 1978 when the religion says its top leaders received a revelation from God

after praying about it.

Black Mormons still account for only a small percentage of the church's 16 million members worldwide.

A 2013 church essay disavowed the ban and explained that it was put into place during an era of great racial divide that influenced early Mormon teachings.

Vatican urges Buddhists to join fight against corruption

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

VATICAN CITY — The Vatican is urging Buddhists to work with Christians to combat corruption, saying corrupt political, business and religious leaders put lives at risk, damage the environment and threaten governance.

The Vatican's interreligious dialogue office issued a message

to Buddhists to mark the holiday of Vesak, which is celebrated at different times around Asia and the Indian subcontinent.

In the message published Wednesday, the Vatican said the "evil" of corruption cannot be met with silence, and urged Buddhists and Christians to work with media and civil society to expose corruption and

hold white-collar criminals accountable. It said, "People are scandalized by incompetent and corrupt politicians, ineffective legislation and the failure to investigate major corruption cases."

It warned that populist movements backed by religious fundamentalists have arisen to protest the law-and-order breakdown.

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is one of many to ensure no stone is left unturned. There are groups for everything from event financing to communications and invitations to special liturgy. There is something for everyone interested in helping out.

Outside of working on the anniversary party, St. Edmund's is also very active in community outreach and has helped start a variety of projects

around DeSoto County.

"In the 1990s, the congregation led the effort to start the DeSoto/Arcadia Habitat for Humanity. In 2013, we led the effort to address local homeless issues that eventually resulted in the formation of DeSoto Cares Homeless

Services," said Vaughn. The church also annually awards three \$1,000 scholarships to local high school seniors.

"St. Edmund values outreach ministry in our community," he said.

The church is small and close knit, with attendance ranging anywhere from 10 to 35 in the warmer months. They encourage DeSoto residents to come and see what they are all about.

"Everyone is always welcome here," said Moore.

For more information on this year's events and how to get involved, visit www.episcopalarcadiatl.com/ or email stedmundsarcadia@yahoo.com.

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Bingo, Cultural Center 2280 Aaron St. 10:45am-3:30pm. Game packs start at \$13. Over 25 games w/ payouts up to \$250. 625-4175.

Blood drive at bank, Big Red Bus, 11-4:30, Charlotte State Bank & Trust, 1100 Tamiami Trail. Free movie ticket, Chick-fil-a coupon. 639-2511

Deep Creek Elks, Dinner 5-8, Reservation Required, 249-8067, Prime Rib, Fish And More, Music With Jersey Beat 6:30-9:30

Punta Gorda Elks, 11-2 Lunch; 3pm Tiki Bar open; 5-8 Dinner; 6:30-9:30 Music by Heart & Soul @ 25538 ShorePG637-2606;members & guests

Punta Gorda Elkettes, Elkettes Thrift Shop Open to the Public from 11:30am to 2:30pm @ 25538 Shore,PG,637-2606, ext. 451

Mah-Jongg, Cultural Center 2280 Aaron St. 12:30pm-3:30pm, Only 50 cents an hour, Cultural Center MembersPLUS free. 941-625-4175.

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■ SATURDAY

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Avon produce plants bakery herbs snacks books boots food more 2101 Taylor Rd

PG farmers market, 8-1pm taylor & olympia 9413914856 fresh produce, meats, seafood, cheese, prepared foods & more. live music.

PCHS Band Car Wash, Support "The Pride," 9 to 2, Charlotte State Bank & Trust Peachland office, 24163 Peachland Blvd., PC. 627-0038

Free Art Show, Free art show at the Port Charlotte Fairgrounds Sat. (28th) 10 till 4 Free Parking, New vendors this week!

World Tai Chi Day, Free TaiChi,Yoga,Medical QiGong Gilchrist Park 10am Richard Curtis 407.923.8310

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Punta Gorda Elks, 11-2 Lunch; 1pm Tiki open; 5-8 Dinner; 6pm QnHrts; 6:30-9:30

Music/Three of a Kind@25538 ShorePG637-2606;mbrs&gsts

Bike Run Benefit, \$10+food pantry donation/cycle, Noon, start EU Methodist Church Hall, 700 E. Dearborn, 387-5598, www. englewoodumc.net

Singer Dan Meadows, Singer Dan Meadows performs live music 12 noon-4 pm center court at Fishermen's Village. 639-8721

■ SUNDAY

Open Air Market, Open Air Market 9-1, 501 Shreve St., Punta Gorda. Produce, variety of food, clothing & crafts. Live Music 941.391.4856

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Eagles, Eagles 23111 Harborview Rd PC 941-629-1645, breakfast 7:30-11 Funday with Linda NASCAR/Bargo 12-7

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■ MONDAY

Ancestry/FTM, by Dottie Baugh, 10:30 am, Monday April 30 at Port Charlotte Library. Free, public welcome, info 941-625-0867.

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ENGLEWOOD EVENTS

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■ SATURDAY

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Bike Run Benefit, \$10+food pantry donation/cycle, Noon, start EU Methodist Church Hall, 700 E. Dearborn, 387-5598, www. englewoodumc.net

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■ SUNDAY

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NORTH PORT EVENTS

■ TODAY

Basic Exercise, \$3/class 9-10 am NP Senior Center 4940 Pan American Blvd 426-2204 Join Brenda for a good workout & feel better.

NP Farmers market, 9 -1 City Hall Blvd. 9413914856 fresh produce, meats, seafood, cheese, prepared foods, pickles, pasta & more. music.

North Port VFW #8203, Members & guests. Lunch 11-2, Fish Fry/Rib Dinner 5-7, Music by DJ Scotty 6-10, 4860 Trott Cir, NP 426-6865

St. Mary's Takeout, Pierogi/ Stuffed Cabbage/Borsch, 11-6pm, St. Mary's, 941-423-2427.

North Port Moose, Karaoke with Gil and Rhonda at 7! Prime rib dinner special or salmon! 14156 Tamiami trl NP

Pinocle, \$2/person 12-3 pm NP Senior Center 4940 Pan American Blvd 426-2204 Join Chris & others for an afternoon of fun.

ALLAMANDA GARDEN CL, Allamanda Garden Club,Trinity United Methodist Ch.ART IN BLOOM. Emily 941-423-0743

Genealogy Research, 1-3 p.m. Shannon Staub Library, 4675 Career Ln. 941-861-1740 Learn about genealogy research through Ancestry.

Amvets 312 Dinner, Lunch 11:30-2:00 Dinner 5-7 Friday Fish Nite Great food, prices, fun Public welcome 7050 Chancellor Blvd NP 941-429-5403

Holy Name Bingo, 5-9pm San Pedro Activity Center Refreshments Up to \$1300.00 in cash prizes Non-Smoking Open to all 429-602

Pinocle, \$2/person 6-9 pm NP

Senior Center 4940 Pan American Blvd Rochelle 429-1887 Enjoy an evening of cards & fun.

■ SATURDAY

North Port VFW #8203, Members & guests. Pool Table, Bowling, Golf, Jukebox...what's your pleasure. 4860 Trott Cir, NP 426-6865

Bike Run Benefit, \$10+food pantry donation/cycle, Noon, start EU Methodist Church Hall, 700 E. Dearborn, 387-5598, www. englewoodumc.net

The Community Calendar items are entered by the event organizers and are run "as submitted." To submit an item, go to www.yoursun.com, select an edition and click on the "Community Calendar" link on the left. Click "Submit Event," and fill out the appropriate information.

North Port Moose, Installation of officers at 5 and Get a \$2 coupon for dinner! Music from 6 to 9 by Tony Dale

Parkinson's Boxing, NeuroChallenge Foundation endorsed. Balance, conditioning, memory. Sat. 2-3 at Morgan Center. \$10. 239-292-9230.

Amvets 312 Dinner, 5-7 Meatloaf Dinner W/sides & des. only

\$10 Ent. 6:30-9:30 Two Can Jam Public welcome 7050 Chancellor BI NP 941-429-5403

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CoastLife Church to sponsor a child for Boys & Girls camp

By **ALEXANDRA HERRERA**
STAFF WRITER

NORTH PORT — This summer, two children may receive the opportunity to enjoy all The Gene Matthews Boys & Girls Club has to offer.

The opportunity is thanks to CoastLife Church through its CoastLife Cares' Picnic. The church will be paying for the experiences.

"Next month, we're expecting to sponsor two kids ... it was really well-received," said CoastLife volunteer

Deanna Kennedy. Since the program began, the group has already sponsored one child to attend the summer program at the Boys & Girls Club facility in North Port.

CoastLife hosts the free picnic for the community. Kennedy said the goal of the picnic is to not only feed those who may need it, but also provide a fun and safe environment for families.

"(There is) organized kickball, games, crafts and a bounce house," Kennedy said.

She said there has also been bubbles for little kids, and in the summer they hope to transition to water games.

The group meets behind the Boys and Girls Club at Highland Ridge Park. That is how the partnership started between the two. Kennedy noticed not many Boys and Girls families were visiting the picnic.

She said she reached out to Gene Matthews Boys & Girls Club Director Wayne Ard, who offered the church a chance to sponsor a child for

the summer. "They jumped at (the opportunity)," Ard said. Ard said it's one of the opportunities they offer to people who want to help the community. Kids who attend the program will be supervised by the Boys & Girls staff from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The program includes free breakfast and lunch, and costs \$250 for the entire summer.

"They have everything to do," Ard said. Ard said the biggest benefit of the program is the adult supervision for

kids from 6 years old to 18 years old.

As for Kennedy and the church, they hope the function continues to grow and hope that they can continue to help those in the community. She said the whole mission is to love on the community, and to build a stronger community.

CoastLife Church Cares' Picnic meets from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. the third Saturday of every month. The next picnic is May 19 at Highland Ridge Park, 6225 Kenwood Drive, North Port.

For more information on CoastLife Church visit www.mycoastlifechurch.com or call 941-497-2100. To donate or to find out how to help the picnic, email artem@mycoastlifechurch.com or call 941-497-2100.

For more information on The Gene Matthews Boys & Girls Club, visit www.bgcsarasota.com. To find out how to sponsor a child for the summer, email Wayne Ard at ward@bgcsarasota.com or call the Gene Matthews club at 941-423-4405.

Email: aherrera@sun-herald.com

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Motorcycle run

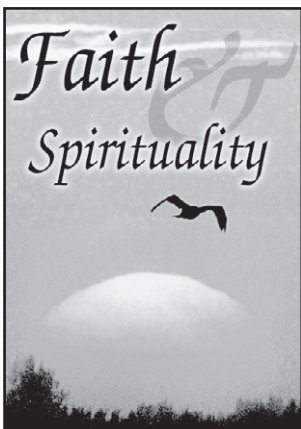
Christian Riders On a Mission for Englewood (CHROME) invites all bikers to register for a run to benefit Englewood Helping Hand at noon Saturday, April 28, at Englewood United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, 700 E. Dearborn. For each bike, donate \$10 plus a non-perishable item or additional cash gift, all to help provide food and services to local residents in need. The run heads out at 1:30 p.m., and ends at the Englewood Beach White Elephant with Coastal Jamz band at about 6 p.m.

Salvation Army lunch program to begin

Beginning Thursday, May 3, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., the Salvation Army of Port Charlotte, 2120 Loveland Blvd., will begin its community lunch program. Everyone in need is welcome. People of all ages and families are welcome. For more information, call 941-629-3170 ext. 406.

New Bible study

New Hope Baptist Church, 100 Englewood



Road, Englewood, will begin a 13-week study of the 20 spiritual gifts from the New Testament. The new Bible Study group begins at 5 p.m. Sunday, May 6, and continues Sunday evenings in the church's Fellowship Hall. This is open to the public. There is a \$10 workbook charge. Study concludes with a "Spiritual Gifts Profile and Inventory." Register by calling the church office at 941-474-7647.

Resale store specials

St. Vincent de Paul's Resale Shop de sales this week are as follows: 40 percent off linens, all golf bags \$25, all golf clubs \$1, men's slacks \$1, jackets \$1, ladies tops \$1 (except yellow ticket items/boutique), all shoes 50 percent off, all glassware 50 percent off

Many other unadvertised specials. St. Vincent de Paul's Resale Shop-St. Max is at 17753 Toledo Blade Blvd. and State Road 776. Shop hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday to Saturday. All profits go to buy food for the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry.

Cancer Support Ministry to feature guest speaker

First United Methodist Church, 507 W. Marion Ave., Punta Gorda, offers a scripturally based cancer support ministry to anyone affected by this life altering diagnosis. Whether you have recently received your diagnosis or have been battling for a long time, the cancer ministry provides a place where people who understand the treatment journey are available to help, listen and support patients, as well as survivors, caregivers and family members. The Cancer Support Ministry meets the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. in room 9. The May 2 meeting will feature a presentation by Laura Ross, director of Mederi Caretenders. Mederi offers skilled home health services and work closely with doctors

at Florida Cancer Centers. For more information about these and other ministries at the Church, visit www.whatis1st.com or call 941-639-3842.

Prayer vigil

In honor of the National Day of Prayer, Trinity United Methodist Church, 4285 Wesley Lane, North Port, invites the public to join at 10 a.m. on Thursday, May 3, for a prayer vigil. Join at the flag pole to pray for the community, nation and world. For more information, visit www.trinityumcnorthport.org.

Night of Racing and Dinner

St. Charles Borromeo Knights of Columbus Council 5399 will present a Night of Racing and Dinner on May 5, (a big screen TV will be available to watch the Kentucky Derby). The races will be at the parish center at 21505 Augusta Ave., Port Charlotte. Doors open at 5 p.m. Dinner tickets are \$10 or two for \$18. Dinner ticket will include one \$25,000 raffle ticket. Admission to races only \$5. The night will include a Ladies' Derby Hat contest and

a Men's Dapper Dan contest. Dinner tickets available at the door or from any Knight. All proceeds will go to serve the needy adults and youth of Charlotte County. For more information, call 609-287-0758.

Church to host dance

Christ Community United Methodist Church, 27000 Sunnybrook Road, Punta Gorda, will play host to a Country/Western dance from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday, May 5, with music provided by Escape. Tickets are available for a donation of \$10. Snacks provided. For more information, call, 941-629-1593.

National Day of Prayer

The Punta Gorda National Day of Prayer local task force will host a community observation of the National Day of Prayer at noon on Thursday, May 3, in front of the Punta Gorda City Hall Annex, 126 Harvey St., Punta Gorda. The non-denominational service will include members of the clergy, local law enforcement and civic officers, and is

open to the public.

Created in 1952 by a joint resolution of the U.S. Congress and signed into law by President Harry S. Truman, the National Day of Prayer is observed annually on the first Thursday in May, with this year being the 66th observance. The theme for 2018, Unity, is scripturally based on Ephesians 4:3, "Making every effort to keep the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace."

Pancake Breakfast

Port Charlotte United Methodist Church, 21075 Quesada Ave., Port Charlotte will host a pancake breakfast from 7 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 5. Cost is \$5 per person. Ages 6 and under and over 90 eat for free. Proceeds to support the Haiti mission and youth camp. For more information, call 941-625-4356.

Summer church schedule

Beginning May 27 through Labor Day, Sept. 2, St. David's Episcopal Church, 401 S. Broadway, Englewood, will have one church

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<p>ANGLICAN CATHOLIC</p> <p>Trinity Anglican Church 1928 Book of Common Prayer Worshipping at MacDonald Hall Sunday, 10am 2230 Harriet St., Port Charlotte For Info Contact Don Kieffer 941-235-8052 www.TrinityACC.org</p>	<p>BAPTIST</p> <p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF PUNTA GORDA 459 Gill St., Punta Gorda 639-3857 www.fbcpuntagorda.org Rev. Bill Frank, Pastor Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship Services - 11:00 a.m. Team Kid Wednesday - 6:00 p.m. Prayer/Bible Study - 6:15 p.m. Nursery Provided</p>	<p>CATHOLIC</p> <p>Welcome to ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO CATHOLIC CHURCH 2500 Easy Street, Port Charlotte 941-625-4754 Mass Times: Weekdays - 7:00am & 8:30am Sat. Vigil: 4:00 pm "Signed For The Deaf" Sun: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm (French Creole) & 5:30pm (Youth Mass) www.stcharlespc.org</p>	<p>CHURCH OF CHRIST</p> <p>ENGLEWOOD EAST CHURCH OF CHRIST 9600 Gulfstream Blvd Englewood, FL 34224-9256 (941) 475-4973 Adult Sunday School 10:00 am Worship Service 11:00 am Sunday School Ages 6-14 11:00 am Junior Church all ages 11am Wednesday Eve Fellowship 6:00 pm Jim Chandler, Pastor www.engchurch.com</p>	<p>EPISCOPAL</p> <p>ST. NATHANIEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH 4200 Biscayne Dr. North Port 426-2520 Priest-In-Charge Rev. Andrea R. Hayden Sundays - Holy Eucharist 8:00 am Rite I 10:00 am Rite II ALL ARE WELCOME www.stnathaniel.org</p>	<p>LUTHERAN</p> <p>FAITH LCMS Punta Gorda "Welcome Home!" Contemporary Sat. 5:00 Traditional Sun. 9:30 Bible Study 9:10 941-639-6309 4005 Palm Drive 1/4 mile west of US41 on Rio Villa</p>
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<p>BAPTIST</p> <p>Eastside Baptist Church Pastor Mike Mowry 6220 Golf Course Blvd., Punta Gorda 639-1648 Sunday Worship 11am & 6pm Sunday School 9:45am "AWANA" Wednesday 6:00-7:45pm Wed. Discipleship & Prayer Service 6:45 pm Nursery & Children's program provided eastsidebaptist.co</p>	<p>BAPTIST - BIBLE</p> <p>VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH 1538 Nash Terrace Pt. Charlotte, FL 33953 (Located off Biscayne Dr.) (941) 220-8317 SalvationVictory.com Sunday 10am Wednesday 7pm Expository Bible Preaching & Teaching</p>	<p>CHRISTIAN</p> <p>MURDOCK CHRISTIAN CHURCH 17500 Elmwood Ave., Murdock 255-1858 Minister Mark Tyree Sunday Worship 10:30am Sunday School 9:30am Email: info@murdockcc.com Website: www.murdockcc.com</p>	<p>EPISCOPAL</p> <p>St. James Episcopal Church 1365 Viscaya Dr., Port Charlotte 627-4000 The Rev. Cesar Olivero Sunday Worship 8am & 10:30 am Holy Eucharist Praise and Worship/Adult Bible Study www.stjamespcfll.org</p>	<p>LUTHERAN</p> <p>CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH WELS 941-766-9357 23456 Olean Blvd., Port Charlotte, FL 33980 Corner of Kings Hwy. & Olean Bible Discovery Hour 9:30am Sunday Worship 10:30am Alan Gumm, Pastor Website: myctk.com</p>	<p>LUTHERAN</p> <p>LIVING WATERS LUTHERAN CHURCH & PRESCHOOL, ELCA 12475 Chancellor Blvd. (North Port Blvd. & Chancellor) North Port • 941-625-8090 Sunday Worship 10am www.LivingWatersLutheran.com</p>
<p>BAPTIST</p> <p>First Baptist Church Port Charlotte 20035 Quesada Ave. Jim McCarty, Pastor SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:30 AM & 11:00 AM WORSHIP - 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM 12:30 - Hispanic Service Call for information on weekly activities and special events. 24-HOUR INFO LINE - 629-0444</p>	<p>BAPTIST INDEPENDENT</p> <p>You are Invited to Berean Baptist Church www.BereanBaptistPortCharlotte.org 17377 Godwin Avenue (Located off Collingswood Blvd) Port Charlotte • 941-629-7053 Bible Study - 9:30 am Sun. Worship Service 10:30am & 6:00 pm Sunday School 9:30 am Wed. Evening Service - 6:30 pm</p>	<p>To Place Your Ad In Our Worship Directory Please Call (941) 429-3110</p>			

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service at 9 a.m. For more information, call 239-250-2840.

Courage Over Cancer

Gulf Cove United Methodist Church's cancer-care program, Courage Over Cancer, offers support and ministry to men, women and families affected by cancer. If you or someone you know could benefit from a friend to support them through this journey, contact the church at 941-697-1747 or GulfCoveUMC@centurylink.net. Gulf Cove UMC is at 1100 McCall Road, in Port Charlotte. Visit GulfCoveChurch.com.

Caregivers support group

Port Charlotte United Methodist Church, 21075 Quesada Ave., Port Charlotte, hosts a caregiver support group from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. every Wednesday. The cost is free and is open to any caregiver dealing with a care-receiver with any debilitating disease. For more information, contact Mike Boccia at 941-815-6077.

Community breakfast offered

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, 2565 Tamiami Trail, Port Charlotte, offers a community breakfast from 8-10:30 a.m., the first Saturday of each month. The public is invited to enjoy an all-you-can-eat, specialty-item breakfast with all the trimmings for only \$7 per person. For more information, call 941-625-5262.

Closet of Hope

Gulf Cove United Methodist Church, 1100 McCall Road (State Road 776), Port Charlotte, offers free clothing, 9:30 a.m. to noon, the first and third Saturdays of every month. Recipients must show a photo ID card (such as a driver's license) upon entering the closet. The ID card should reflect residency in Charlotte County, or in Englewood, North Port or Venice in South Sarasota County. For more information, call 941-697-1747.

Sherri Dennis handles religion news for the Charlotte Sun. You can contact her by phone: 941-206-1127; fax (to her attention): 941-629-2085; email: sdennis@sun-herald.com; or write (to her attention): c/o the Charlotte Sun, 23170 Harborview Road, Charlotte Harbor, FL 33980. TYPE or PRINT submissions, each of which MUST include the church's NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE and the name of a contact person. Don't forget the TIME, DATE and LOCATION of the event. Email is the preferred method for communicating this information. Email photos, in .jpg format, as file attachments. Submissions will be edited for length. Information must be received NO LATER than NOON TUESDAY for inclusion in the upcoming Friday's column; announcements will run on a space-available basis. If you would like to purchase an ad to guarantee a spot in the paper for your event, call 941-206-1000 and ask for Display Advertising.

Jesus Loves You Ministry hosts fundraising golf tourney

Jesus Loves You Ministry recently held a golf tournament at Heron Creek Golf and Country Club in North Port. Sixty-eight players participated in this inaugural charity event. Jesus Loves You Ministry is a mobile outreach program for the Homeless of SW Florida. Donations of perishable and nonperishable food items, men's clothing (pocket T-shirts, jeans, work shoes, white socks) and disposable razors are always needed. For more information, contact Leslie Martin at 941-661-8117 or by email at lesliejlym@gmail.com.



Jesus Loves You Ministry executive Leslie Martin and tournament organizer the Rev. Steven Forgacs pose for a photo on the deck of the Heron Creek Golf and Country Club.



From left: The Rev. Ron Tipton, John Blackburn, Lou Chicco, and Jack Ripp pose for a photo on the 5th hole prior to starting.



Merle McDonald, left, and Sid White lead a group of carts to their starting positions.

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John Blackburn tees off.



Tournament director at the Heron Creek Golf and Country Club Zach Adair, right, speaks to golfers prior to the start of the tournament.



Charles Ritchie, left, and Dick Glover sit in their cart prior to teeing off in the Jesus Loves You Ministry golf tournament.

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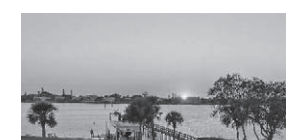


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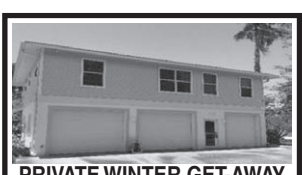


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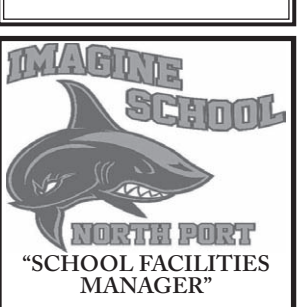
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Englewood celebrates Earth Day 2018

The Barrier Island Parks Society and The Open Studio presented an Earth Day Festival on Sunday at Buchan Airport Community Park, 1390 Old Englewood Road. The event included eco-friendly crafts, educational speakers, live music, health-conscious fun foods, raffles, live drums, informative demonstrations, plant sales, rescued animals and trail talks. For more information about the organizers, email info@planetenglewood.com or visit www.planetenglewood.com.



SUN PHOTOS BY SANDY MACYS

Kim Fredericks of Purple Urchin Art shows off some her creation photography and acrylic pouring.



Gary and Eva Oglander of Englewood Homegrown. They produce edible landscapes, specialty gardens, and are a plant nursery.



Abigail Cataloni, 6, gets a sample of honey from Jane Post of Ursu Family Honey.



Sue Coles, left, has a conversation with Deb Eisbrenner, center, and Kathy Hadamik of the Barrier Island Parks Society.



Walker Lamb, 3, paints a rock during Earth Day celebrations Sunday at Buchan Airport in Englewood.

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Kalina Deans, 12, milks "Levian" the goat. She is affiliated with with Crazy About Caprines 4 H Club.



Alten Cleveland, 8, cuddles Dale, a sleeping goat.



Fran Keough of the Suncoast Human Society arranges pet blankets for sale. All the profits from sales go to the Suncoast Human Society.

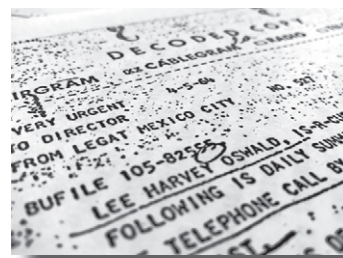


Robert Longo of the Florida Park Service discusses the loggerhead sea turtle shell with Angelo and Debra Sigismondo.



Bobaba Beebe discusses the subject of notable edible plants. He is discussing the spongweed seaweed which is edible, but should be cooked before eating.

President Donald Trump announced on Thursday that the public must wait another three years or more before seeing material that must remain classified for national security reasons. See page 8.



Kim Jong Un makes history



AP PHOTOS

In this image taken from video provided by Korea Broadcasting System Friday, North Korean leader Kim Jong Un, left, crosses the border into South Korea, along with South Korean President Moon Jae-in for their historic face-to-face talks, in Panmunjom.

North Korean leader is first to cross border in 65 years

By FOSTER KLUG
ASSOCIATED PRESS

GOYANG, South Korea — With a single step over a weathered, cracked slab of concrete, North Korean leader Kim Jong Un made history Friday by crossing over the world's most heavily armed border to greet his rival, South Korean President Moon Jae-in, for talks on North Korea's nuclear weapons. Kim then invited Moon to cross briefly north with him before they returned to the southern side.

Those small steps must be seen in the context of the last year — when the United States, its ally South Korea and the North seemed at times to be on the verge of nuclear war as the North unleashed a torrent of weapons tests — but also in light of the long, destructive history of the rival Koreas, who fought one of the



This photo provided by South Korea Presidential Blue House on Wednesday shows a meeting room for the Friday summit between South and North Korea at the Peace House at the southern side of the Panmunjom in the Demilitarized Zone, South Korea.

20th century's bloodiest conflicts and even today occupy a divided peninsula that's still technically in a state of war.

It was all smiles Friday as Moon grasped Kim's hand and led him along an blindingly red carpet into South Korean territory, where school children

placed flowers around their necks and an honor guard stood at attention for inspection.

Beyond the surface, however, it's still not clear whether the leaders can make any progress in closed-door talks on the nuclear issue, which has bedeviled U.S. and

South Korean officials for decades. North Korea's nuclear and missile tests last year likely put it on the threshold of becoming a legitimate nuclear power. North Korea claims it has already risen to that level.

Kim's news agency said that the leader would "open-heartedly" discuss with Moon "all the issues arising in improving inter-Korean relations and achieving peace, prosperity and reunification of the Korean peninsula" in a "historic" summit. It's the first time one of the ruling Kim leaders has crossed over to the southern side of the Demilitarized Zone since the Korean War ended in 1953.

The greeting of the two leaders was planned to the last detail. Thousands of journalists were kept in a huge conference center well away from the summit, except for a small

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Pompeo sworn in as secretary of state

By JOSH LEDERMAN and MATTHEW LEE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Mike Pompeo took over as America's top diplomat Thursday after being confirmed by the Senate and sworn in across the street minutes later. The new secretary of state immediately dashed off to Europe, in an energetic start befitting the high-stakes issues awaiting him from Iran to North Korea.

The hard-charging former CIA director secured support from 57 senators, with 42 voting no — one of the slimmest margins for the job in recent history. Every past nominee to get a roll call vote since at least the Carter administration received 85 or more yes votes in the Senate, with the exception of Trump's first secretary of state, Rex Tillerson, who got 56.

He was sworn in at the Supreme Court by Justice Samuel Alito, a fellow Italian-American, who said he was "proud" to officiate for the occasion. Pompeo, in a statement relayed by the State Department, said he was "delighted" to serve as America's top diplomat.



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Trump's VA choice bows out in latest Cabinet flame-out

By ZEKE MILLER and HOPE YEN
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump's White House doctor reluctantly withdrew his nomination to be Veterans Affairs secretary Thursday in the face of accusations of misconduct, the latest embarrassing episode highlighting Trump's struggles to fill key jobs and the perils of his occasional spur-of-the-moment decision-making.

The weeks-long saga surrounding the nomination of Navy Dr. Ronny Jackson leaves the government's second-largest agency without a permanent leader while it faces an immediate crisis with its private health care program. And it abruptly tarnished the reputation of a doctor beloved by two presidents and their staffs.

White House officials say they are taking a



JACKSON

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Senate committee OKs bill to safeguard Mueller

By CHAD DAY and MARY CLARE JALONICK
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Bipartisan legislation to protect special counsel Robert Mueller now lies in the hands of Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell after the GOP-led Senate Judiciary Committee voted Thursday to advance it.

McConnell, R-Ky., has said the bill is unnecessary and he won't let it reach the Senate floor. But the chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee added to the pressure on McConnell by voting for the measure and saying McConnell should change his mind.

"While my constitutional concerns remain, I believe

this bill should be considered by the full Senate," said Sen. Chuck Grassley, R-Iowa.

Republicans have split on the issue amid President Donald Trump's repeated criticism of Mueller's Russia investigation. That break was apparent Thursday as four Republicans joined Democrats in the 14-7 vote to pass the legislation from committee. For now, the move is largely symbolic, given McConnell's opposition, but it shows the complexity of Republican support for Trump when it comes to the president's attacks on Mueller.

Nearly all GOP senators say Trump shouldn't fire Mueller. But Republicans who support the legislation say it's necessary to guard against presidential

interference by giving Congress more oversight power.

Two Republicans and two Democrats introduced the bill this month as Trump ramped up criticism of Mueller, who is investigating potential ties between Russia and Trump's 2016 campaign as well as possible obstruction of justice by the president.

Trump appeared to suggest Thursday he has no intention of trying to fire Mueller, for now. But he left open the possibility he could change his mind.

"I am very disappointed in my Justice Department. But because of the fact that it's going on, and I think you'll

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AP PHOTO

From left, Sen. Lindsey Graham, R-S.C., Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Chuck Grassley, R-Iowa, and Sen. Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif., the ranking member, confer before considering a bipartisan bill to protect the special counsel from being fired, on Capitol Hill in Washington, Thursday.

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Investigators: DNA from genealogy site caught serial killer

By MICHAEL BALSAMO and JONATHAN J. COOPER ASSOCIATED PRESS

SACRAMENTO, California — More than three decades after his trail went cold, one of California's most prolific serial killers and rapists was caught by using online genealogical sites to find a DNA match, prosecutors said Thursday.

Investigators compared the DNA collected from a crime scene of the Golden State Killer to online genetic profiles and found a match: a relative of the man police have identified as Joseph James DeAngelo, 72, who was arrested at his suburban Sacramento home on Tuesday.

Authorities didn't give the name of the site, one of many that allows people to send in their DNA and find long-lost relatives, like Ancestry and 23andMe.

They also didn't outline the rest of the investigative

process — how they used that match to home in on DeAngelo, the former police officer accused of being California's notorious Golden State Killer. Despite an outpouring of thousands of tips over the years, DeAngelo's name had not been on the radar of law enforcement before last week, Sacramento County District Attorney Anne Marie Schubert said.

Contacted Friday, both Ancestry and 23andMe.com said they weren't involved in the case.

Investigators also revealed Thursday that DeAngelo is the prime suspect in the 1975 killing of a community college teacher, raising the total number of his alleged victims to 13.

Detectives are trying to link Joseph DeAngelo to the slaying and about 100 burglaries that occurred in Visalia, in Central California, while DeAngelo served as a police officer in nearby Exeter, Visalia



DEANGELO

Police Chief Jason Salazar said.

The police chief said he believes DeAngelo is the so-called Visalia Ransacker, who terrorized the farming community about 40 miles south of Fresno from early 1974 until late 1975.

Authorities alleged that he was responsible for 12 murders and dozens of rapes in California from 1976 to 1986. The suspect, they said, was tied to many of those crimes through DNA.

The Ransacker's crimes have not yet been added

to the tally announced Tuesday in Sacramento because there is no DNA evidence connecting DeAngelo to the Visalia crimes, Salazar said.

DeAngelo is suspected of shooting to death journalism teacher Claude Snelling after Snelling caught him trying to kidnap his 16-year-old daughter, Salazar said.

DeAngelo matches the description of Snelling's killer, and the serial burglar operated the same way DeAngelo is alleged to have operated in the other crimes, Salazar said.

The Visalia suspect used sophisticated "pry tools" to gain entrance to locked homes, just as DeAngelo is alleged to have used in the other crimes, Salazar said.

The Visalia suspect was seen wearing a ski mask and eluded capture because of an apparent deep knowledge of police work.

"He was very elusive and always had a good

escape route," Salazar said.

Visalia police also have fingerprints and shoe tracks that will be investigated for matches to DeAngelo. Detectives will look to see if items taken during the Visalia burglaries are uncovered during the investigation of DeAngelo, Salazar said.

Also Thursday, investigators searched DeAngelo's home, looking for class rings, earrings, dishes and other items that were taken from crime scenes.

Authorities were seeking weapons and other items that could link the suspect to the crimes, Sacramento County Sheriff's Lt. Paul Belli said. He declined to say what, if anything, investigators had found.

Investigators backed two vehicles, a motorcycle and fishing boat out of the home's three-car garage and installed tarps to block prying eyes and news cameras.

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group of tightly-controlled pool reporters at the border. Moon stood near the Koreans' dividing line, moving forward the moment he glimpsed Kim appearing in front of a building on the northern side. They shook hands with the border line between them. Moon then invited Kim to cross into the South; Kim invited Moon into the North, and they then took a ceremonial photo facing the North and then another photo facing the South.

Two fifth-grade students from the Daesongdong Elementary School, the only South Korean school within the DMZ, greeted the leaders and gave them flowers. Kim and Moon then saluted an honor guard and military band, and Moon introduced Kim to South Korean government officials. Kim returned the favor with the North Korean officials accompanying him.

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understand this, I have decided that I won't be involved," Trump said in a telephone interview with "Fox & Friends." "I may change my mind at some point, because what's going on is a disgrace."

The legislation would give any special counsel a 10-day window to seek expedited judicial review of a firing and would put into law existing Justice Department regulations

that a special counsel can only be fired for good cause.

The four lawmakers who wrote the legislation — GOP Sens. Thom Tillis of North Carolina and Lindsey Graham of South Carolina and Democrats Chris Coons of Delaware and Cory Booker of New Jersey — hoped committee approval would give them more time to find enough support in the full Senate.

After the vote, the committee's top Democrat stepped up that effort.

"The American people must know the truth, and this bill should now

be brought before the full Senate for debate and a vote," Sen. Dianne Feinstein of California said in a statement.

With most Democrats on board, the bipartisan group had worked this week to gather additional Republican votes. That included negotiating with Grassley, who floated an amendment that included increased reporting to Congress by the special counsel.

Democrats initially opposed that, saying it could undermine the investigation if the special

counsel had to reveal too much to Congress during the investigation. But the two sides reached a compromise.

The revised amendment would require that notification after the investigation was done, along with a report detailing the investigation's findings and explanations of any charges. It would require notification if a special counsel were removed.

Republicans who supported the bill could be at risk of angering Trump and some of his supporters they represent.

Grassley, Graham, Tillis and Sen. Jeff Flake, R-Ariz., joined Democrats to advance the bill.

In opposing the bill, Utah GOP Sens. Mike Lee and Orrin Hatch said it was unconstitutional and unnecessary because Trump already knows that he would face political ruin if he fired Mueller.

"Firing Mueller would cause a firestorm and bring the administration's agenda to a halt. It could even result in impeachment," Hatch said.

But Tillis said the bill was necessary to protect

not just Mueller but future special counsels, and he said Congress should leave constitutional questions for the Supreme Court to decide.

White House aides have said Trump doesn't intend to fire either Mueller or Deputy Attorney General Rod Rosenstein, who oversees Mueller's investigation. But White House legislative director Marc Short said last weekend that he couldn't rule it out in the long term because it's not known "how far off this investigation is going to veer.

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"I am completely humbled by the responsibility and looking forward to serving the American

people and getting to work right away," Pompeo said.

Then it was off to Andrews Air Force Base, where a U.S. government aircraft was waiting to ferry Pompeo to Brussels for meetings at NATO headquarters. State Department

staffers, demoralized after a tumultuous first year of President Donald Trump's administration, gave a round of applause to Pompeo, who responded as he boarded the aircraft with a casual, "Hi, I'm Mike."

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new look at the way nominees' backgrounds are checked — and they believe they will

persuade Trump to take additional time to ensure that a replacement is sufficiently vetted.

The leading person now under consideration for the VA post is former Rep. Jeff

Miller, who chaired the House Veterans Affairs Committee before retiring last year, according to White House officials. Miller is a strong proponent of expanding private care for veterans, a Trump priority.

TODAY / TONIGHT SATURDAY SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY

Mostly sunny Mainly clear HIGH 84° 15% chance of rain LOW 62° 20% chance of rain	Pleasant with sunshine 85° / 59° 5% chance of rain	Mostly sunny 89° / 65° 5% chance of rain	Partly sunny 90° / 64° 25% chance of rain	Nice with plenty of sunshine 89° / 63° 10% chance of rain	Pleasant with sunshine and some clouds 90° / 65° 10% chance of rain
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76° GULF WATER TEMPERATURE

FLORIDA CITIES

City	Today	Sat.
Apalachicola	75 56 pc	79 58 s
Bradenton	79 66 pc	80 64 s
Clearwater	78 66 pc	80 66 s
Coral Springs	86 67 pc	85 68 s
Daytona Beach	81 59 pc	81 61 s
Fort Lauderdale	84 68 pc	84 69 s
Fort Myers	86 66 pc	86 64 s
Gainesville	81 56 pc	84 58 s
Jacksonville	82 58 pc	83 58 s
Key Largo	82 72 c	82 70 s
Key West	83 74 c	82 74 s
Lakeland	82 59 pc	84 58 s
Melbourne	85 62 pc	84 64 s
Miami	85 67 pc	85 67 s
Naples	84 67 pc	83 67 s
Ocala	80 57 s	83 56 s
Okeechobee	84 60 pc	83 59 s
Orlando	84 59 t	86 60 s
Panama City	74 55 pc	77 58 s
Pensacola	78 57 pc	81 60 s
Pompano Beach	84 67 pc	83 68 s
St. Augustine	81 60 pc	80 61 s
St. Petersburg	81 65 pc	82 66 s
Sarasota	80 64 s	80 62 s
Tallahassee	79 53 pc	83 56 s
Tampa	81 65 pc	83 64 s
Vero Beach	85 60 t	83 64 s
West Palm Beach	84 63 pc	83 67 s

FLORIDA CITIES TIDES

City	Today	Low	High	Low
Punta Gorda	Today 2:09a	8:37a	2:37p	9:16p
Sat. 3:06a	9:06a	2:55p	9:58p	
Englewood	Today 12:46a	6:53a	1:14p	7:32p
Sat. 1:43a	7:22a	1:32p	8:14p	
Boca Grande	Today 11:57a	5:25a	---	6:02p
Sat. 12:31a	5:58a	12:23p	6:48p	
El Jobean	Today 2:41a	9:06a	3:09p	9:45p
Sat. 3:38a	9:35a	3:27p	10:27p	
Venice	Today 11:29a	5:32a	11:58p	6:11p
Sat. 11:47a	6:01a	---	6:53p	

MARINE

Wind	Speed	Seas	Bay/Inland
direction	in knots	in feet	chop
Cape Sable to Tarpon Springs	WSW	6-12	0-1 Light
Tarpon Springs to Apalachicola	NW	6-12	1-3 Light

SUN AND MOON

The Sun	Rise	Set
Today	6:53 a.m.	7:59 p.m.
Saturday	6:53 a.m.	8:00 p.m.

The Moon	Rise	Set
Today	5:57 p.m.	5:34 a.m.
Saturday	6:54 p.m.	6:12 a.m.

SOLAR TABLE

Minor	Major	Minor	Major
Today	4:15a	10:27a	4:39p
Sat.	4:58a	11:09a	5:21p
Sun.	5:42a	11:54a	6:05p

The solunar period schedule allows planning days so you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during those times. Major periods begin at the times shown and last for 1.5 to 2 hours. The minor periods are shorter.

WEATHER HISTORY

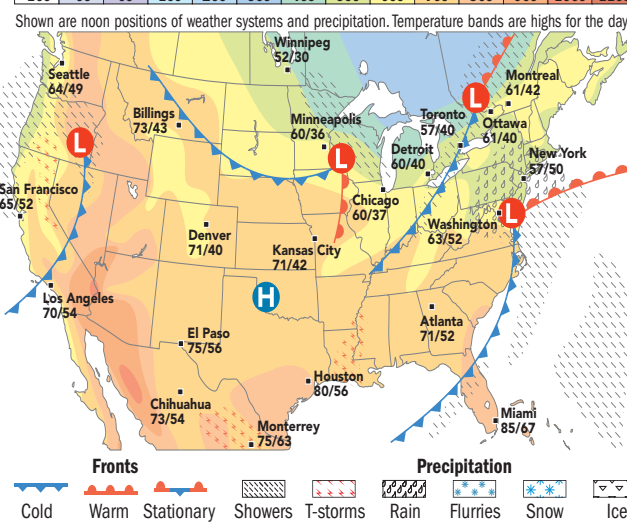
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U.S. Extremes

(For the 48 contiguous states yesterday)
High 94° at Thermal, CA
Low 14° at Lake George, CO

U.S. Cities

City	Today	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	Sat.
Albuquerque	76	52	pc	76	53	c	
Anchorage	44	35	pc	45	39	c	
Atlanta	71	52	pc	75	48	s	
Baltimore	61	48	r	71	42	pc	
Birmingham	73	43	s	79	52	s	
Boise	87	52	pc	67	44	pc	
Boston	59	50	r	66	48	pc	
Buffalo	60	40	pc	44	31	sh	
Burlington, VT	62	46	r	64	42	pc	
Charleston, WV	70	48	c	63	36	pc	
Charlotte	73	53	sh	76	46	pc	
Chicago	60	37	sh	50	34	s	
Cincinnati	67	45	pc	56	34	s	
Cleveland	62	39	c	46	33	s	
Columbia, SC	76	55	pc	80	52	s	
Columbus, OH	68	44	c	53	34	s	
Concord, NH	63	44	r	70	44	pc	
Dallas	77	49	s	82	56	s	
Denver	71	40	s	74	47	c	
Des Moines	73	40	s	60	39	s	
Detroit	60	40	pc	51	32	pc	
Duluth	44	27	c	52	32	pc	
Fairbanks	50	27	pc	50	32	pc	
Fargo	54	32	s	61	42	s	
Hartford	58	45	r	68	41	pc	
Helena	77	44	s	77	46	pc	
Honolulu	81	69	sh	78	66	pc	
Houston	80	56	s	83	59	pc	
Indianapolis	65	41	pc	53	33	s	

WORLD CITIES

City	Today	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	Sat.
Amsterdam	57	46	r	57	45	sh	
Baghdad	81	64	t	78	63	t	
Beijing	78	54	s	85	60	s	
Berlin	61	46	pc	70	50	pc	
Buenos Aires	76	62	t	70	62	r	
Cairo	85	63	s	88	71	s	
Calgary	70	39	s	74	45	pc	
Cancun	84	72	pc	85	73	pc	
Dublin	49	35	sh	51	38	sh	
Edmonton	72	44	s	76	44	pc	
Halifax	54	41	pc	54	43	t	
Helsinki	62	43	r	69	52	pc	
London	52	42	r	53	42	pc	
Madrid	76	51	pc	65	45	pc	

PORT CHARLOTTE

Temperatures	High/Low	Normal High/Low	Record High	Record Low
Punta Gorda through 2 p.m. Thursday	84°/56°	86°/62°	93° (1975)	49° (1986)

PRECIPITATION

24 hours through 2 p.m. Thu.	Month to date	Normal month to date	Year to date	Normal year to date
0.00"	0.39"	2.25"	2.51"	9.30"

MONTHLY RAINFALL

Month	2018	2017	Avg. Record/Year
Jan.	1.98	0.88	1.80
Feb.	0.66	0.94	2.52
Mar.	0.53	0.80	3.28
Apr.	1.15	1.59	2.03
May	2.74	2.50	9.45
Jun.	14.79	8.92	23.99
Jul.	9.02	8.22	14.22
Aug.	13.12	8.01	15.60
Sep.	12.46	6.84	14.03
Oct.	2.54	2.93	10.88
Nov.	0.44	1.91	5.53
Dec.	1.04	1.78	6.83
Year	4.32	60.36	50.74

VENICE

Temperatures	High/Low	Normal High/Low	Record High	Record Low
Venice through 2 p.m. Thursday	79°/70°	82°/63°	91° (1999)	50° (1974)

PRECIPITATION

24 hours through 2 p.m. Thu.	Month to date	Normal month to date	Year to date	Normal year to date
0.00"	0.39"	2.25"	2.51"	10.74"

SEBRING

Temperatures	High/Low	Normal High/Low	Record High	Record Low
Sebring through 2 p.m. Thursday	81°/56°	86°/66	93° (1975)	49° (1986)

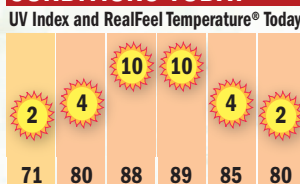
PRECIPITATION

24 hours through 2 p.m. Thu.	Month to date	Normal month to date	Year to date	Normal year to date
0.00"	0.39"	2.25"	2.51"	10.74"

AIRPORT

Hi/Lo	Outlook	Delays
Ft. Myers 86/66	part cldy	none
Punta Gorda 86/61	part cldy	none
Sarasota 80/64	sun	none

CONDITIONS TODAY



Facebook and big tech stocks rally as US indexes climb

By **MARLEY JAY**
AP MARKETS WRITER

NEW YORK — U.S. stocks climbed Thursday as Facebook led a rally by technology companies. Most of the market moved higher as interest rates declined from the four-year highs reached over the last few days.

Facebook saw its stock price wither last month after its data privacy scandal, but shares surged Thursday as the controversy didn't appear to affect the social media platform's business in the first quarter. Other big technology companies like Alphabet and Microsoft also rallied and reversed some of their recent losses.

Strong first-quarter results from companies including Chipotle Mexican Grill and O'Reilly Automotive helped retailers and other consumer-focused companies. Amazon surged and energy companies also climbed. Stock indexes rose and interest rates decreased after a Commerce Department survey showed business investment decreased in March for the third time in the last four months.

Scott Wren, senior global equity strategist for the Wells Fargo Investment Institute, said investors were happy to see the decline in business investment because it might encourage the Federal Reserve to raise interest rates at a slower clip.

"To me the biggest risk (to the market) is the Fed, and the Fed hiking rates too much, given at least the level of economic growth we expect," he said.

The S&P 500 index jumped 27.54 points, or 1 percent, to 2,666.94. The Dow Jones industrial average added 238.51 points, or 1 percent, to 24,322.34. The technology-heavy Nasdaq composite advanced 114.94 points, or 1.6 percent, to 7,118.68.

The Russell 2000 index of smaller-company stocks added 7.43 points, or 0.5 percent, to 1,557.89.

Three months ago the S&P 500 and Dow closed at all-time highs. At that time they had repeatedly set records for a year and a half. But since Jan. 26 the market has been hit by worries about rising inflation and a potential trade war between the U.S. and China, and big names like Facebook and Amazon have had a rough ride. The S&P is down 7.2 percent in the last three months and the Dow has slumped 8.6 percent.

Facebook surged 9.1 percent to \$174.16 after the company's advertisers appeared to shrug off the Cambridge Analytica privacy scandal. Facebook said its revenue jumped and there were few signs users or advertisers were abandoning the company since the scandal broke in mid-March.

Alphabet, Google's parent company and the only digital publisher larger than Facebook, rose 2 percent to \$1,043.31. Twitter gained 1.7 percent to \$30.27.

Facebook has faced a backlash about how it collects and uses data since the revelation that Cambridge Analytica, a data mining firm linked to the Trump campaign, had gained information on up to 87 million of its users.

Facebook stock is

down 5.9 percent since then, and other technology companies have also stumbled as investors worried about the possibility that the government would start regulating them more harshly, which could affect their profits.

Amazon jumped 4 percent to \$1,517.96. It rose another 6 percent in aftermarket trading as Wall Street was pleased with the online retailer's first-quarter results.

Wren, of Wells Fargo, said that big name technology and consumer-focused stocks have struggled since the market reached its recent highs, but they should continue to do well.

"This cycle isn't over and technology and the consumer discretionary sector are going to continue to participate in the upside (for the market)," he said.

Chipotle Mexican Grill climbed after the company said sales improved in the first quarter, raising hopes that the chain is recovering from repeated food safety scares. The shares rose 24.4 percent to \$422.50. They traded as high as \$757 in mid-2015.

Bond prices edged higher. The yield on the 10-year Treasury note dipped to 2.98 percent from 3.03 percent.

Benchmark U.S. crude oil inched up 0.2 percent to \$68.19 a barrel in New York. Brent crude, used to price international oils, rose 1 percent to \$74.74 a barrel in London.

Wholesale gasoline gained 1.1 percent to \$2.11 a gallon. Heating oil rose 1.1 percent to \$2.16 a gallon. Natural gas rose 1.3 percent to \$2.82 per 1,000 cubic feet.

Microsoft Windows adapts as its business importance declines

By **MATT O'BRIEN**
AP TECHNOLOGY WRITER

For Microsoft, Windows is no longer a core business so much as a complement to the company's other offerings.

The company still makes money from Windows, the computer operating system that helped catapult the Microsoft software to success more than three decades ago. But Windows' share of the business has shrunk.

The company on Thursday reported third-quarter revenue of \$26.8 billion, an increase of 16 percent over the previous year. By contrast, Windows licensing revenue grew by just 4 percent.

The slow growth of Windows sales is not too much of a worry for Microsoft, as the Redmond, Washington, company is using Windows to get individuals and businesses to spend on other products. That means giving out free updates to Windows 10 on a regular basis, rather than holding out for customers to pay for new versions every few years.

"By making Windows less restrictive, they're creating a more beneficial environment for the adoption of other products," Morningstar analyst Rodney Nelson said.

Under CEO Satya Nadella, Microsoft has been boosting its efforts on internet-based services in an acknowledgment that people are buying personal computers with Windows less often and are instead



AP FILE PHOTO

In this May 11, 2017, photo, members of a design team at Cirque du Soleil demonstrate use of Microsoft's HoloLens device in helping to virtually design a set at the Microsoft Build 2017 developers conference in Seattle.

spending their time on phones and other devices.

These services, mostly designed for business customers, include the cloud computing service Azure and subscriptions for the Office 365 suite of workplace software such as email and spreadsheets. For individuals, Microsoft has also been using Windows to steer people to ad-support services such as Bing searches or as a portal for its Xbox gaming system.

The shift was a bold move for a company that depended so much on Windows licenses for revenue. Windows still made up 29 percent of Microsoft's total revenue in 2010, three years after Apple's release of the first iPhone began shaking up the PC market. By last year, Windows was pulling in about \$15 billion in annual revenue — about the same amount as a decade earlier, but now only about 16 percent of the company's total business.

Microsoft's earnings for the January-March

quarter beat Wall Street forecasts in both revenue and profit, powered largely by the performance of the cloud and Office businesses. It reported profit of \$7.42 billion, or 95 cents per share.

The company doesn't release its total Windows revenue in its quarterly reports. The revenue comes from license fees paid by manufacturers that install Windows on PCs and servers.

Nelson said Microsoft will still get a short-term benefit from consumers and businesses that are still cycling off Windows 7 or Windows 8 and moving onto new computers equipped with Windows 10.

But Nelson said the long-range view under Nadella, who became CEO in 2014, is to expect less revenue from Windows over time.

"Pretty much from Day 1 Satya has been de-emphasizing Windows," Nelson said. "Windows probably isn't going to matter nearly as much in 10 years as it did 10 years ago."

Mutual Funds

Name	NAV	Chg	5-yr %Rtn	CGM Foc	52-wk Range
AB					
DiversMktAdm	14.04	...	+1.0		
SmCpGrA m	54.86	+4.2	+14.8		
AMG					
YackFoc d	20.81	+1.5	+9.1		
Yackman d	22.58	+1.1	+9.0		
AQR					
MgdFnsStrat	8.96	...	+0.2		
Aberdeen					
IntlSmCpA m	32.04	+1.5	+7.3		
Akre					
Retail m	33.79	+4.7	+15.5		
Alco					
SmCpGrB m	6.78	+0.9	+10.2		
Alpine					
dynDivInvt d	4.15	+0.2	+9.4		
amya					
MutGrInV b	35.03	+2.7	+2.9		
MutGrInV b	48.48	+2.2	+9.2		
American Century					
CpplValIn	8.61	+0.4	+10.0		
EqIncl m	8.67	+0.3	+10.1		
GrInV m	33.99	+5.6	+14.3		
HyMutInV	9.56	...	+3.7		
HemageInV	23.02	+1.9	+12.1		
IntlTrmFdBoln	11.09	...	+1.5		
UltrInV	45.57	+9.0	+16.5		
American Funds					
AMCPA m	33.03	+2.9	+14.2		
AmrncBdA m	26.89	+1.8	+9.1		
NWPschA m	10.18	+0.1	+3.4		
AmrncMUA m	40.25	+2.4	+10.6		
BdAmrncA m	12.49	+0.2	+1.2		
CpplValGrInC	51.82	+4.5	+9.5		
CpplValGrInC	60.86	+3.5	+5.5		
CpplValGrInC	19.90	...	+0.9		
EuroPacGrA m	56.80	+4.2	+8.0		
FdmInV m	62.26	+6.1	+13.3		
GrbBA m	32.55	+1.6	+6.1		
GblAmrncA m	51.96	+7.6	+15.1		
InAmrncA m	22.83	+0.9	+7.4		
InrmBdAmrA m	13.09	...	+0.4		
InVAmrncA m	40.32	+4.6	+12.5		
NewWIA m	67.08	+1.8	+9.1		
NWPschA m	10.18	+0.1	+3.4		
SmCpWIA m	56.77	+3.8	+10.9		
TheNewEcoA m	47.30	+5.5	+14.9		
TxBdA m	12.73	+0.1	+2.3		
WAMInV m	45.64	+3.5	+12.5		
Angel Oak					
MtStratIncls	11.22	...	+3.8		
Artisan					
IntlInV	34.20	+2.7	+6.2		
IntlValInVst	38.11	+3.1	+8.9		
Baird					
AggrateBdInVst	10.51	+0.2	+1.9		
CorPlusBdInVst	10.85	+0.1	+2.1		
ShrTrmBdInVst	9.55	...	+1.3		
Barn					
AsstRetail b	71.72	+6.7	+13.6		
GrRetail b	70.05	+6.7	+11.4		
PnsRetail b	51.30	+5.2	+14.0		
Berkshire					
Foc d	24.11	+6.6	+20.2		
BlackRock					
AQCPngRslmV	11.78	+1.5	+14.0		
EqDivInVst	22.62	+0.5	+11.0		
GblAlInVst	19.71	+0.8	+5.3		
GblAlInVst	19.58	+0.8	+5.0		
GblAlInVst	17.64	+0.8	+4.2		
HYBdInV b	7.64	...	+5.0		
StncOpInV m	9.87	...	+4.7		
StrcOpInV m	14.78	+0.2	+3.7		
Bruce					
Bruce	509.80	+2.60	+7.9		
Fidelity					
500dInVns	93.25	+9.7	+13.3		
500dInVnsPm	93.24	+9.6	+13.3		
500dInVnsPm	93.24	+9.6	+13.3		
AllSectorEq	12.36	+1.4	+3.2		
AssMgtR50%	18.17	+1.0	+6.6		
BCGrowth	14.46	+3.0	NA		
BCGrowth	91.67	+1.94	+17.6		
Balanced	23.81	+1.9	+9.5		
BalancedK	23.81	+2.0	+9.6		
Canada	52.92	+3.2	+3.7		
Cap&In	10.14	+0.4	+6.2		
Contrafund	126.35	+2.31	+15.3		
ContrafundK	126.31	+2.31	+15.4		
DIVGrA	32.37	+0.5	+11.3		
DiversIntl	39.59	+2.2	+7.0		
DiversIntlK	39.53	+2.3	+7.1		
EmkMkts	21.11	+0.9	+6.3		
EmkMkts	32.14	+2.7	+6.8		
EmergingAsia	43.46	+0.5	+8.6		
ExMktIdVPr	62.85	+3.6	+12.3		
FlingRtInV	9.65	...	+3.3		
FidelityBook	45.36	+2.2	+16.7		
FormOneQd	44.32	+3.1	+9.5		
FormOneQd	16.53	+0.8	+7.0		
Form2025	14.38	+0.8	+7.8		
Form2030	18.07	+1.2	+8.7		
Form2035	15.29	+1.1	+9.6		
Form2040	10.74	+0.8	+9.7		
GNMA	11.08	+0.3	+1.1		
GlobalExStk	13.25	+0.7	+5.7		
GrCo	17.61	+3.5	NA		
GrCo	188.51	+3.75	+18.8		
GrCoK	188.54	+3.76	+18.9		
Growth&In	37.23	+2.4	+11.3		
Independence	38.49	+5.1	+12.7		
IntlEqInV	52.96	+2.2	+7.1		
IntlGr	16.06	+1.2	+7.3		
IntlInV	43.43	+1.8	+6.3		
IntlInV	43.43	+1.8	+6.2		
IntlInV	11.76	+0.3	+5.8		
IntlInV	10.76	+0.4	+6.6		
InvmGradeBd	10.91	+0.3	+1.8		
InvmGradeBd	7.68	+0.2	+1.1		
JapanSmCo	19.11	+0.7	+11.1		
LatinAmCo	26.15	+2.5	+3.3		
LowPrStk	55.23	+3.4	+11.3		
LowPrStk	55.20	+3.5	+11.4		
MagCapStk	33.58	+3.6	+9.4		
MegaCapStk	107.52	+1.46	+15.0		
MidCapStk	26.50	+2.0	+11.8		
MidCapVal	38.61	+2.1	+11.9		
MidCapVal	24.48	+1.3	+10.9		
MuniInV	12.63	...	+2.7		
MuniInV	12.81	+0.1	+2.3		
NasdaqComp	93.67	+1.56	+18.0		
NewMillennium	40.48	+2.7	+12.3		
NwMktsInV	15.57	...	+3.8		
Nordic	50.16	+2.4	+10.1		
OTCPortals	114.64	+2.42	+21.0		
Overseas	50.56	+2.1	+9.2		
NYTXEdB	14.44	+0.1	+2.4		
Puritan	23.46	+1.9	+9.8		
PuritanK	23.45	+1.9	+10.0		
RealEstate	26.50	+2.0	+11.8		
SkSectorAlCo	44.80	+4.6	+13.5		
StratInc	10.77	+0.8	+3.2		
TaxFreeBond	11.20	+0.1	+2.7		
TotalBond	10.35	+0.3	+2.1		
TiMktIdV	76.48	+7.3	+13.1		
TiMktIdV	76.46	+7.3	+13.1		
TiMktIdV	76.47	+7.3	+13.1		
USBdInVnsPm	11.21	+0.3	+1.4		
USBdInVnsPm	11.21	+0.3	+1.3		
ValDisc	28.39	+0.4	+11.3		
Value	118.05	+7.7	+10.7		
Fidelity Select					
Biotechnology	21.26	+4.29	+14.5		
Energy	47.20	+5.8	+1.9		
Gold	19.60	+0.7	-3.4		
HealthCare	234.00	+3.16	+17.5		
HealthCareSvcs	89.16	-1.1	+17.1		
Leisure	159.25	+1.37	+14.1		
Materials	82.31	+5.0	+7.6		
MedTechDevs	46.24	+6.6	+21.1		
NaturalGas	24.33	+2.7			

A diet high in purines can bring on a sudden gout attack

DEAR DR. ROACH: I have gout in my big toes. Does uric acid cause gout? Also, I read that gout is caused by red meat and seafood. Is only shellfish considered seafood, or any fish, such as haddock and salmon? — D.E.B.

ANSWER: Gout is a disease associated with uric acid crystals (strictly speaking, it's monosodium urate, the sodium salt of uric acid). They are deposited in soft tissues, joints or bones. It often is seen in its acute phase, commonly in the first joint of the big toe, where it is exquisitely painful, red and swollen. However, some people can have a chronic form of gout, with uric acid crystals visible in the soft tissue, often in cool areas of the body, such as the ears and hands. These depositions are called "tophi," and the condition is called "tophaceous gout."

A diet high in purines (a chemical that gets broken down into uric acid) can precipitate a gout attack in people who are genetically predisposed. There are many foods that have high amounts of purines.



Dr. Roach

I recommend the discussion about this from the Mayo Clinic (at <https://tinyurl.com/gout-foods>). Some meats are much more likely to cause problems, including organ meats (liver, sweetbreads), some seafood (scallops and haddock are bad, salmon is not), and alcohol (beer is worse than wine). Too much protein of any kind needs to be avoided. People with recurrent gout should be on medication to prevent problems.

DEAR DR. ROACH: I am 90 years old and weigh 126 pounds. I got a pacemaker one and

a half years ago, with ablation of the AV node to stop atrial fibrillation. I have been very tired most of the time. My medications are: diltiazem, Crestor, Eliquis and Lasix. I was on 40-mg Lasix twice daily, but I developed shortness of breath about a month ago, and my doctor doubled the dose to 80-mg Lasix twice daily, which took away my shortness of breath. The last lab test results all were fine except blood urea nitrogen, which was 37 (reference range 8-26); and creatinine, which was 1.66 (reference range 0.44-1.00).

I have very low blood pressure. Over the past eight days, it has averaged 108/56. Last night I got up around 3 a.m. and didn't feel well. My blood pressure was 87/50; 10 minutes later it was 106/50. A week ago, my pacemaker was adjusted a bit to give me more energy, which helped.

My question is, Should the Lasix be reduced? My doctor wants to keep everything as is. I think my blood pressure is too low, and I feel weak and tired. — V.S.

ANSWER: The blood pressure results you report are low and certainly could explain symptoms of feeling tired. Even though I think it's a good idea, without knowing more about you I can't recommend reducing medications. The reason is your shortness of breath — which responded to a higher dose of furosemide (Lasix, a powerful diuretic that forces the kidneys to remove excess salt and water) — may be due to an element of heart failure. "Heart failure" is a scary term, but it means your heart needs help in order to provide blood your body needs.

READERS: The booklet on diverticulitis explains this common disorder and its treatments. Readers can order a copy by writing:

Dr. Roach
Book No. 502
628 Virginia Dr.
Orlando, FL 32803
Enclose a check or money order (no cash) for \$4.75 U.S./\$6 Can. with the recipient's printed name and address. Please allow four weeks for delivery.

7 LITTLE WORDS

Find the 7 words to match the 7 clues. The numbers in parentheses represent the number of letters in each solution. Each letter combination can be used only once, but all letter combinations will be necessary to complete the puzzle.

CLUES

- perplexes (9)
- humorous Python (5)
- reason to "raise a flag" (8)
- fitting (in) (8)
- keenly (7)
- courier's bag type (9)
- manicurist's targets (8)

SOLUTIONS

FLU	ACU	OF	XES	DES
NTY	MES	LES	TE	CU
LY	GER	END	FSI	MO
BL	TIC	MMO	SEN	ING

Thursday's Answers: 1. WATERMARK 2. UNSTICK 3. INTERLOPER 4. SPONGINESS 5. MARRY 6. MANUSCRIPTS 7. INVITEE 4/27

Single woman is urged to date, but offered no help

DEAR ABBY: I'm 37 and still single. I have never been able to keep a guy around very long. They have all given me different reasons, but the main theme is that I'm "too independent and better as a friend." I've kept some of my exes as friends, so there haven't been hard feelings.



Dear Abby

I have accepted that I'm going to always be alone. I have come to terms with it and made a fairly decent life for myself. My issue is, everyone keeps insisting there's someone out there for me. But when I've asked them to help set me up on dates or introduce me to a friend, they haven't been willing, even though they've done it for others many times.

"get" I'm fat and not attractive, so maybe they don't think I'm worthy of dating their friends. But how do I get them to stop pushing me to date, especially when they won't help?

I also hate it when they ask me why I'm not a mom yet when I would be such a good one. Uh, hello! It takes two to make a baby!

I have lost friends over this since it's tough to hang around with people who pity me for being solo and

can't accept me. What do I do? — Lonely, But Ok

DEAR LONELY: Tell these friends you know they think they are trying to help when they say these things, but the truth is it makes you feel terrible and to stop.

Next, recognize that the time has come to enlarge your circle of friends. While it's true there may be a special someone out there for you, the chances are slim to none that he'll find you hanging out with this group.

You are by far not the only overweight individual in this great nation of ours, and many of them are happily coupled up. Nobody has everything. People who focus on their positive qualities and make an effort to develop them are attractive. If you stop dwelling on your perceived flaws and work to develop the things you have to offer, the results may surprise you.

JUMBLE

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

FEAGF

RNOWS

LASRWU

ZECIRO

“ ”

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THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

by David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek



HER CAT SLEPT ON HER SWEATER, AND NOW IT WAS ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: SNIFF TIGHT CRANKY LEAGUE
Answer: After seeing that his houseboat had been wrecked in the storm, his — HEART SANK

Identifying fake charities

Dear Readers: Most people give to a charity in order to do something good for someone else. Unfortunately, scammers use that to get people to give money to FAKE CHARITIES. Here are some hints from the Federal Trade Commission to help you determine if you should really make a contribution:

* Hang up on anyone asking you to send cash, or asking you to wire money.

* Give only to charities you are familiar with, and you can check those out with the BBB Wise Giving Alliance, Charity Navigator, CharityWatch or GuideStar.

* Do your research! Search online and look under "char-



Hints from Heloise

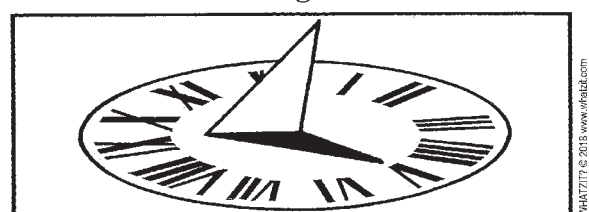
ity complaints" and "charity scams."

* Be very careful with crowdfunding sites or any social media asking for money.

* For more information, go to ftc.gov/charity, or if you've been the victim of a scam, go to ftc.gov/complaint. — Heloise

WHATZIT?

Find the familiar phrase, saying or name in this arrangement of letters.



SOLUTION Five o'clock shadow

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EASY

12X			2-
3+		3	
	1-	2÷	2-
4			

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CHALLENGING

24X		6	4-
3÷	1-		3÷
3-	2	4-	
	15X	2-	4-
5	5-		24X
1-		3÷	4

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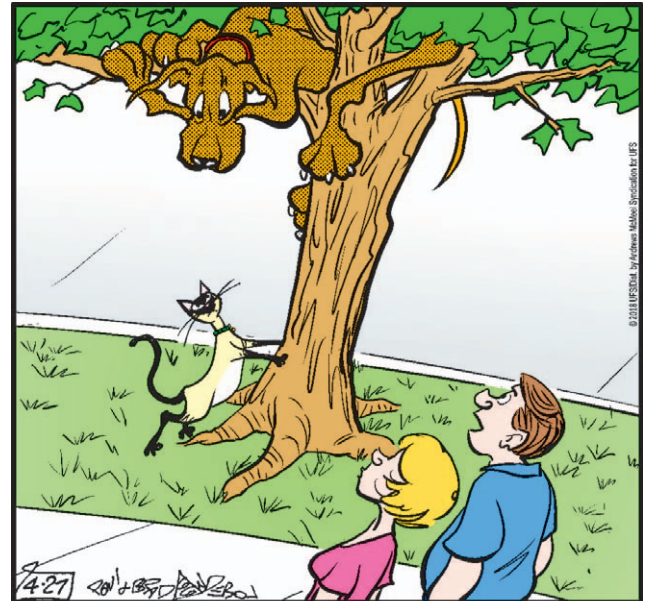
RULES

- Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 4 (easy) or 1 through 6 (challenging) without repeating.
- The numbers within the heavily outlined boxes, called cages, must combine using the given operation (in any order) to produce the target numbers in the top-left corners.
- Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.

PREVIOUS ANSWERS

2	2-	3-	
1-	3	2÷	4
3-	3	2	4
7+	1	4	2
	4	3	1

MARMADUKE By Brad Anderson



"Now there's something you don't see very often."

Cryptoquip

4-27

PSXCI ECHGOCO BEPLX HCA-
OXTZXUXA ABXWWXUL PJOXI
ZCUOGSGZCOX GI LKYCHHWXL:
C KYCUUXW UXXJ.
Yesterday's Cryptoquip: I HAVE A PECULIAR, STRONG COMPULSION TO RATION EVERYTHING OUT. YOU MIGHT SAY I ALLOT A LOT.
Today's Cryptoquip Clue: K equals Q

WORD SLEUTH • "CATE" WORDS

D Y W U R P N K I G D V P B Z
E T A C O V E X V S A L Q O M
K I B G E C E T E C A A Y E W
U S D Q V P E T A C N U R T N
L J I H E F A T A C E C A A Y
X V C U S C E T A C I S Q C P
E T A C I D E D N C O L M O K
J H T D C F E C B Z I L E V Y
X V E T A C O F F U S D L D U
T M R E T A C L A F Q P N A O
M L K I E T A C U D E H G I E

Thursday's unlisted clue: NELSON
Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.
Friday's unlisted clue hint: TO FIND SOMETHING

Abdicate	Delicate	Indicate	Truncate
Advocate	Educate	Medicare	Vacate
Allocate	Evocate	Placate	Vesicate
Dedicate	Falcate	Suffocate	

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HOROSCOPE

ARIES (March 21-April 19). This circumstance at work is potentially very tricky. Maybe you feel as though you've done it before, but it wasn't like this. You can think of all that other stuff as practice for what's to come.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20). The careful listener will learn everything there is to know through casual conversation about nothing in particular. You're such a person, if you want to be. Much will depend on how badly you want to know.
GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Most of the day will seem to be spent in recovery mode as you react to one thing after another. Get up. That's where the glory is — not in the lack of stumbles but in the getting up and up and up again.
CANCER (June 22-July 22). Conversation will flow; commerce will happen quickly; the trends you take part in will gather momentum. Forwarding your own interests will have to do with the levity of your attitude.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You're not an open book. You're more like a diary, with a lock to open the thing — and then another

lock on each chapter. And each chapter requires a different key, and there are some chapters that nobody has the key to at all.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You drive a hard bargain, but only sometimes. When the situation feels right, you don't even drive a bargain. The bargain seems to drive you. And mutually satisfying deals are struck in the moment without accompanying legalese.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You sometimes feel close to people you don't know, and that's because you are close to them. You don't have to know a person in a daily and real sort of way to know that you have compatible minds, made from the same stuff.
SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). If life is like an exam, then it's not the kind of test where everyone gets the same questions. Rather, your test is different from the test of the person next to you. That's why it does no good to copy.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Justice will be served, and you'll be a huge part of why and how this happens. You're especially keen in fighting for those who cannot stand up for themselves.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). It is possible for relationships to take a new direction at any time. However, where there's a void to be filled, it will be much easier to find someone new than to try to bend an existing relationship into a new mold.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). The pressure you feel is because you've decided there's something to uphold, but you could just as easily decide that there's not. What if you don't have to be anything to anyone?
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Whether you're traveling the interstate or the road of life, there's nothing more irritating than a backseat driver. It cuts out a lot of confusion to work out this mission solo.
TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (April 27). You're onto something. You know it, and the world knows it. There will be a bit of a journey before the deals get made. The generosity you give others will make things happen in their lives. You will lead with love, without strings or guilt. What comes of this will be more important than money, although that comes, too. Cancer and Scorpio adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 3, 5, 20, 13 and 28.

Friday, April 27, 2018

GOREN BRIDGE

WITH BOB JONES

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SOMETHING HAPPENED

North-South vulnerable, West deals

NORTH
 ♠ 8
 ♥ 10 7 6 3
 ♦ A 10 9 2
 ♣ J 10 8 4

WEST
 ♠ 9 6 4
 ♥ A K 9
 ♦ J 7 6 3
 ♣ Q 3 2

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

SOUTH
 ♠ K Q J 10 5 3 2
 ♥ 5 4
 ♦ K Q
 ♣ A 5

The bidding:
WEST **NORTH** **EAST** **SOUTH**
 Pass Pass Pass 4♠
 All pass

Opening lead: Ace of ♥

The North-South contract appears to have no chance. There is no side entry to dummy's ace of diamonds so there is a certain club loser to go with the three major suit losers. Sometimes, however, something happens to a defensive trick and it is hard to assign the blame as to why.

West continued with the king of hearts at trick two followed by another heart, ruffed by South. The

queen of spades was led and taken by East's ace. A club or a diamond shift by East would have settled the matter, but East reasonably went for an uppercut in the trump suit by returning his last heart. Declarer's trumps were too good for an uppercut to work. South ruffed high and drew the outstanding trumps in two more rounds.

South cashed one more trump, coming down to the ace-10-9 of diamonds and the jack-10 of clubs in the dummy. All would have been well for the defense had East discarded two diamonds on the spades, but East had high-lowed in clubs to show strength there so he had only discarded one diamond.

When South led his last trump, West thought it was possible that declarer had started with no clubs and all four of the missing diamonds. Accordingly, West discarded the queen of clubs. South shed the nine of diamonds from dummy and then overtook the queen of diamonds with dummy's ace. He finessed East out of the king of clubs and brought home his contract. This all really happened and East-West were experts. What happened to that trick?

(Bob Jones welcomes readers' e-mails: tcaeditors@tribpub.com)

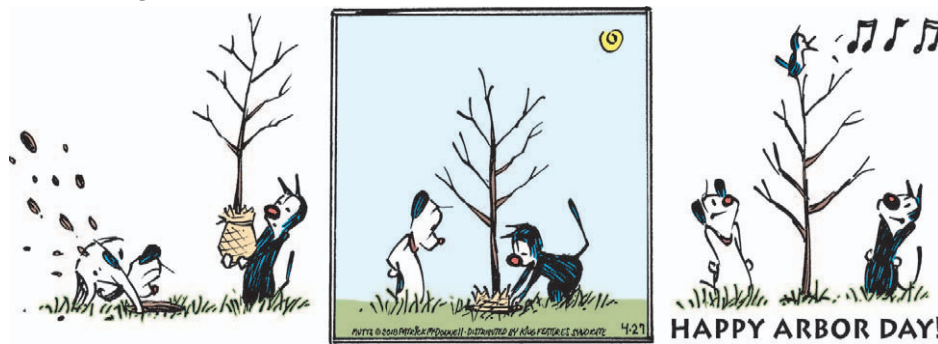
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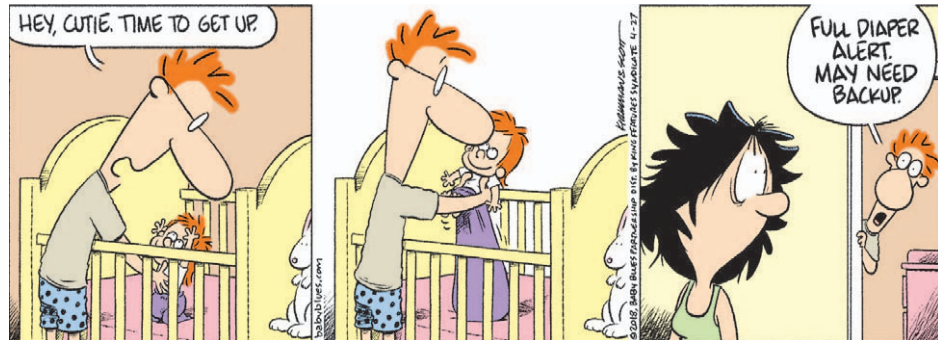
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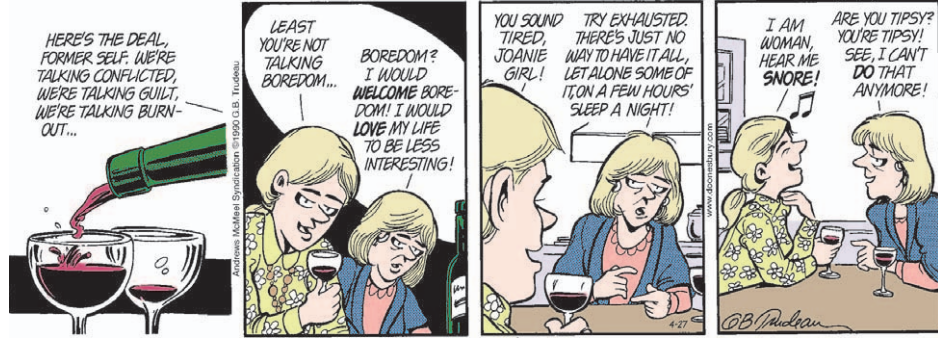
MUTTS By Patrick McDonnell



BABY BLUES By Rick Kirkman and Jerry Scott



DOONSBURY By Garry Trudeau



TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- 1 Buzz
- 4 Said with gestures
- 9 Parking lot unit
- 14 That, in Acapulco
- 15 Dancer — Astaire
- 16 Tiny part
- 17 Uluru locale
- 19 Hunter of myth
- 20 Ordinary language
- 21 Be accepted (2 wds.)
- 23 New Year's Eve word
- 24 Says in fun
- 27 Soft drink
- 30 Tax
- 32 Web-footed bird
- 33 Act sinister
- 37 Track competitor
- 39 Oven pan
- 40 Meal in a tortilla
- 42 Put on a show
- 43 God of the sea
- 44 Winter mo.
- 45 Split
- 48 Psyche's suitor
- 50 Films
- 51 Ski lift (hyph.)
- 55 Open a parka
- 57 Farm implement pioneer

DOWN

- 58 Bandleader Count —
- 60 Bartered
- 64 Happy tunes
- 65 More mature
- 66 And, for Wolfgang
- 67 Date
- 68 Warning signal
- 69 Vote against
- 1 Piles up
- 2 Loan-sharking
- 3 Brick worker
- 4 Adult filly
- 5 Snake River loc.
- 6 Blanc or Gibson
- 7 New Haven student
- 8 Make the ears ring
- 9 Person from Dundee
- 10 Eiffel Tower site
- 11 Protein base (2 wds.)
- 12 Corp. biggie
- 13 Many years
- 18 Mao — -tung
- 22 Ames inst.
- 24 Leap in a tutu
- 25 In charge of
- 26 Barbie's friend
- 28 Because of (2 wds.)
- 29 Rubber city

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

NEED	MEOW	BURTS
IMSO	AMMO	AGORA
BITE	MAIN	FRAMES
RARE	BIT	LENSES
	BOLT	ADD
JACOB	SECT	ASTA
UTOPIA	DATE	PRE
LAMENTS	REDMEAT	
ELM	GRID	NIACIN
PLAT	IBIS	TESLA
	EMU	ACME
CUSTOM	LAID	LOW
UPHOLSTERS	ODES	
BOUND	ACCT	SILO
ANTSY	RTES	SELL

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- 30 Had status
- 31 Went wrong
- 33 Commerce
- 34 Four-bagger
- 35 In a rowdy manner
- 36 Winding curve
- 38 Jackie's second
- 40 Be a sign of
- 41 Finds a job for
- 43 Jewelry item
- 46 Here, to Pierre
- 47 Venomous snakes
- 49 Bad moods
- 51 Decade
- 52 Underway
- 53 Sports venue
- 54 "I Am Woman" singer
- 56 Piquancy
- 57 Mend a heel
- 58 Deli order
- 59 Melody
- 61 Cato's dozen
- 62 EMT technique
- 63 Part of a giggle

JANRIC CLASSIC SUDOKU

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and 3x3 block. Use logic and process elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from Bronze (easiest) to Silver to Gold (hardest).

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

Rating: SILVER

Solution to 4/26/18

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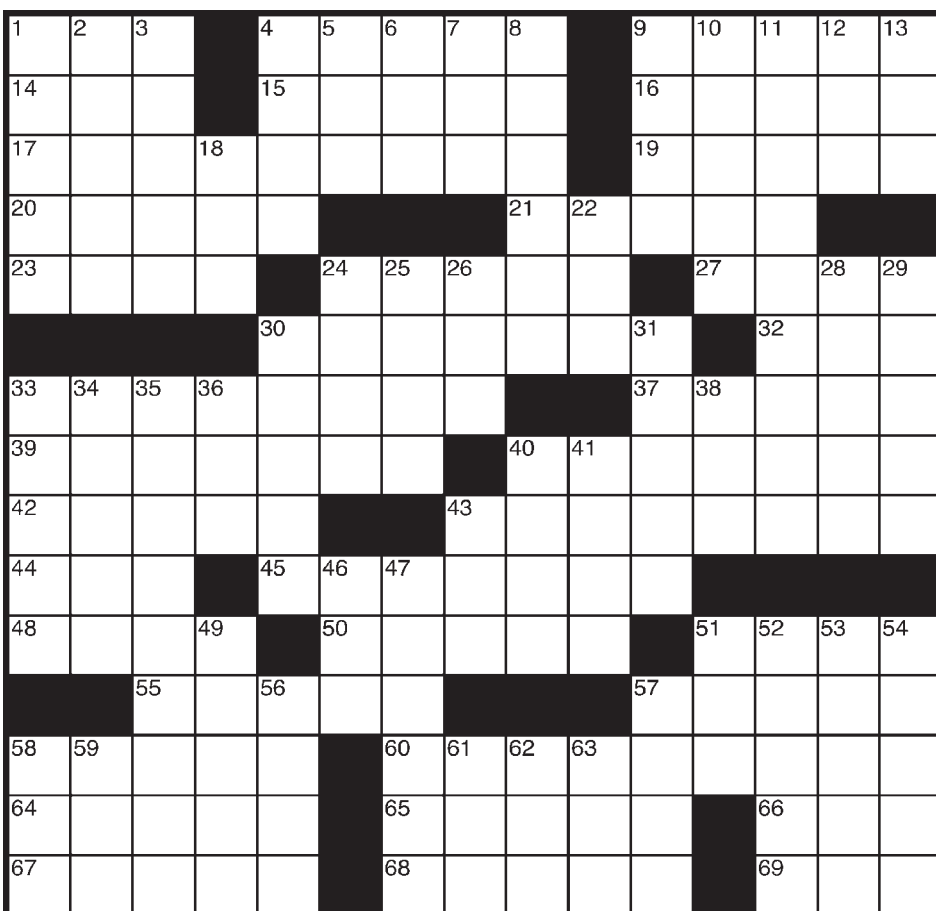
WORDY GURDY

BY TRICKY RICKY KANE

- 1. Actor Damon's rodents (1)
- 2. Actress Thurman's cougars (2)
- 3. Former VP Biden's black birds (1)
- 4. House Speaker Paul's jungle beasts (2)
- 5. Singer Coolidge's spotted African cats (2)
- 6. Jedi player Mark's dromedaries (2)
- 7. Fox anchor Smith's spotted African cats (2)

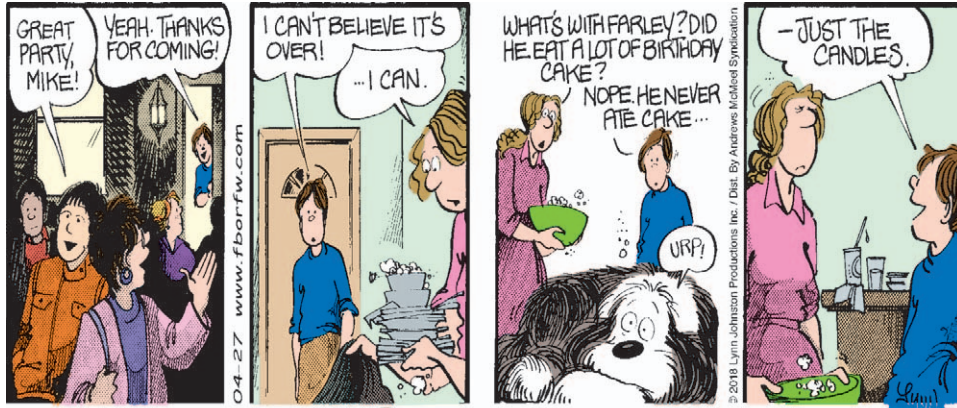
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ANSWERS
 1. MATTS RATS 2. UMAS PUMAS 3. JOES CROWS 4. RYANS LIONS
 5. RITAS CHEETAHS 6. HAMILLS CAMELS 7. SHEPARDS LEOPARDS



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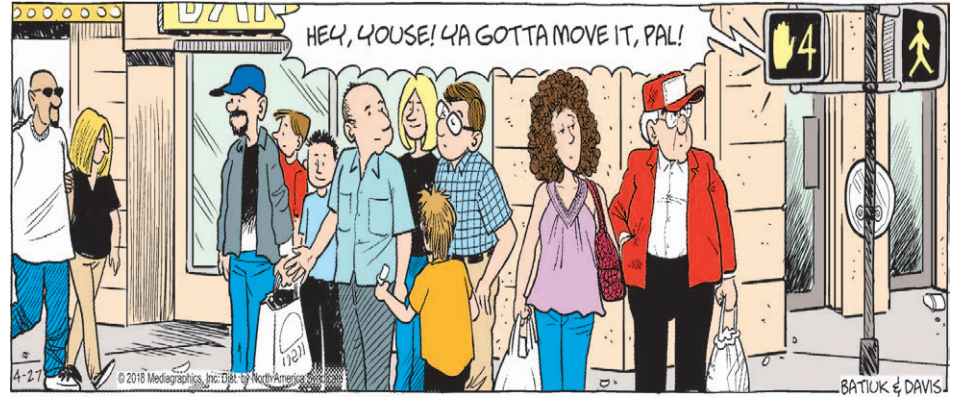
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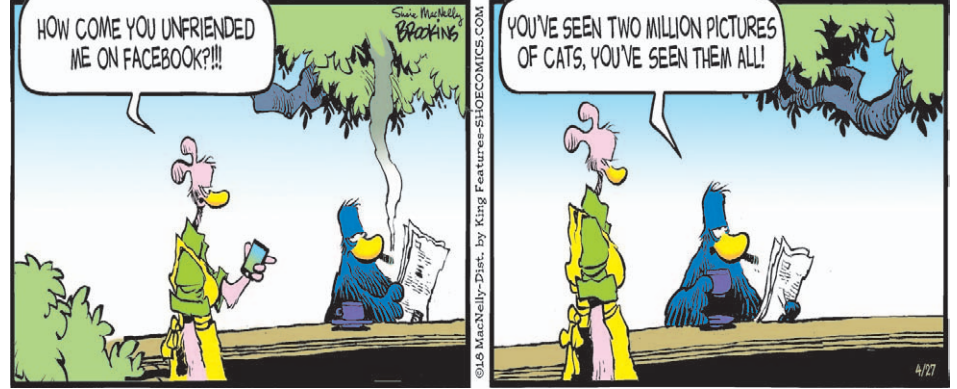
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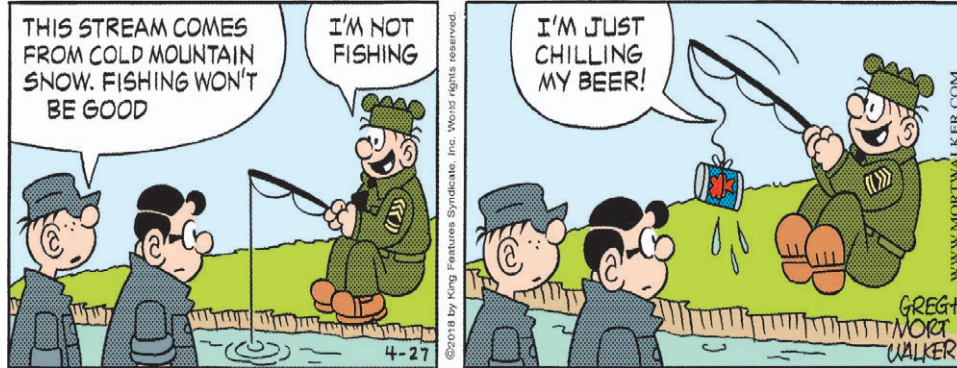
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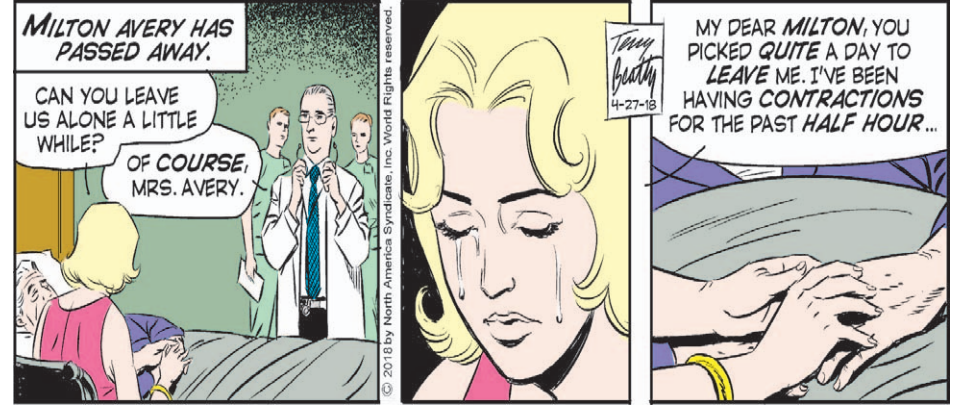
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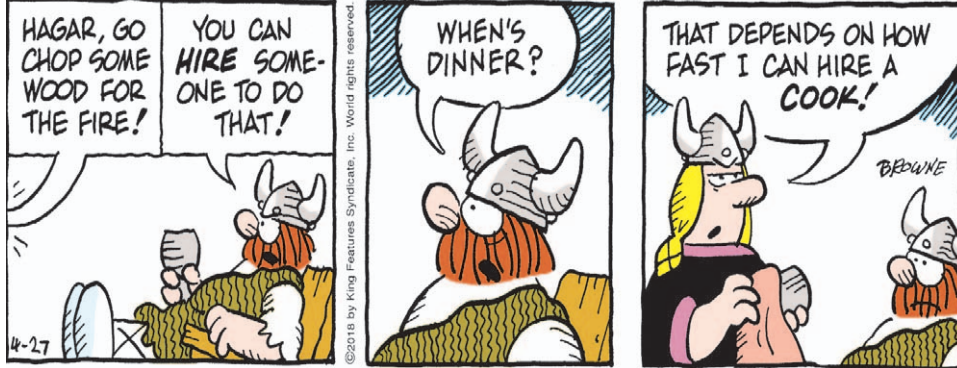
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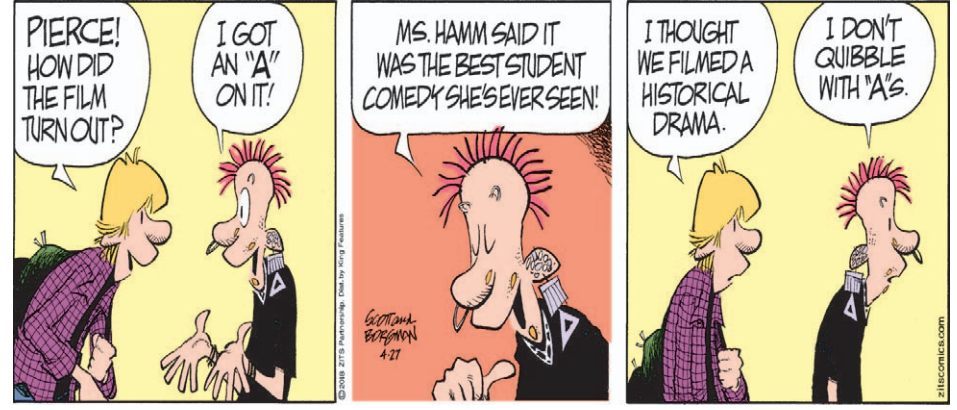
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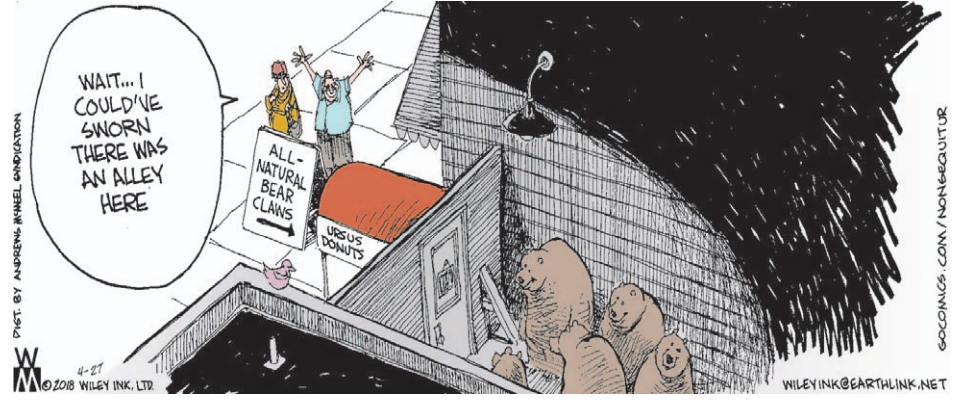
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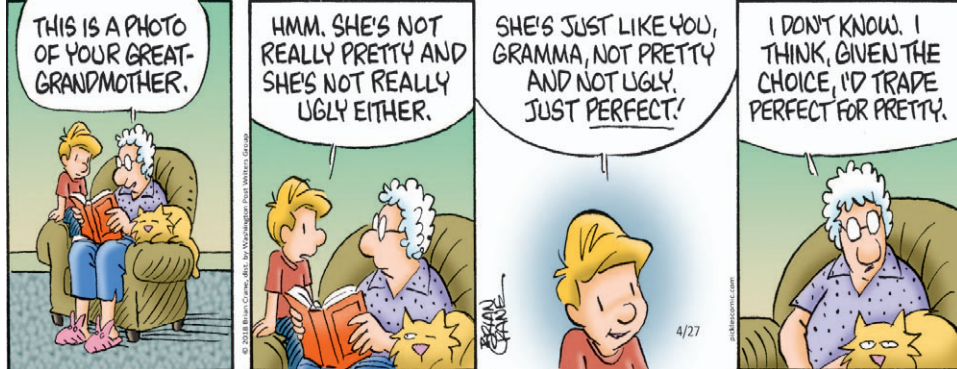
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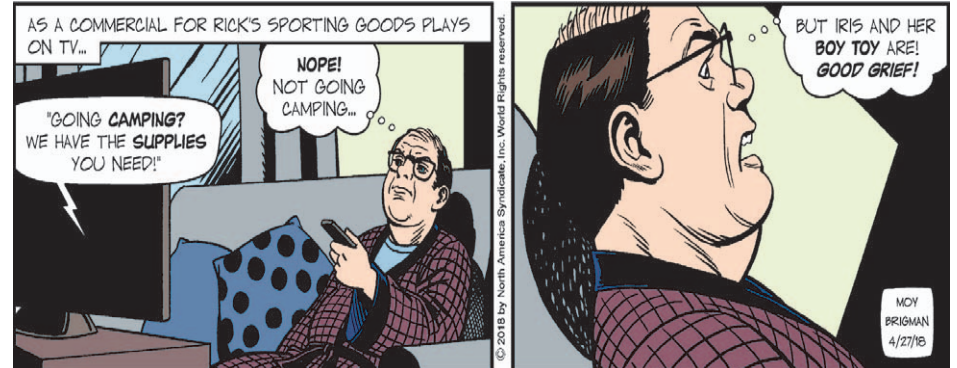
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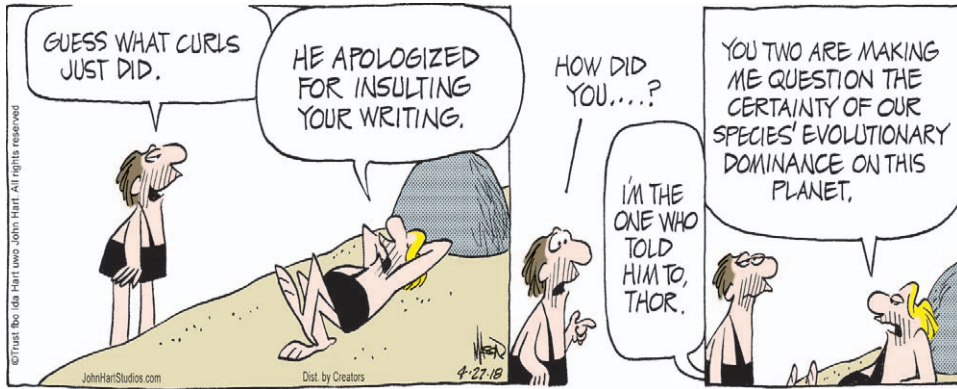
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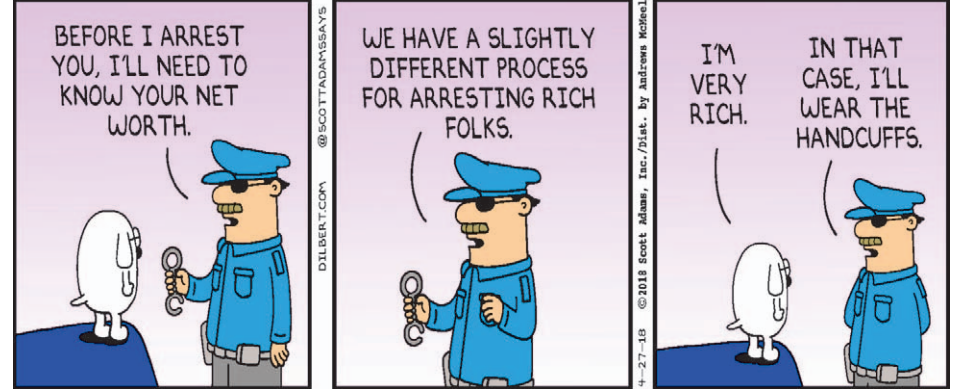
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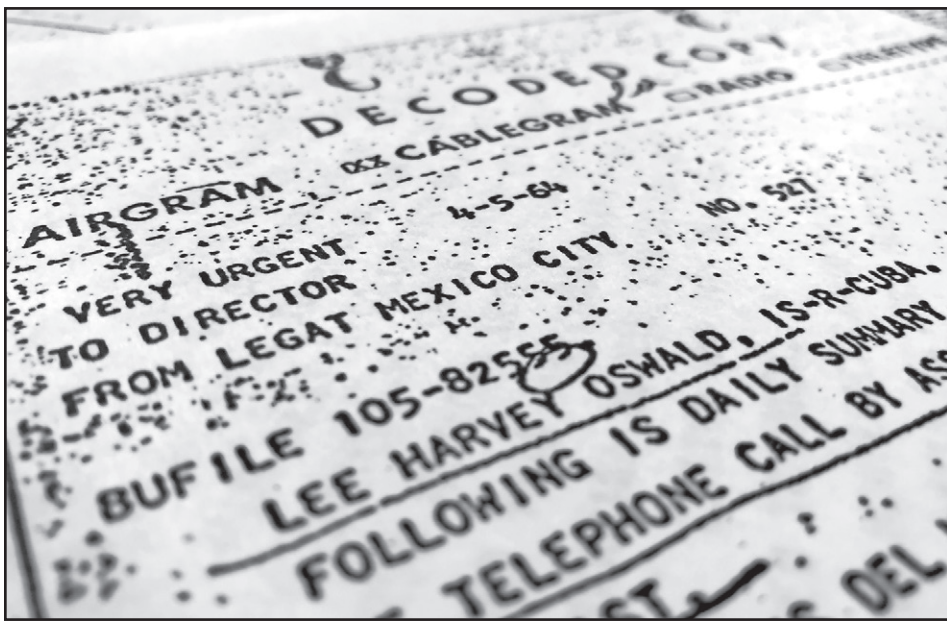
Trump boasted he'd open all JFK files, but now says he can't

By **DEB RIECHMANN**
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump boasted last fall that he would open all remaining John F. Kennedy assassination records. So far, Trump hasn't made good on the "great transparency" he promised then.

Trump announced on Thursday that the public must wait another three years or more before seeing material that must remain classified for national security reasons — more than five decades after Kennedy was killed Nov. 23, 1963, in Dallas, Texas.

The National Archives released its last batch of more than 19,000 records on Thursday. But an undisclosed amount of material remains under wraps because Trump said the potential harm to U.S. national security, law enforcement or foreign affairs is "of such gravity



AP PHOTO

Part of a file, dated April 5, 1964, details efforts to trace Lee Harvey Oswald's travel from Mexico City back to the United States.

that it outweighs the public interest in immediate disclosure."

He ordered the CIA and other agencies to take yet another look at each blacked-out section of their documents during the next three years to

see what more can be released.

CIA spokesman Nicole de Haay said the agency has already released more than 99 percent of CIA information that was in the Kennedy assassination records collection. "CIA

narrowly redacted information in rare instances only to protect CIA assets, officers and their families as well as intelligence methods, operations and partnerships that remain critical to the security of our nation," she said.

The files released Thursday — mostly FBI and CIA records — detail how authorities combed through tips in the wake of Kennedy's death, including a report from a woman who claimed she saw a man who looked like Oswald at a party in Mexico City.

Another file shows ex-CIA officer David Atlee Phillips being grilled by lawmakers about whether he believed Oswald was the lone assassin. Phillips said he wished there was information showing the Soviets or former Cuban leader Fidel Castro had played a role "because there are so many people, especially on college campuses who are convinced the CIA did it."

But Phillips said since there was no evidence showing Cuban or Soviet involvement, he had to believe Oswald was just "a kind of loony fellow who decided to shoot the President."

Explosion rocks Wisconsin refinery, forcing evacuations

By **AMY FORLITI**
and **JEFF BAENEN**
ASSOCIATED PRESS

An explosion rocked a refinery in northwestern Wisconsin on Thursday, injuring at least 11 people, forcing the evacuation of homes, schools and a hospital, and sending a plume of noxious smoke billowing into the air.

Authorities said a tank of crude oil or asphalt exploded about 10 a.m. at the Husky Energy oil refinery in Superior, a city of about 27,000 that shares a Lake Superior shipping port with nearby Duluth, Minnesota. That prompted them to order the evacuation of a three-mile radius around the refinery, as well as a 10-mile corridor south of it where the smoke was heading.

It was unclear how many people were being evacuated. The refinery is in an industrial area, but there's a residential neighborhood within a mile to the northeast. The corridor downwind to the south of the refinery is sparsely populated.

Hospital officials said

only one of the injured was seriously hurt, with what was described as a blast injury. No deaths were reported, and officials said all workers had been accounted for.

Thick, black smoke poured from the refinery hours after the explosion. Refinery manager Kollin Schade said the smoke was from burning asphalt that was so hot that firefighters were unable to attack the fire to try to put it out. Emergency officials later said another tank had caught fire, too, though they didn't specify what was in it.

The fire was put out about 11:20 a.m. but reignited, prompting police to urge residents living within an evacuation area to leave. Police blocked roads into the area around the refinery. Three schools and St. Mary's Hospital in Superior were being evacuated as a precaution.

A contractor who was inside the building told WDIO television that the explosion sounded like "a sonic boom" and that it happened when crews were working on shutting the plant down for repairs.

MORE HEADLINE NEWS FROM AROUND THE NATION

EPA chief seeks to divert blame for ethics woes

WASHINGTON (AP) — Environmental Protection Agency chief Scott Pruitt, yet another Trump administration official with his job on the line over ethical concerns, took heat from lawmakers Thursday over his profligate spending and lobbyist ties and tried to divert responsibility to underlings.

The EPA administrator said "twisted" allegations against him were meant to undermine the administration's anti-regulatory agenda, and he denied knowing details of some of the extraordinary spending done on his behalf at the agency.

The public grilling at back-to-back House hearings, called formally to consider the EPA's budget, came as support has appeared to erode for Pruitt among fellow Republicans after revelations about unusual security spending, first-class flights, a sweet-heart condo lease and more.

"You are unfit to hold public office," said Rep. Frank Pallone of New Jersey.

"You've become the poster child for the abuse of public trust," said Rep. John Sarbanes of Maryland.

Parents sue North Korea over death of detainee

WASHINGTON (AP) — The parents of U.S. college student Otto Warmbier filed a wrongful death lawsuit against North Korea on Thursday, saying its government tortured and killed their son.

Fred and Cindy Warmbier filed the lawsuit in the U.S. District Court in Washington, D.C., seeking compensation for the death of the 22-year-old, whose plight had compounded tense U.S.-North Korean relations.

Otto Warmbier, who was a student at University of Virginia, was arrested by North Korean authorities in January 2016 for stealing a propaganda poster and sentenced to 15 years in prison with hard labor. He died in June 2017, days after he was repatriated to the U.S. with severe brain damage.

Michigan board agrees to put marijuana on ballot

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Michigan voters will decide in November whether to allow recreational marijuana, after officials certified Thursday that there were enough signatures to put

the measure on the ballot.

The proposal, which the bipartisan state elections board allowed to proceed on a 4-0 vote, would make Michigan the 10th state and the first in the Midwest to legalize the drug for recreational purposes. It would let people 21 and older possess up to 2.5 ounces (71 grams) of marijuana and grow up to 12 plants at home. A 10 percent tax on marijuana would be assessed on top of the 6 percent state sales tax.

Pentagon chief calls sexual assault a cancer in military

WASHINGTON (AP) — Defense Secretary Jim Mattis has ordered all members of the Defense Department to re-double their efforts to aggressively work to prevent and respond to sexual assaults across the military.

In a memo released Thursday, Mattis said that officers and commanders must act as substitute parents for their young troops, charging leaders to "use their authority and force of personality to prevent and eliminate sexual assault from our ranks." His memo comes amid revelations that reports of sexual assaults across the military jumped by nearly 10 percent in 2017.

Russia parades Syrian 'witnesses' to disprove gas attack

By **MIKE CORDER**
ASSOCIATED PRESS

THE HAGUE, Netherlands — Russian diplomats brought alleged "witnesses" from Syria, including an 11-year-old child, to the headquarters of the global chemical weapons watchdog in the Netherlands to disprove allegations of a chemical weapons attack by the Syrian government.

The group of Syrians then held a press conference where they denied any poison gas attack took place in the town of Douma this month and said that some of them were filmed in "staged videos" in the aftermath of the April 7 suspected attack.

Russian diplomat Alexander Shulgин said the aim of the briefing was to present "evidence" that allegations of a chemical attack in Douma are "completely null and void."

"Today we can prove that the footage of the White Helmets is a crude



AP PHOTO

Syrians brought to The Hague by Russia in a move to discredit reports of an April 7 chemical weapons attack in the Syrian town of Douma appear at a press conference in The Hague, Netherlands, Thursday, after briefing members of the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons.

staged action," he said, in reference to the Syrian opposition's Civil Defense group of first responders. Shulgин is Russia's ambassador to the Netherlands and representative to the global chemical weapons watchdog.

At the presser, the witnesses claimed there was no smell of chemicals, and said people who were choking had inhaled smoke and dust from a bombardment.

The press conference included testimony by an

11-year-old boy, Hassan Diab, who was seen in the aftermath of the April 7 attack being doused with water by first responders.

The boy later appeared in reports on Russian state media, in which he and his father tell Russian

correspondent, Evgeny Poddubnyy, that the entire attack was staged.

The report was heavily promoted by Russia's ambassador to the United Nations, who screened it in front of the U.N. Security Council.

In the report, Diab is seen with his father speaking at what appears to be a Syrian government facility where Russian military personnel could be seen emerging from a building.

Russia had organized Thursday's briefing at the OPCW headquarters ahead of time for about 15 Syrians, including at least three young children.

The United States, France and Britain denounced the press conference as a stunt and an "obscene masquerade" by Russia. The three nations have blamed Syria for the suspected chemical attack in Douma and launched airstrikes a week later, on April 14, targeting suspected Syrian chemical weapons facilities.

ALMANAC

Today is **Friday, April 27**, the 117th day of 2018. There are 248 days left in the year.

Today in history

On **April 27, 1968**, Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey declared his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for president, less than a month after President Lyndon B. Johnson said he would not run for re-election.

On this date

In **1777**, the only land battle in Connecticut during the Revolutionary War, the Battle of Ridgefield, resulted in a limited British victory.

In **1865**, the steamer Sultana, carrying freed Union prisoners of war, exploded on the Mississippi River near Memphis, Tennessee; death toll estimates vary from 1,500 to 2,000.

In **1950**, Britain formally recognized the state of Israel.

In **1967**, Canada's International and Universal Exhibition, also known as "Expo 67," began a six-month run as it was officially opened in Montreal by Canadian Prime Minister Lester B. Pearson.

In **1978**, 51 construction workers plunged to their deaths when a scaffold inside a cooling tower at the Pleasants Power Station site in West Virginia fell 168 feet to the ground.

In **1982**, the trial of John W. Hinckley Jr., who shot four people, including President Ronald Reagan, began in Washington. (The trial ended with Hinckley's acquittal by reason of insanity.)

In **1992**, the new Federal Republic of Yugoslavia was proclaimed in Belgrade by the republic of Serbia and its lone ally, Montenegro.

Today's birthdays

Actress **Anouk Aimee** is 86. Former NFL coach **Chuck Knox** is 86. Rock musician **Jim Keltner** is 76. Singer **Ann Peebles** is 71. Rock singer **Kate Pierson** (The B-52's) is 70. Rhythm-and-blues singer **Herbie Murrell** (The Stylistics) is 69. Actor **Douglas Sheehan** is 69. Rock musician **Ace Frehley** is 67. Pop singer **Sheena Easton** is 59. Actor **James Le Gros** is 56. Singer **Mica Paris** is 49. Actor **David Lascher** is 46. Actress **Maura West** is 46. Actress **Sally Hawkins** is 42. Rock singer **Jim James** (My Morning Jacket) is 40. Rock musician **Patrick Hallahan** (My Morning Jacket) is 40. Rock singer-musician **Travis Meeks** (Days of the New) is 39. Actress **Sheila Vand** is 33. Actress **Jenna Coleman** is 32.

Bible verse

"And the Lord said, Simon, Simon, behold, Satan hath desired to have you, that he may sift you as wheat." — **Luke 22:31**.

As Christians we need to constantly be on our guard against Satan. "Thy Word have I hid in my heart that I might not sin against thee."

ODD NEWS

German cops nab pair with 130 pounds of stolen chocolate

BERLIN (AP) — Two people are under investigation in Germany after being caught in possession of some 60 kilograms (130 pounds) of stolen chocolate.

Braunschweig police said Thursday a 35-year-old woman was nabbed by an alert cashier at a supermarket on Tuesday as she checked out only a few items but had 9 kilograms (about 20 pounds) of purloined chocolate concealed under her floor-length skirt.

Upon further investigation, police found another 50 kilograms of chocolate bars, boxes of chocolates and other confectionery stashed in five bags with her 39-year-old accomplice in a car outside.

Police say "even for those with a high affinity for chocolate the amount of candy found could not be considered for personal use." The two are under investigation for commercial shoplifting.



YAWKEY WAY CHANGED

Boston officials Thursday approved changing the name of Yawkey Way, the street outside Fenway Park, because of allegations former Red Sox owner Tom Yawkey was a racist. **Page 6**

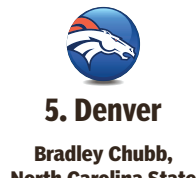
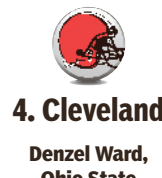
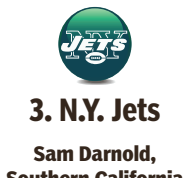
NFL: Draft

Sooner than later: Mayfield goes first

By Barry Wilner
The Associated Press

ARLINGTON, Texas — The Cleveland Browns' long search for a franchise quarterback has led them to Baker Mayfield — the first of four passers to be drafted in the top 10 Thursday night.

The Heisman Trophy winner from Oklahoma, until the last few days considered a longshot



to be the top pick, goes from former walk-on to No. 1 overall. Mayfield is the first Heisman recipient taken first in the following draft since Cam Newton went to Carolina in 2010.

Mayfield, who could sit behind newly acquired Tyrod Taylor at the outset of his pro career, joins a team that went 0-16 in 2017. The Browns, who haven't had a top-flight

quarterback since returning to the league in 1999, were sold on his leadership skills and creativity inside the pocket and outside.

"With Baker Mayfield, we have a guy who loves

the game of football, who is an ultra-competitor, is revered by his teammates and anybody who has ever been around him," Browns GM John Dorsey said. "He's a guy that has earned

everything he has ever had since high school to college and now up here. He is a winner, he's competitive."

He was not at AT&T Stadium, leaving Commissioner Roger Goodell on stage, but hearing cheers cascade throughout the building after announcing the Browns' choice.

SEE DRAFT, 2

NFL: Bucs draft

Bucs trade down, draft DT Veaa



Washington's Vita Veaa, right, poses with commissioner Roger Goodell after being picked by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers during the first round of the NFL football draft Thursday in Arlington, Texas.

By RICK STROUD
Tampa Bay Times

His given name is Tevita Tuliakiono Tuipuloto Mosese Va'hae Faletau Veaa. He goes by Vita Veaa.

You can call him the Bucs first-round draft pick.

For the first time in five years, general manager Jason Licht used Tampa Bay's first-round choice on a defensive lineman, selecting Veaa, the Washington defensive tackle.

But it took some wheeling and dealing. The Bucs swapped

the No. 7 overall choice with the Miami Dolphins for two second-rounders and moved down five spots to take Veaa No. 12 overall.

At 6-foot-4, 347-pounds, Veaa's rare combination of size and quick feet will provide the Bucs with an enormous nosetackle who can provide push up the middle and take some of the heat off defensive tackle Gerald McCoy.

In fact, McCoy was the last defensive tackle to be selected

SEE VEA, 2



Washington's Vita Veaa walks onto the stage after being selected by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

COLLEGE BASEBALL: Florida State

Martin closes in on NCAA baseball win record

By JOE REEDY
Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — Mike Martin has seen college baseball grow on and off the diamond during his 39 seasons roaming Florida State's dugout.

And the Seminoles coach has won along the way — a lot.

Martin, who has 1,973 wins, needs three more to pass Augie Garrido for the most victories in NCAA baseball history. He could get the milestone this weekend when Florida State hosts Miami in a three-game series. If it doesn't happen this weekend, Florida State's next series wouldn't be until May 5, when the Seminoles open a three-game set at Clemson.

While Martin has fielded more calls from friends and former players as he nears the record, the 74-year old coach has tried to keep the focus on his team. The Seminoles (29-14) are just 7-6 this month.

"I can honestly say that getting the record means a lot to me, but at the present time it doesn't mean as much as getting our team pointed in the right direction," he said. "We have some young men that are struggling and they're pressing. It's my job as a coach to try to get them in a good mood."

Martin moved into second place during the Atlantic Coast

SEE MARTIN, 6

MLB: Rays

Venters' return is much more than a comeback

By MARC TOPKIN
Tampa Bay Times

BALTIMORE — First, think of what you were doing on Oct. 5, 2012, and how much has happened in your own world since then.

That will give you a time frame.

Next, consider the challenge of rehabbing

from two Tommy John surgeries and a third procedure to reattach a torn ligament in that same left elbow, which already had been rebuilt nearly a decade earlier.

That will give you context.

Then, notice how so many people were happy to see him, how the Rays players, coaches and staff

all stopped what they were doing to greet him, how players with other teams and media around the game were joining fans in offering congratulations on social media, how his wife, Viviana, three kids and parents scrambled to make flights to Baltimore.

SEE RAYS, 3

NHL: Lightning-Bruins series

Big, bad Bruins heading to town

By ROGER MOONEY
Tampa Bay Times

So it is the Bruins. The big, bad Bruins.

The Bruins come to town Saturday for the start of the Eastern Conference semifinals with the Lightning, a best-of-seven series that begins with a 3 p.m. puck drop.

It is the second-round series nearly everyone predicted when

the playoff seedings were set. Ironically, the Lightning were thought to have the tougher first-round matchup, facing a Devils team that won all three meetings during the regular season. The Bruins were expected to roll past the Maple Leafs.

Wrong. The Lightning dispatched the Devils in five games, while the Bruins, after winning three of the first four,

were taken to a Game 7 by the Leafs and needed a four-goal third Wednesday to advance with a 7-4 win.

The winner of this series meets the winner of the Capitals-Penguins in the Eastern Conference Finals.

The Bruins beat the Lightning in three out of the four regular season meetings.

SEE LIGHTNING, 3

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Apr. 24D 3-1-5
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PAYOFF FOR Apr. 25
4 5-digit winners \$53,264.97
457 ..4-digit winners \$75.00
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Cash Ball 3

SPORTS ON TV

AUTO RACING
11:30 a.m.
FS1 — NASCAR, Xfinity Series, Sparks Energy 300, practice, at Talladega, Ala. 12:30 p.m.
FS1 — NASCAR, Monster Energy Cup Series, GEICO 500, practice, at Talladega, Ala. 1:30 p.m.
FS1 — NASCAR, Xfinity Series, Sparks Energy 300, final practice, at Talladega, Ala. 2:30 p.m.
FS1 — NASCAR, Monster Energy Cup Series, GEICO 500, final practice, at Talladega, Ala. 6 p.m.
FS1 — ARCA Series, General Tire 200, at Talladega, Ala.
COLLEGE BASEBALL
9 p.m.
FS1 — Texas Tech at TCU
DRAG RACING
8 p.m.
FS1 — NHRA, Four-Wide Nationals, qualifying, at Concord, N.C. (same-day tape)
GOLF
11 a.m.
GOLF — Web.com Tour, United Leasing & Finance Championship, second round, at Newburgh, Ind. 2:30 p.m.
GOLF — PGA Tour, Zurich Classic of New Orleans, second round, at Avondale, La. 6:30 p.m.
GOLF — LPGA Tour, MEDIEAL Championship, second round, at San Francisco 12:30 a.m. (Saturday)
GOLF — European PGA Tour, Volvo China Open, third round, at Beijing
MLB BASEBALL

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04-of-4 LB \$550,00
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383-of-4 LB \$288.00
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LOTTO

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Apr. 2140-50-54-62-69
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25 of 5 \$1 million
14 of 5 + PB \$50,000
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ESTIMATED JACKPOT \$177 million

MEGA MILLIONS

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Mega Ball 4

PAYOFF FOR Apr. 24
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ESTIMATED JACKPOT \$111 million

2 p.m.
MLB — Milwaukee at Chicago Cubs
7 p.m.
MLB — Regional coverage, Arizona at Washington OR Colorado at Miami
NBA BASKETBALL
7 p.m.
ESPNEWS & NBA- NBA play-offs, Eastern Conference, first round, Game 6, Toronto at Washington
8 p.m.
ESPN — NBA playoffs, Eastern Conference, first round, Game 6, Cleveland at Indiana
10:30 p.m.
ESPN — NBA playoffs, Western Conference, first round, Game 6, Oklahoma City at Utah
NFL FOOTBALL
7 p.m.
ESPN, FOX & NFL — 2018 NFL Draft, Rounds 2 & 3, at Arlington, Texas
8 p.m.
ESPN2 — 2018 NFL Draft, Rounds 2 & 3, at Arlington, Texas
NHL HOCKEY
8 p.m.
NBCSN — NHL Stanley Cup playoffs, Western Conference semifinal, Game 1, Winnipeg at Nashville
SOCCER
2:20 p.m.
FS2 — Bundesliga, Hoffenheim vs. Hannover
TRACK & FIELD
5 p.m.
NBCSN — Penn Relays, at Philadelphia
WINTER SPORTS
1:30 p.m.
NBCSN — Curling: Mixed World Championship, quarterfinal game, at Ostersund, Sweden

NHL: Playoffs

Penguins erase 2-goal deficit, beat Capitals 3-2 in Game 1

By **STEPHEN WHYNO**
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Patric Hornqvist, Sidney Crosby and Jake Guentzel scored in a 4:49 span to help the Pittsburgh Penguins rally to beat the Washington Capitals 3-2 on Thursday night in Game 1 of the second-round series.

Down 2-0 early in the third period and playing without Evgeni Malkin and Carl Hagelin, Pittsburgh turned it around with all three of its top-line forwards chipping in a goal. Crosby scored the tying goal when the puck bounced to him off Alex Ovechkin's stick, and assisted on Guentzel's go-ahead goal.

Matt Murray stopped 32 of the 34 shots he



AP PHOTO

Pittsburgh Penguins goaltender Matt Murray reaches for the puck during the second period in Game 1 against the Washington Capitals on Thursday in Washington.

faced to put the back-to-back defending Stanley Cup champions ahead in yet another series with Game 2 on Sunday in Washington. The Penguins have won nine in a row under

coach Mike Sullivan dating to 2016, including the past two meetings against Washington. Evgeny Kuznetsov scored 17 seconds in and Ovechkin beat Murray 28 seconds into the third

period for the Capitals, who lost a game started by Braden Holtby for the first time in these playoffs.

Holtby was one of the best players on the ice in the first two periods before he and his teammates blew another two-goal lead.

Holtby allowed three goals on 25 shots, including at least one he'd like to have back during the Penguins' comeback. It was his worst game since replacing Philipp Grubauer in net during the first round against Columbus.

It also was another stellar showing by Murray, who made his best save with 2:30 left when he got his stick on a shot by Brett Connolly.

NHL: Rays

Rays beat Orioles for sixth straight win

By **TODD KARPOVICH**
Associated Press

BALTIMORE — C.J. Cron and Wilson Ramos homered and the Tampa Bay Rays extended their winning streak to six games with a 9-5 victory over the Baltimore Orioles on Thursday night.

It's the Rays' longest winning streak since a nine-game run from July

12-26, 2014. Adam Jones had three hits, including his fourth home run of the season for the Orioles, who have lost 11 of 12 and are 1-5 on the current nine-game homestand. Manny Machado had two hits and earned his team-leading 18th RBI.

Danny Valencia cut the margin to 8-5 with a homer in the eighth.

Baltimore tied a season-high with 16 hits.

Chris Archer (2-1) allowed four runs and 11 hits with seven strikeouts and one walk over 5½ innings. Archer has yielded at least one home run in each of his six starts.

The Rays got off to a fast start against Dylan Bundy (1-3) when Denard Span led off the game

with a walk and Cron followed with a homer. Ramos provided a 4-0 lead an inning later with another two-run shot.

Tampa Bay continued to pull away on RBIs singles by Daniel Robertson and Ramos that boosted the margin to 6-0 in the third. Bundy had given up a total of five earned runs in his five previous starts.

MILB: Tarpons 7, Stone Crabs 1

First-inning stuns Stone Crabs

The Charlotte Stone Crabs couldn't overcome a six-run deficit in the first inning on their way to a 7-0 loss against the Tampa Tarpons.

Starting pitcher Mikey York was tagged for seven runs over four innings of work,

allowing seven hits, three walks and striking out only two batters.

The lone Stone Crab with a multi-hit day was Matt Duffy, who is rehabbing a hamstring injury from the Tampa Bay Rays. Duggy went 2-for-3 with two

singles in his first rehab appearance.

Robbie Tenerowicz hit Charlotte's only extra-base hit — a double — for one of Charlotte's six hits on the night.

Jesus Sanchez and Lucius Fox each had one hit in the loss.

Relievers Ian Pelaez and Yoel Espinal kept the Tarpons scoreless during their outings. Pelaez threw three scoreless frames, allowing just one hit and a walk. He also had three strikeouts. Espinal tossed one shut-out inning.

DRAFT

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That was in stark contrast to the usual crowd reaction for Goodell.

Even though Cowboys Hall of Famers Roger Staubach and Troy Aikman and current star tight end Jason Witten accompanied Goodell onto the stage at opening of the draft, loud booing filled the stadium.

Goodell is despised in Dallas after Cowboys running back Ezekiel Elliott was suspended for six games last season for violating the NFL's personal conduct policy.

More booing accompanied the next pick, but not for Goodell: Dallas' archrival the New York Giants chose Penn State running back Saquon Barkley, considered the best talent in this year's class. It capped quite a few days for Barkley, whose girlfriend gave birth to a baby girl earlier this week.



AP PHOTO

Oklahoma quarterback Baker Mayfield celebrates after running back Rodney Anderson scored a touchdown against Georgia during the first half of the Rose Bowl game, Jan. 1 in Pasadena, Calif.

"It's unreal, two of the biggest moments in my life in the same week," said Barkley, whose girlfriend gave birth to a girl earlier in the week.

Southern California QB Sam Darnold, pegged by many to be the top pick for months, went third to the other New York team. The Jets had traded with Indianapolis, going from sixth to third with the expressed intent to find a

passer. They got the guy their fans coveted.

Like Mayfield, Darnold might sit behind a veteran, Josh McCown.

The early going was, as projected, quarterback heavy. Buffalo traded up with Tampa Bay to get Wyoming's Josh Allen at No. 7. Allen is considered the passer with the most upside. Although Allen played in a non-Power Five conference,

the Mountain West, and had issues with completion percentage, his arm strength, size (6-foot-5, 225 pounds) and leadership skills won over the Bills.

The bartering wasn't over. Arizona, also in a QB quandary, moved from 15th to 10th, trading with Oakland, for UCLA's Josh Rosen. Many NFL personnel people believe Rosen is the most ready to play next season, and incumbent Carson Palmer retired.

Also chosen in the top 10 were Ohio State cornerback Denzel Ward, fourth to Cleveland; North Carolina State defensive end Bradley Chubb, considered the best pass rusher, to Denver at No. 5; Notre Dame guard Quenton Nelson sixth to the Colts; Georgia linebacker Roquan Smith, eighth to Chicago; and Notre Dame tackle Mike McGlinchey, a somewhat surprising ninth to San Francisco.

VEA

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in the first round by the Bucs in 2009.

After watching the Bucs finish last in total defense last season, allowing 378.1 yards per game, Licht had enough. Tampa Bay's defense was last third down percentage at 48 percent. Opposing quarterbacks had a 94.6 passer efficiency rating against them. So Licht and the Bucs have now completely rebuilt their

defensive front. It started in free agency with the signing of defensive tackles Beau Allen and Mitch Urein. Then they jumped on Vinny Curry, who was released by the Eagles and signed a three-year, \$23-million contract. Finally, they traded their third round pick to the New York Giants for Pro Bowl defensive end Jason Pierre-Paul.

Now Vea. The Bucs appeared to get a break Thursday when the Cleveland Browns, who began the draft by

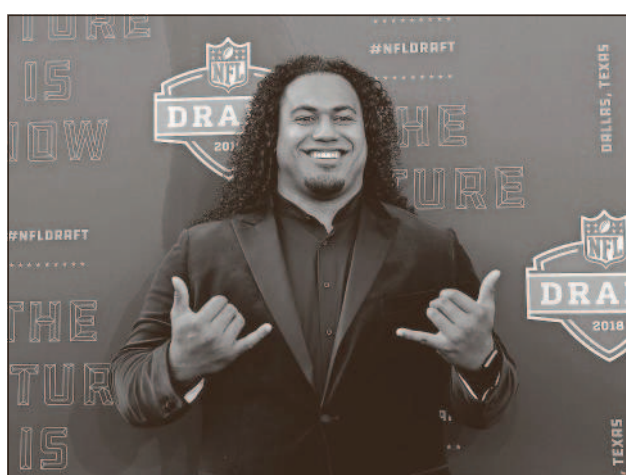
taking Oklahoma quarterback Baker Mayfield No. 1 overall, selected Ohio State cornerback Denzel Ward with the No. 4 pick. But aside from Mayfield and the Jets taking Southern Cal quarterback Sam Darnold No. 3, there was no expected run on quarterbacks.

The Denver Broncos took North Carolina State defensive end Bradley Chubb at No. 5. That left the Colts to take Notre Dame guard Quenton Nelson, who will help protect quarterback Andrew Luck. With Chubb

and Nelson gone and quarterbacks needy teams behind them, that put the Bucs in perfect position to trade down.

So Tampa Bay dealt the No. 7 overall pick and their seventh-rounder (No. 255) to the quarterback-needy Buffalo Bills for two second round choices, No. 53 and No. 56 overall. The Bills selected Wyoming quarterback Josh Allen.

The Bucs had Vea and Florida State safety Derwin James as the next players on their board. And both players were there at No. 15.



AP PHOTO

Washington's Vita Vea poses for photos before the first round of the NFL draft Thursday in Arlington, Texas.

RAYS

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That will give you perspective.

Jonny Venters making it back to pitch in the majors for the first time in nearly six years isn't just a nice, little come-back story. It's a major accomplishment, one that can be described as a testament to hard work, resiliency, determination, faith and a litany of other phrases, none of which seem properly descriptive.

"There simply is not a word to accurately assess what this man has done," longtime Tampa-based agent B.B. Abbott said. "Resilient seems wholly lacking for what he has accomplished.

"He has not thrown a pitch in the big leagues for almost six years and has endured three additional surgeries, with only 27 minor-league innings in between. He has spent months away from his family rehabbing for an outcome that was so improbable and unknown that to simply call it unprecedented feels almost hollow for what he, Viviana and his family has gone through.

"Whether this is for one day or five years, it is nothing short of incredible that he will be walking onto a major-league field (Wednesday) in Baltimore as a big-league pitcher. In a word, or three: pretty damn cool."

The smile on Venters' face said plenty as he walked into the Rays clubhouse late Wednesday afternoon, the circumstances of the day adding to the drama.

He was in uniform for Triple-A Durham's 10:35 a.m. matinee, expecting to pitch there. A rain delay sent him and other relievers scrambling from the bullpen back to the clubhouse. He got

called into Bulls manager Jared Sandberg's office and told he was being called up, and needed to get going. He called his wife and parents, grabbed some clothes out of his truck (since he'd been living in a hotel and Durham was going on the road) and headed to the airport.

"It's hard to put into words how I'm feeling," said Venters, 33. "It's been an emotional day. I'm excited to be here, grateful for the opportunity."

The Rays plan to give him plenty of chances, certain that even though he's no longer the flame-thrower he was for the Braves during a 2010-12 run that included an All-Star appearance, that he can get out lefty hitters, relying now more on a fastball in the low 90s, a sinker and a changeup.

He showed that during a solid spring training, then his first few weeks at Durham.

And Wednesday, when he came in to face Chris Davis to start the sixth of a 5-4 game and needed only four pitches to get a ground out.

He was nervous jogging in, his heart racing a bit, comparable, he admitted, to his major-league debut in April 2010.

Then reflective, even a bit overwhelmed, when he got back to the dugout after his outing, taking in the magnitude of the moment.

"It was an amazing experience, just to get out there on a big-league mound, in a big-league game with this group of guys and be able to get an out and help this team win," he said. "A special thing I'll never forget the rest of my life. My family was here, they made their flight. A dream come true really."

For Venters to get back, he not only had to overcome the physical

issues with his elbow but the doubts raging in his head.

Not only if he could make it, but if it was even worth still trying. Most pointedly after he did all the work rehabbing from the third Tommy John surgery, only to have the elbow ligament tear again after five June appearances for the Class A Stone Crabs.

"I think I all but made my mind up I wasn't going to do it again," Venters said. "And I spoke with the doctors and my family, and kind of everybody thought it was a good idea to do it again. So I thought I felt like if everybody that I cared about thought that way, that I'd be stubborn to not try it again. So here I am."

As if the story wasn't special enough, including being what the Rays say is the first pitcher to make it back to the majors after three Tommy John surgeries, team officials rave about what a great influence and greater example Venters was on their minor-leaguers at all levels.

And how strong an impression he made on their Port Charlotte-based rehab staff led by Joel Smith, which also celebrated the promotion.

"The organization is really happy, and for good reason," manager Kevin Cash said. "He's a good pitcher and probably a better person."

When Venters last pitched in the majors, he was 27, and he and Viviana had one kid. Chipper Jones was still playing for the Braves, who lost in the NL wild-card game.

Sergio Romo was the only current Rays reliever who had been in the big leagues.

All of that gives you an idea of how big a deal this is.

LIGHTNING

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The Lightning avoid a sweep with a 4-0 victory April 3 at Amalie Arena, a win that was crucial as the Lightning held off the Bruins for the top-seed in the Eastern Conference. That came with some help from the Panthers, who beat the Bruins twice during the final week of the season, including on the last night of the season.

The Lightning edged the Bruins by one point for the Atlantic Division title and home ice throughout the conference playoffs.

Here is a quick breakdown.

Series schedule

Saturday, 3 p.m., Tampa Bay NBC, Sportsnet, TVA Sports
 Monday, 7 p.m., at Tampa Bay NBCSN, CBC, TVA Sports
 Wednesday, 7 p.m., at Boston NBCSN, CBC, TVA Sports
 May 4, 7 p.m., at Boston NBCSN, CBC, TVA Sports
 *May 6, TBD, at Tampa Bay TBD
 *May 8, TBD, at Boston TBD
 *May 10, TBD, at Tampa Bay TBD
 *if necessary

Regular season records

Tampa Bay: 54-23-5, 113 points
Boston: 50-20-12, 112 points

Regular season series: Boston 3, Tampa Bay 1

Nov. 29 at Boston: Bruins 3-2 W
March 17 at Tampa Bay:

Bruins 3-0 W
March 29 at Boston: Bruins 4-2 W
April 3 at Tampa Bay: Lightning 4-0 W

What matters: Beating the Bruins 4-0 in the last meeting during the final week of the regular season should give the Lightning a measure of confidence. That G Andrei Vasilevskiy turned in a Vezina Trophy-winning performance should provide a lift since Vasilevskiy admitted he was a bit gassed from his workload — career-high 65 games/64 starts — during the tail end of the season. That the Bruins are coming off an emotional seven-game series against the Maple Leafs should leave them not at their best for Saturday's Game 1. The Lightning need to take advantage of that, especially since it will be a week since it last played.

What doesn't matter: Losing three of four to the Bruins during the regular season. Everyone begins with a clean slate in the postseason. Remember, the Devils supposedly had the edge on the Lightning in the first round having won all three regular-season meetings. How did that work out for the Jersey boys?

Does Boston have the Lightning's number? One might think so, given the way the season-series went. But, the Lightning felt it played well during the third period of the loss in November and felt it played well from start to finish in the 4-2 loss in Boston on March 29. Two Boston goals in the final minute of the

first period basically turned that game. Yet, five nights later in Tampa during a game with huge implications on the division lead, the Lightning won 4-0.

Will Brad Marchand be a factor? You know it. A big part of his game is to get under the skin of anyone on the other team. So he will be involved in some things that are outside of the rulebook. He is also really good. He led the Bruins during the regular season in points with 85 on 34 goals and a team-high 51 assists. He was also second with 63 penalty minutes. In four games against the Lightning, he had a goal and five assists and six penalty minutes. He was second on the team in scoring in the seven games against the Leafs with three goals and six assists for nine points. He was also whistled for just one penalty.

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Power play, Regular Season
Tampa Bay: 23.9 percent, 3rd out of 31 teams in NHL
Boston: 23.5 percent, 4th in NHL

First round
Boston: 31.8 percent, 2nd out of 16 playoff teams
Tampa Bay: 26.3 percent, 5th

Penalty Kill

Regular season
Boston: 83.7 percent, 3rd
Tampa Bay: 76.1 percent, 28th

First round
Tampa Bay: 84.2 percent, 5th
Boston: 73.3 percent, 13th

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By: Steven Wilson
 Men's Health Advisor

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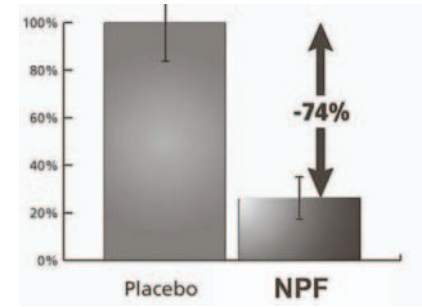


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EAST DIVISION	TEAM	W	L	PCT.	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY
	Boston	19	5	.792	—	—	7-3	W-2	8-1	11-4
	New York	15	9	.625	4	—	8-2	W-6	11-5	4-4
	Toronto	14	10	.583	5	1	5-5	L-2	8-5	6-5
	Tampa Bay	10	13	.435	8½	4½	7-3	W-6	6-7	4-6
	Baltimore	6	19	.240	13½	9½	1-9	L-5	3-9	3-10

CENTRAL DIVISION	TEAM	W	L	PCT.	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY
	Cleveland	13	10	.565	—	—	5-5	L-1	7-4	6-6
	Detroit	10	13	.435	3	4½	6-4	L-2	6-7	4-6
	Minnesota	8	12	.400	3½	5	2-8	L-7	5-3	3-9
	Chicago	5	16	.238	7	8½	1-9	L-2	2-10	3-6
	Kansas City	5	17	.227	7½	9	2-8	L-2	1-9	4-8

WEST DIVISION	TEAM	W	L	PCT.	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY
	Houston	17	9	.654	—	—	7-3	W-1	7-5	10-4
	Los Angeles	16	9	.640	½	—	4-6	L-1	5-7	11-2
	Seattle	14	10	.583	2	1	5-5	W-3	5-5	9-5
	Oakland	13	12	.520	3½	2½	8-2	L-1	8-6	5-6
	Texas	9	17	.346	8	7	4-6	W-1	4-12	5-5

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST DIVISION	TEAM	W	L	PCT.	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY
	New York	15	8	.652	—	—	4-6	L-2	7-4	8-4
	Philadelphia	15	9	.625	½	—	6-4	L-1	10-3	5-6
	Atlanta	14	10	.583	1½	1	6-4	W-2	8-4	6-6
	Washington	11	14	.440	5	4½	4-6	W-1	3-7	8-7
	Miami	7	17	.292	8½	8	3-7	W-2	3-9	4-8

CENTRAL DIVISION	TEAM	W	L	PCT.	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY
	St. Louis	15	9	.625	—	—	8-2	W-2	7-5	8-4
	Milwaukee	16	10	.615	—	—	8-2	L-1	8-6	8-4
	Pittsburgh	14	11	.560	1½	1½	3-7	W-2	7-5	7-6
	Chicago	12	10	.545	2	2	6-4	W-1	4-4	8-11
	Cincinnati	5	20	.200	10½	10½	3-7	L-2	3-9	2-6

WEST DIVISION	TEAM	W	L	PCT.	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY
	Arizona	17	7	.708	—	—	6-4	W-1	9-3	8-4
	Colorado	14	12	.538	4	2	6-4	W-2	5-7	9-5
	Los Angeles	11	12	.478	5½	3½	7-3	L-2	7-8	4-4
	San Francisco	11	13	.458	6	4	5-5	L-1	5-5	6-8
	San Diego	9	17	.346	9	7	3-7	L-2	4-10	5-7

ROUNDUP/MATCHUPS

Pittsburgh 1, Detroit 0: Corey Dickerson hit the first game-ending home run of his major league career, a disputed one-out drive in the ninth inning off Alex Wilson, (0-1).

N.Y. Yankees 4, Minnesota 3: Gary Sanchez hit a three-run homer off Fernando Rodney in the ninth inning, and the Yankees beat the Twins to complete a four-game sweep and extend their winning streak to six.

Atlanta 7, Cincinnati 4: Ronald Acuna Jr. and Ozzie Albies, the two youngest players in the major leagues, both homered and combined for five RBIs to lead the Braves over the Reds.

Arizona 8, Philadelphia 2: Jarrod Dyson, Nick Ahmed and David Peralta homered as Arizona improved to 17-7.

St. Louis 4, N.Y. Mets 3, 13 innings: Dexter Fowler hit a winning single in

the 13th off Paul Sewald (0-1).

Seattle 5, Cleveland 4: Andrew Miller's absence was immediately felt by the Indians' bullpen when Kyle Seager hit a tiebreaking double in the eighth inning off Nick Goody that lifted the Mariners to a victory.

Boston 5, Toronto 4: J.D. Martinez hit a three-run homer and the Red Sox rallied to beat the Blue Jays.

Tampa Bay 9, Baltimore 5: C.J. Cron and Wilson Ramos homered and the Rays extended their winning streak to six games.

Chicago Cubs 1, Milwaukee 0: Kyle Hendricks outpitched Chase Anderson with seven crisp innings, and the Cubs stopped Milwaukee's eight-game win streak.

LATE
Chicago White Sox at Kansas City

BOX SCORES

PIRATES 1, TIGERS 0

DETROIT	AB	R	H	BI	BB	SO	AVG.
Martin	4	0	2	0	0	0	.287
Machado 2b	4	0	1	0	0	0	.218
Cabrera 1b	4	0	1	0	0	0	.325
1-Candelario pr-3b	0	0	0	0	0	0	.290
Castellanos rf	4	0	1	0	0	1	.330
Goodrum 3b-1b	3	0	1	0	1	1	.209
McCann c	4	0	1	0	0	0	.242
Reyes lf	3	0	0	0	0	0	.083
Stump f	0	0	0	0	0	0	---
Jimenez p	0	0	0	0	0	0	---
b-Martinez ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	.250
Wilson p	0	0	0	0	0	0	---
Iglesias ss	4	0	1	0	0	1	.218
Fulmer p	2	0	0	0	0	2	.000
Jones lf	1	0	0	0	0	0	.275
TOTALS	34	0	8	0	1	5	

PITTSBURGH AB R H BI BB SO AVG.
Frazier 2b 4 0 2 0 0 1 .233
Polanco rf 3 0 1 0 1 0 .205
Marte cf 3 0 1 0 1 1 .281
Bell 1b 4 0 0 0 0 2 .240
Dickerson lf 4 1 1 1 0 0 .314
Cervelli c 3 0 0 0 0 2 .279
Moran 3b 3 0 1 0 0 1 .296
Rodriguez ss 3 0 0 0 0 2 .179
Nova p 2 0 0 0 0 2 .000
a-Freesee ph 1 0 0 0 0 0 .243
Vazquez p 0 0 0 0 0 0 ---
TOTALS **30** **1** **6** **1** **2** **11**

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PITTSBURGH 000 000 001-1 6 1

One out when winning run scored.
a-flied out for Nova in the 8th. b-popped out for Jimenez in the 9th.
1-ran for Cabrera in the 9th.
E—Nova (1), LOB—Detroit 8, Pittsburgh 6. 2B—McCann (4), Frazier (2), Polanco (6), Moran (5). 3B—Martin (2), HR—Dickerson (2), off Wilson, RBIs—Dickerson (13), SB—Marte (8), CS—Goodrum (1).

Runners left in scoring position—Detroit 5 (Machado, Castellanos, Reyes, Iglesias 2); Pittsburgh 4 (Marte, Bell 2, Nova). RISP—Detroit 0 for 9; Pittsburgh 0 for 6.
Runners moved up—Martin, Rodriguez, GIDP—Cabrera, Polanco.
DP—Detroit 1 (Machado, Iglesias, Cabrera); Pittsburgh 1 (Frazier, Rodriguez, Bell).

DETROIT IP H R ER BB SO NP ERA
Fulmer 6 4 0 0 1 9 99 2.76
Stump f 1 0 0 0 0 0 13 1.93
Jimenez 1 1 0 0 1 1 19 2.31
Wilson, L0-3 1 1 1 0 1 8 6.59

PITTSBURGH IP H R ER BB SO NP ERA
Nova 8 6 0 0 0 5 93 3.32
Vazquez, W-1 0 2 0 0 1 0 21 4.35
WP—Nova.
Umpires—Home, Rob Drake; First, Mike Muehlinski; Second, Mike Winters; Third, Tim Timmons.
T—2:36. A—12,049 (38,362).

CARDINALS 4, METS 3, 13 INNINGS

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	BI	BB	SO	AVG.
Nimmo cf-rf	4	1	1	0	0	2	.296
Cespedes lf	5	0	2	0	0	0	.211
Cabrera 2b	6	0	0	0	1	2	.326
Bruce rf	5	1	2	0	0	0	.238
Lagares cf	1	0	0	0	0	0	.344
Frazier 3b	5	0	1	0	1	1	.260
Gonzalez 1b	5	0	1	0	1	2	.203
Nido c	3	0	0	0	0	1	.105
d-Conforto ph	1	0	1	0	0	0	.222
Lobaton c	1	0	0	1	0	0	.095
Syndergaard p	3	0	0	0	0	1	.077
Gsellman p	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
e-Flores ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	.233
Lugo p	0	0	0	0	0	0	---
f-Reyes ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	.120
Familia p	0	0	0	0	0	0	---
Ramos p	0	0	0	0	0	0	---
Seward p	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Rosario ss	5	1	1	0	0	0	.239
TOTALS	47	3	9	3	2	8	

ST. LOUIS AB R H BI BB SO AVG.
Carpenter 3b 4 0 1 0 0 1 .171
Bader pr 0 0 0 0 0 0 .281
Holland p 0 0 0 0 0 0 ---
Gregerson p 0 0 0 0 0 0 ---
Bowman p 0 0 0 0 0 0 ---
g-O'Neill ph 1 0 0 0 0 1 .000
Knapp c 1 0 0 0 0 0 .000
Pham cf 6 2 4 1 0 1 .368
Martinez 1b 5 1 1 1 1 0 .311
Ozuna lf 6 0 2 1 0 1 .240
Fowler rf 5 0 1 1 0 2 .188
DeJong ss 4 0 2 0 1 1 .281
Vazquez c 2 0 0 0 0 2 .180
Wong 2b 5 0 0 0 0 2 .182
Holt ss 2 0 0 0 0 1 .222
L1-in pr-ss 2 1 0 0 1 0 .261

TOTALS **33** **5** **8** **5** **3** **9**

TORONTO AB R H BI BB SO AVG.
Dhoni 3 0 0 0 0 0 .296
a-Morales ph-dh 2 0 0 1 0 0 .195
Hernandez lf 3 1 1 0 2 1 .311
Smoak lf 4 1 2 1 0 2 .241
Solarte 3b 3 0 0 0 0 1 .228
Pillar cf 2 0 1 1 1 0 .292
Gurriel Jr. ss 3 0 0 0 0 0 .222
b-Granderson ph 0 0 0 0 1 0 .321
Diaz ss 0 0 0 0 0 0 .191
Griuch rf 4 0 0 0 0 0 .079
Malle c 4 0 0 0 0 3 .364
Travis 2b 4 2 2 1 0 1 .155
TOTALS **32** **4** **6** **4** **8**

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TORONTO 111 000 100-4 6 0

a-grounded out for Pearce in the 7th. b-walked for Gurriel Jr. in the 8th.
1-ran for Holt in the 3rd.
LOB—Boston 5, Toronto 7. 2B—Benintendi (5), Nunez (7), Holt (6), Hernandez (4), Pillar (8), 3B—Travis (1), HR—Martinez (5), off Estrada; Travis (1), off Sale; Smoak (3), off Sale, RBIs—Benintendi (14), Martinez (3), Devers (18), Smoak (13), Pillar (10), Travis (3), Morales (8), SB—Devers (1), SF—Devers, Pillar.
Runners left in scoring position—Boston 2 (Betts, Vazquez); Toronto 5 (Smoak, Gurriel Jr. 2, Malle 2). RISP—Boston 2 for 5; Toronto 0 for 6.
Runners moved up—Morales, Griuch.

BOSTON IP H R ER BB SO NP ERA
Sale, W-2-1 6 4 3 3 2 4 104 2.31
Smith, H,2 2 2 1 1 0 1 4 5.87
M.Barnes, H,5 1 1 0 0 0 3 29 2.89
Kimbrel, S,7-7 1 0 0 0 0 1 16 0.87

TORONTO IP H R ER BB SO NP ERA
Estrada, L,2-2 5 8 5 5 1 5 97 6.00
Loup 2 0 0 0 0 2 24 4.32
Oh 1 0 0 0 0 1 14 1.74
D.Barnes 1 0 0 0 2 1 18 2.08
Inherited runners-scored—M.Barnes 1-0.
HBP—Sale (Solarte).
Umpires—Home, Ramon De Jesus; First, Kerwin Danley; Second, Dan Iassogna; Third, Scott Barry.
T—3:08. A—23,571 (53,506).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

PITCHERS	TIME	W-L	ERA	REC	W-L	IP	ERA
Milwaukee Suter (L)	2:20p	1-2	5.68	2-3	1-0	13.2	3.29
Chicago Darvish (R)	2:20p	0-2	6.86	2-2	0-1	5.0	5.40
Atlanta Teheran (R)	7:05p	1-1	4.00	4-1	1-2	23.1	5.79
Philadelphia Nola (R)	7:05p	2-1	2.30	2-3	2-0	15.0	1.20
St. Louis Mikolas (R)	7:05p	3-0	3.46	3-1	0-0	0.0	0.00
Pittsburgh Brault (L)	7:05p	2-1	4.44	1-3	0-0	4.0	4.50
Arizona Godley (R)	7:05p	3-1	3.09	3-1	0-0	5.2	6.35
Washington Strasburg (R)	7:05p	2-2	2.97	2-3	0-0	2.0	0.00
Colorado Anderson (L)	7:10p	1-0	4.32	3-2	1-0	7.0	0.00
Miami Urena (R)	7:10p	0-3	5.88	0-5	0-1	10.1	7.84
New York deGrom (R)	10:10p	2-0	2.53	3-2	1-0	8.0	2.25
San Diego Richard (L)	10:10p	1-2	5.67	2-3	0-1	8.0	5.63
Los Angeles Ryu (L)	10:15p	3-0	1.99	3-1	0-2	15.1	1.17
San Fran Holland (L)	10:15p	0-3	4.98	0-4	0-0	0.0	0.00

AMERICAN LEAGUE

PITCHERS	TIME	W-L	ERA	REC	W-L	IP	ERA
Detroit Fiers (R)	7:05p	2-1	3.71	2-1	1-0	7.0	1.29
Baltimore Tillman (R)	7:05p	0-4	9.87	0-4	0-1	2.0	22.50
Texas Minor (L)	7:07p	1-1	3.86	2-2	0-0	2.0	0.00
Toronto Stroman (R)	7:07p	0-2	8.55	2-2	0-1	4.0	15.75
Seattle Ramirez (R)	7:10p	0-1	9.64	0-1	0-0	8.0	1.13
Cleveland Kluber (R)	7:10p	3-1	1.96	3-2	1-0	7.0	0.00
Tampa Bay Snell (L)	7:10p	3-1	2.54	3-2	0-2	10.2	5.91
Boston Pomeranz (L)	7:10p	0-0	7.36	1-0	2-1	19.1	5.12
Oakland Manaea (L)	8:10p	3-2	1.23	3-2	1-2	22.2	3.18
Houston Keuchel (L)	8:10p	1-3	3.10	2-3	1-1	27.1	1.98
Chicago Lopez (R)	8:15p	0-2	1.50	0-4	2-0	18.1	3.44
Kansas City Duffy (L)	8:15p	0-3	5.26	0-5	1-3	22.0	7.77
New York Severino (R)	10:07p	4-1	2.32	4-1	0-1	6.0	7.50
Los Angeles Heaney (L)	10:07p	0-1	9.64	1-1	0-0	0.0	0.00

INTERLEAGUE

PITCHERS	TIME	W-L	ERA	REC	W-L	IP	ERA
Cincinnati Castillo (R)	8:10p	1-3	6.51	1-4	0-0	0.0	0.00
Minnesota Hughes (R)	8:1						

SCOREBOARD

PRO BASEBALL

FLORIDA STATE LEAGUE

All Times EDT
North Division

W	L	Pct.	GB	
Daytona (Reds)	15	6	.714	—
Tampa (Yankees)	12	9	.571	3
Lakeland (Tigers)	9	12	.429	6
Dunedin (Blue Jays)	8	12	.400	6½
Florida (Braves)	7	14	.333	8
Clearwater (Phillies)	7	14	.333	8

South Division

W	L	Pct.	GB	
Jupiter (Marlins)	16	5	.762	—
Bradenton (Pirates)	12	9	.571	4
Palm Beach (Cardinals)	11	10	.524	5
Charlotte (Rays)	10	11	.476	6
St. Lucie (Mets)	9	11	.450	6½
Fort Myers (Twins)	9	12	.429	7

Thursday's Games

Bradenton 4, Jupiter 3
Tampa 7, Charlotte 1
Dunedin 10, Clearwater 9, 10 innings
Florida 8, Lakeland 1
Palm Beach 6, St. Lucie 2
Fort Myers 5, Daytona 4

Friday's Games

Charlotte at Tampa, TBD
Charlotte at Tampa, 6:30 p.m.
Bradenton at Jupiter, 6:30 p.m.
Clearwater at Dunedin, 6:30 p.m.
Florida at Lakeland, 6:30 p.m.
Palm Beach at St. Lucie, 6:30 p.m.
Daytona at Fort Myers, 7 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Charlotte at Tampa, TBD
Bradenton at Jupiter, 5:30 p.m.
Daytona at Fort Myers, 6 p.m.
Florida at Lakeland, 6 p.m.
Palm Beach at St. Lucie, 6:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Tampa, 6:30 p.m.
Clearwater at Dunedin, 6:30 p.m.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

All times Eastern

EAST DIVISION	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	19	5	.792	—
New York	15	9	.625	4
Toronto	14	10	.583	5
Tampa Bay	9	13	.409	9
Baltimore	6	18	.250	13

CENTRAL DIVISION	W	L	Pct.	GB
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Minnesota	8	12	.400	3½
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Kansas City	5	17	.227	7½

WEST DIVISION	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	17	9	.654	—
Los Angeles	16	9	.640	½
Seattle	14	10	.583	2
Oakland	13	12	.520	3½
Texas	9	17	.346	8

Wednesday's Games

Houston 5, L.A. Angels 2
Seattle 4, Chicago White Sox 3
Detroit 13, Pittsburgh 10, 1st game
Pittsburgh 8, Detroit 3, 2nd game
Tampa Bay 8, Baltimore 4
Boston 4, Toronto 3
Cleveland 4, Chicago Cubs 1
N.Y. Yankees 7, Minnesota 4
Texas 4, Oakland 2
Milwaukee 6, Kansas City 2

Thursday's Games

Pittsburgh 1, Detroit 0
N.Y. Yankees 4, Minnesota 3
Seattle 5, Cleveland 4
Boston 5, Toronto 4
Tampa Bay at Baltimore, late
Chicago White Sox at Kansas City, late

Today's Games

Detroit (Fiers 2-1) at Baltimore (Tillman 0-4), 7:05 p.m.
Texas (Minor 1-1) at Toronto (Stroman 0-2), 7:07 p.m.
Seattle (Ramirez 0-1) at Cleveland (Kluber 3-1), 7:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Snell 3-1) at Boston (Pomeranz 0-0), 7:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (Castillo 1-3) at Minnesota (Hughes 0-0), 8:10 p.m.
Oakland (Manaea 3-2) at Houston (Keuchel 1-3), 8:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Lopez 0-2) at Kansas City (Duffy 0-3), 8:15 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Severino 4-1) at L.A. Angels (Heaney 0-1), 10:07 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Cincinnati at Minnesota, 2:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox at Kansas City, 2:15 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Boston, 4:05 p.m.
Texas at Toronto, 4:07 p.m.
Seattle at Cleveland, 4:10 p.m.
Detroit at Baltimore, 7:05 p.m.
Oakland at Houston, 7:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox at Kansas City, 7:15 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees at L.A. Angels, 9:07 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

All Times Eastern

EAST DIVISION	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	15	8	.652	—
Philadelphia	15	9	.625	½
Atlanta	14	10	.583	1½
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Miami	7	17	.292	8½

CENTRAL DIVISION	W	L	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	16	9	.640	—
St. Louis	15	9	.625	½
Pittsburgh	14	11	.560	2
Chicago	11	10	.524	3
Cincinnati	5	20	.200	11

WEST DIVISION	W	L	Pct.	GB
Arizona	17	7	.708	—
Colorado	14	12	.538	4
Los Angeles	11	12	.478	5½
San Francisco	11	13	.458	6
San Diego	9	17	.346	9

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Colorado 5, San Francisco 2
Washington 15, San Francisco 2
Detroit 13, Pittsburgh 10, 1st game
Pittsburgh 8, Detroit 3, 2nd game
Atlanta 5, Cincinnati 4
Philadelphia 5, Arizona 3
Cleveland 4, Chicago Cubs 1
Milwaukee 6, Kansas City 2
St. Louis 9, N.Y. Mets 1
Miami 8, L.A. Dodgers 6

Thursday's Games

Atlanta 7, Cincinnati 4
Pittsburgh 1, Detroit 0
Arizona 8, Philadelphia 12
St. Louis 4, N.Y. Mets 3, 13 innings
Milwaukee at Chicago Cubs, late

Today's Games

Milwaukee (Suter 1-2) at Chicago Cubs (Darvish 0-2), 2:20 p.m.
Arizona (Godley 3-1) at Washington (Strasburg 2-2), 7:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Teheran 1-1) at Philadelphia (Nola 2-1), 7:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Mikolas 3-0) at Pittsburgh (Braut 2-1), 7:05 p.m.
Colorado (Anderson 1-0) at Miami (Urena 0-3), 7:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (Castillo 1-3) at Minnesota (Hughes 0-0), 8:10 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (deGrom 2-0) at San Diego (Richard 1-2), 10:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Ryu 3-0) at San Francisco (Holland 0-3), 10:15 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Cincinnati at Minnesota, 2:10 p.m.
Milwaukee at Chicago Cubs, 2:20 p.m.
Arizona at Washington, 4:05 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers at San Francisco, 4:05 p.m., 1st game
L.A. Dodgers at San Francisco, 9:05 p.m., 2nd game
Atlanta at Philadelphia, 6:05 p.m.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m.
Colorado at Miami, 7:10 p.m.
N.Y. Mets at San Diego, 8:40 p.m.

PRO FOOTBALL

2018 NFL DRAFT

Thursday night draft Saturday, at Dallas
First Round
1. Cleveland, Baker Mayfield, qb, Oklahoma.
2. N.Y. Giants, Saquon Barkley, rb, Penn State.
3. N.Y. Jets (from Indianapolis), Sam Darnold, qb, Southern California.
4. Cleveland (from Houston), Denzel Ward, cb, Ohio State.
5. Denver, Bradley Chubb, de, NC State.
6. Indianapolis (from N.Y. Jets), Quenton Nelson, g, Notre Dame.
7. Buffalo (from Tampa Bay), Josh Allen, qb, Wyoming.
8. Chicago, Roquan Smith, lb, Georgia.
9. San Francisco, Mike McCalister, ot, Notre Dame.
10. Arizona (from Oakland), Josh Rosen, qb, UCLA.
11. Miami, Minkah Fitzpatrick, s, Alabama.

12. Tampa Bay (from Cincinnati through Buffalo), Vita Vea, dt, Washington.
13. Washington, DaRon Payne, dt, Alabama.
14. New Orleans (from Green Bay), Marcus Davenport, DE, UTSA.
15. Oakland (from Arizona), Kolton Miller, ot, UCLA.
16. Buffalo (from Baltimore), Tremaine Edmunds, lb, Virginia Tech.
17. L.A. Chargers, Derwin James, s, Florida State.
18. Green Bay (from Seattle), Jaire Alexander, cb, Louisville.
19. Dallas, Leighton Vander Esch, lb, Boise State.
20. Detroit, Frank Ragnow, c, Arkansas.
21. Cincinnati (from Buffalo).
22. Buffalo (from Kansas City)
23. New England (from Los Angeles Rams)
24. Carolina
25. Tennessee
26. Atlanta
27. New Orleans
28. Pittsburgh
29. Jacksonville
30. Minnesota
31. New England
32. Philadelphia

PRO BASKETBALL

NBA PLAYOFFS

All Times Eastern
FIRST ROUND
(Best-of-7, x-if necessary)
EASTERN CONFERENCE
TORONTO 3, WASHINGTON 2
April 14: Toronto 114, Toronto 106
April 17: Toronto 130, Washington 119
April 20: Washington 122, Toronto 103
April 22: Washington 106, Toronto 98
Wednesday: Toronto 108, Washington 98
Today: Toronto at Washington, 7 p.m.
x-Sunday: Washington at Toronto, 1 or 8 p.m.

BOSTON 3, MILWAUKEE 2

April 15: Boston 113, Milwaukee 107, OT
April 17: Boston 120, Milwaukee 106
April 20: Milwaukee 116, Boston 92
April 22: Milwaukee 104, Boston 102
April 24: Boston 92, Milwaukee 87
x-Thursday: Boston at Milwaukee, late
x-Saturday: Milwaukee at Boston, 8 p.m.

PHILADELPHIA 4, MIAMI 1

April 14: Philadelphia 130, Miami 103
April 16: Miami 113, Philadelphia 103
April 19: Philadelphia 128, Miami 108
April 21: Philadelphia 106, Miami 102
April 24: Philadelphia 104, Miami 91

CLEVELAND 3, INDIANA 2

April 15: Indiana 98, Cleveland 80
April 18: Cleveland 100, Indiana 97
April 20: Indiana 92, Cleveland 90
April 22: Cleveland 104, Indiana 100
Wednesday: Cleveland 98, Indiana 95
Today: Cleveland at Indiana, 8:30 p.m.
x-Sunday: Indiana at Cleveland, 1 or 3:30 p.m.

WESTERN CONFERENCE

HOUSTON 4, MINNESOTA 1
April 15: Houston 104, Minnesota 101
April 18: Houston 102, Minnesota 82
April 21: Minnesota 121, Houston 105
April 23: Houston 119, Minnesota 100
Wednesday: Houston 122, Minnesota 104

GOLDEN STATE 4, SAN ANTONIO 1

April 14: Golden State 113, San Antonio 92
April 16: Golden State 116, San Antonio 101
April 19: Golden State 110, San Antonio 97
April 22: San Antonio 103, Golden State 90
April 24: Golden State 99, San Antonio 91

NEW ORLEANS 4, PORTLAND 0

April 14: New Orleans 97, Portland 95
April 17: New Orleans 111, Portland 102
April 19: New Orleans 119, Portland 102
April 21: New Orleans 131, Portland 123

UTAH 3, OKLAHOMA CITY 2

April 15: Oklahoma City 116, Utah 108
April 18: Utah 102, Oklahoma City 95
April 21: Utah 115, Oklahoma City 102
April 23: Utah 113, Oklahoma City 96
Wednesday: Oklahoma City 107, Utah 99
Today: Oklahoma City at Utah, 10:30 p.m.
x-Sunday: Utah at Okla. City, 1 or 3:30 p.m.

CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS

(Best-of-7, x-if necessary)
WESTERN CONFERENCE
NEW ORLEANS VS. GOLDEN STATE
Saturday: New Orleans at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.
Rest of schedule: TBA

INDIVIDUAL PLAYOFF STATISTICS

Through April 25:

SCORING	G	FG	FT	PTS.	AVG.
James, CLE	5	60	47	174	34.8
Davis, NOR	4	49	31	132	33.0
Harden, HOU	5	46	33	145	29.0
DeRozan, TOR	5	52	30	144	28.8
George, OKC	5	47	30	143	28.6
Durant, GOR	5	48	35	141	28.2
Holiday, NOR	4	46	12	111	27.8
Mitchell, UTA	5	52	18	133	26.6
Wall, WAS	5	47	36	133	26.6
Westbrook, OKC	5	46	30	130	26.0
Antetokounmpo, MIL	5	49	26	127	25.4
McCullum, POR	4	40	10	101	25.2
Middleton, MIL	5	49	9	125	25.0
Aldridge, SAN	5	37	41	118	23.6
Thompson, GOL	5	46	5	113	22.6
Brown, BOS	5	43	7	109	21.8
Beal, WAS	5	39	14	107	21.4
Oladipo, IND	5	32	24	101	20.2
Redick, PHO	5	30	27	100	20.0
Paul, HOU	5	37	13	95	19.0

FG PERCENTAGE	FG	FGA	PCT.
Scott, WAS	23	34	.676
Capela, HOU	35	52	.673
Young, IND	26	41	.634
Gobert, UTA	25	40	.625
Valanciunas, TOR	27	44	.614
Favors, UTA	23	38	.605
Antetokounmpo, MIL	49	81	.605
Gortat, WAS	24	40	.600
Turner, IND	27	45	.600
Sabonis, IND	24	41	.585

REBOUNDS	G	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG.
Capela, HOU	5	24	47	71	14.2
Towns, MIN	5	15	52	67	13.4
Westbrook, OKC	5	10	52	62	12.4
Davis, NOR	4	11	36	47	11.8
James, CLE	5	12	45	57	11.4
Green, GOL	5	15	41	56	11.2
Gobert, UTA	5	24	30	54	10.8
Simmons, PHL	5	12	41	53	10.6
Love, CLE	5	18	34	52	10.4
Mirotic, NOR	4	2	36	38	9.5

ASSISTS	G	AST	AVG.
Rondo, NOR	4	53	13.2
Wall, WAS	5	61	12.2
Simmons, PHL	5	45	9.0
Lowry, TOR	5	44	8.8
Green, GOL	5	40	8.0
James, CLE	5	40	8.0
Westbrook, OKC	5	40	8.0
Rubio, UTA	5	39	7.8
Harden, HOU	5	37	7.4
Antetokounmpo, MIL	5	35	7.0

ODDS

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FAVORITE	LINE	UNDERDOG	LINE
at Chicago	-177	Milwaukee	+165
at Washington	-140	Arizona	+130
at Philadelphia	-165	Atlanta	+155
St. Louis	-130	at Pittsburgh	+120
Colorado	-137	at Miami	+127
New York	-151	at San Diego	+141
Los Angeles	-139	at San Fran.	+129

American League

at Kansas City	-115	Chicago	+105
at Baltimore	-105	Detroit	+105
at Toronto	-160	Texas	+150
at Cleveland	-240	Seattle	+220
at Boston	-164	Tampa Bay	+154
at Houston	-164	Oakland	+154
New York	-153	at Los Angeles	+143

Interleague

at Minnesota	-110	Cincinnati	+100
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NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

Playoffs

Today

FAVORITE	LINE	O/U	UNDERDOG
at Washington	2	214½	Toronto
at Indiana	1	204	Cleveland
at Utah	6	206	Oklahoma City

Saturday

at Golden State	7½	222½	New Orleans
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NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Stanley Cup Playoffs

Today

FAVORITE	LINE	UNDERDOG	LINE
at Nashville	-148	Winnipeg	+138

Saturday

at Tampa Bay	-140	Boston	+130
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TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE
CHICAGO WHITE SOX — Sent 1B Casey Gillaspie outright to Charlotte (IL).
CLEVELAND INDIANS — Selected the contract of LHP Jeff Belevue from Columbus (IL). Placed LHP Andrew Miller on the 10-day DL.
DETROIT TIGERS — Recalled RHP Johnny Barbatto from Toledo (IL). Optioned CF Mike Gerber and RHP Artie Lewicki to Toledo.
MINNESOTA TWINS — Designated RHP Tyler Kinley for release or assignment. Recalled RHP Aaron Slegers from Rochester (IL).
NEW YORK YANKEES — Announced RHP David Hale was claimed off waivers by Minnesota. Sent OF Clint Frazier on a rehab assignment to Tampa (FL).
OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Optioned RHPs Chris Bassitt and Kendall Graveman to Nashville (PCL). Activated RHP Wilmer Font.
SEATTLE MARINERS — Activated INF Ryon Healy from the 10-day DL. Optioned INF Daniel Vogelbach to Tacoma (PCL).
TAMPA BAY RAYS — Sent 3B Matt Duffy on a rehab assignment to Charlotte (IL).
NATIONAL LEAGUE
ATLANTA BRAVES — Sent RHP Miguel Socolovich outright to Gwinnett (IL).
CINCINNATI REDS — Activated 3B Eugenio Suarez from the 10-day DL. Selected the contract of INF-OF Rosell Herrera from Louisville (IL). Optioned OF Phillip Ervin and INF Cliff Pennington to Louisville.
MIAMI MARLINS — Sent SS JT Riddle on a rehab assignment to Jacksonville (FL).
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Recalled RHP John Gant from Memphis (PCL). Optioned RHP John Brebbia to the Memphis.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Agreed to terms with 1B Mark Reynolds on a minor league contract.

Midwest League

QUAD CITIES RIVER BANDITS — Placed RHP J.B. Baskauskas on the 7-day DL.
Can-Am League
SUSSEX COUNTY MINERS — Signed RHP Gianni Zayas.
Frontier League
FLORENCE FREEDOM — Signed 3B Jose Bruzuela.
JOLIET SLAMMERS — Signed C Cody Clark and LHP Michael O'Neal.
LAKE ERIE CRUSHERS — Signed RHPs Max Biedrzycki and Trent Lundsford.
SCHAUMBURG BOOMERS — Signed RHP Josh Alberici and C Wilkyns Jimenez.
TRAVERSE CITY BEACH BUMS — Signed LHP William Couseen-Carr and RHP John Michael Knighton.
WINDY CITY THUNDERBOLTS — Signed LHP Doug Hayes, C Ronnie Healy, and RHP Steven Hellenbach.

FOOTBALL

National Football League
OAKLAND RAIDERS — Waived DT Darius Latham.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
NASHVILLE PREDATORS — Signed G Miroslav Svoboda to a two-year, entry-level contract.
American Hockey League
AHL — Suspended Manitoba F Michael Spacek three games for his actions in an April 25 game at Grand Rapids.

SOCCER

NFL: Jaguars

Owner makes offer to buy Wembley Stadium

By **ROB HARRIS**
Associated Press

LONDON — Jacksonville Jaguars owner Shahid Khan is eyeing a stadium deal on NFL draft day: Buying Wembley.

The English Football Association has received an offer from Khan of about 600 million pounds (\$840 million) for the national soccer stadium, which would continue to host England games and major cup finals after a sale.

Wembley has staged regular-season NFL games since 2007 and Khan's Florida-based franchise started playing

at the 90,000-capacity stadium in 2013, the year Khan bought London soccer club Fulham.

He told The Associated Press he expects to own Wembley within eight to 12 weeks, increasing the prospect of an NFL franchise in London.

"That's possible in the long, long term," Khan said. "Right now, it's about having the certainty we can have three or four games there and then seeing how the market receives it and building on it.

"(Owning Wembley) gives certainty of an NFL presence in London. The first thing you want with certainty is you want a



Shown is the arena ahead of the NFL Football match between the Denver Broncos and San Francisco 49ers at Wembley Stadium in London on Oct. 31, 2010.

venue. And this gives us a stadium solution for us or anyone else."

The Jaguars have a deal through 2020 to

play games in London, but Wembley is facing an increasing threat for NFL games from another stadium in north

London. NFL games will also be played this year at the new home of Premier League club Tottenham, which is under construction.

The 60,000-plus capacity stadium was designed with NFL-sized changing rooms and to ensure the grass soccer pitch can be retracted and kept under lights below the stands when the artificial surface is required for NFL.

But Khan envisages after the Tottenham deal expires in a decade that only Wembley could be staging NFL games in London.

Wembley, which first opened in 1923, was

rebuilt at a cost of 800 million pounds before reopening in 2007. For most of its existence it has not been owned by the FA.

Selling off Wembley would give the FA up to 500 million pounds to invest in soccer development, which could increase the chances of England winning its first World Cup title since 1966. The governing body would retain the rights to hospitality packages for games, which are valued at 300 million pounds.

"For the FA," Khan said, "it would mean Wembley Stadium returning to private

GOLF: Zurich Classic



AP PHOTO

Dou Zecheng, left, and Zhang Xinjun Zhang celebrate after Dou sank a long birdie on the final hole to put the duo into a first-place tie at the end of the first round of the Zurich Classic on Thursday.

Reavie-Glover and Zhang-Dou share lead

Associated Press

AVONDALE, La. — Chez Reavie had quite a few good moments at TPC Louisiana on Thursday. So did teammate Lucas Glover.

In best-ball format, the most important thing was those moments came on different holes.

Reavie and Glover teamed to shoot a 12-under 60 for a share of the Zurich Classic lead with China's Zhang Xinjun and Dou Zecheng.

"Chez started well and I picked it up in the middle of the back nine," Glover said. "He closed it off and then we both played really well on the front. Just kind of ham and egged it, I guess, as they would say."

Reavie and Glover each had six birdies in the best-ball format, pushing through soggy weather early in the round before conditions cleared at TPC Louisiana. Six teams are two shots back in a tie for third after shooting 62.

"We were just rolling," Reavie said. "I think we're comfortable. We like to laugh and have a good time when we're playing golf, and it definitely helps."

Zhang and Dou birdied four of their final five holes. Dou made a 31-foot putt on No. 9 to cap the impressive rally and jump into the lead

with Reavie and Glover.

Tony Finau - Daniel Summerhays, Chris Paisley - Tommy Fleetwood, J.J. Henry - Tom Hoge, Michael Kim - Andrew Putnam, Kevin Kisner - Scott Brown and Troy Merritt - Brendon de Jonge shot 62. Jason Day and Ryan Ruffels shot 64.

It's the first time since last year's Tour Championship that the reigning champs of all four majors have been in the same field. None of them were among the leaders after the first round.

Masters champion Patrick Reed and Patrick Cantlay had a 65, and British Open winner Jordan Spieth and Ryan Palmer were at 66.

"I didn't feel like there was really any rust," Reed said. "I felt like I hit the ball all right today. I felt I hit some good quality putts. A couple of them went in, a couple of them didn't."

This is the second year that two-player teams have competed at the Zurich Classic. The unusual tournament features best-ball play in the first and third rounds and alternate shot in the second and final rounds.

U.S. Open champion Brooks Koepka and Marc Turnesa shot a 67. PGA Championship winner Justin Thomas and Bud Cauley shot a 70.

MLB: Red Sox

Yawkey Way changed over racist past

By **MARK PRATT**
Associated Press

BOSTON — Boston officials Thursday approved changing the name of Yawkey Way, the street outside Fenway Park, because of allegations former Red Sox owner Tom Yawkey was a racist who resisted signing black ballplayers in the 1940s and '50s.

The city's Public Improvement Commission unanimously approved a proposal by current Red Sox ownership to call the stretch of road Jersey Street, which it was originally named before being changed in 1977 to honor Yawkey the year after he died.

"The spirit of Boston is being renewed," said

Walter Carrington, 87, a former member of the Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination who investigated the Red Sox organization in 1959.

The vote drew immediate condemnation from the Yawkey Foundation, the charity named for Yawkey and his wife, Jean.

"As we have said throughout this process, the effort to expunge Tom Yawkey's name has been based on a false narrative about his life and his historic 43-year ownership of the Red Sox," the organization said.

"The drastic step of renaming the street, now officially sanctioned by the city of Boston (and contradicting the honor

the city bestowed upon Tom Yawkey over 40 years ago), will unfortunately give lasting credence to that narrative and unfairly tarnish his name."

The Red Sox filed a petition with the commission in February and said that restoring the Jersey Street name is intended to reinforce that Fenway Park is "inclusive and welcoming to all."

Principal owner John Henry told the Boston Herald last year that "I am still haunted by what went on here a long time before we arrived."

Under Yawkey, who owned the club from 1933-76, the Red Sox was the last team in the major leagues to cross the color barrier. Pumpsie Green

became its first black player in 1959, 12 years after Jackie Robinson played for the Dodgers.

Prior to that, the team chose not to sign several prominent black players, including Robinson and Willie Mays.

The Yawkey Foundation acknowledged that in its statement, but said the good Yawkey and the foundation have done far outweighs the negative, including the more than \$300 million the foundation has provided to organizations throughout the city.

"We have always acknowledged that it is regrettable that the Red Sox were the last Major League baseball team to integrate," the statement said.

NBA: PACERS

Close-knit team gets tested with season on line

By **MICHAEL MAROT**
Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS — The Indiana Pacers have been winning together, losing together and fighting together all season.

Now they need to demonstrate their resilience once more as they try to save their season by rebounding from an emotional loss to LeBron James and the Cleveland Cavaliers.

"Nobody thought we'd be in this situation," Victor Oladipo said, referring to the playoffs. "It's important for us to stick together now because we've seen where it can go, where it can take us and it's great."

The immediate problem is recent history doesn't bode well for



AP PHOTO

Indiana Pacers' Myles Turner, left, drives past Cleveland Cavaliers' Jose Calderon, from Spain, in Game 5 on Wednesday.

the underdog Pacers, who trail 3-2 with Game 5 set for Friday in Indianapolis.

Cleveland swept Indiana in the first round last year, winning four games by a record low 16 total points. James has won 10 straight close-out games and has never lost a first-round series. Indiana,

meanwhile, is trying to reach the conference semifinals for the first time since 2014.

But the Pacers don't care about stats, projections or conventional wisdom — as they've proven repeatedly this season.

Following last summer's Paul George trade,

Indiana seemed bound for the draft lottery. Instead, general manager Kevin Pritchard cobbled together a rare combination of proven, often overlooked veterans, emerging stars, good shooters and willing defenders.

It turned out to be a perfect fit.

Indiana won 48 games, six more than it did with George last season, and is a win away from forcing the three-time defending Eastern Conference champs into a decisive seventh game.

Cleveland has learned one lesson the hard way: The fifth-seeded Pacers won't go away. They won 12 times after facing double-digit deficits and eight times after trailing by 15 or more during the regular season.

MARTIN

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Conference tournament in 2016.

But it wasn't until Garrido resigned at Texas two years ago that Martin's chase of the record truly began. While Garrido's 1,975 victories came at five different schools, including San Francisco State, Cal Poly, Cal State Fullerton and Illinois, all of Martin's has come at his alma mater, which is an NCAA record.

Martin said the last time he saw Garrido was at the College World Series last year. Garrido died on March 15 after suffering a stroke.

Mark Marquess, who retired last year after 41 seasons at Stanford, had a friendly rivalry with both coaches. Even though both had different



AP PHOTO

Florida State coach Mike Martin salutes the crowd at Dick Howser Stadium in Tallahassee on Feb. 19, 2017.

personalities — Marquess said Garrido was more gregarious while Martin was more laid back — the thing they had in common was being authentic and successful.

"What I liked about both guys was what you see is what you get. They don't put on any airs and those

qualities are reflected in their players," Marquess said. "I know they were my two idols and helped mentor young coaches."

Martin graduated from Florida State in 1966 before returning as an assistant in 1975 for Woody Woodward (1975-78) and Dick Howser

(1979). When Howser was hired to manage the New York Yankees in October of 1979, Martin was promoted to head coach.

Things were a little different when he Martin managed his first game on Feb. 24, 1980, — coincidentally against Miami: — ESPN had been on the air less than six months.

— Getting a pitcher who could throw 90 miles per hour or above was like winning the lottery.

— College baseball was still mostly a niche sport, dominated by warm weather schools in the South and West.

Going into this weekend's series, all three games will be televised and most of FSU's pitchers can regularly throw over 90. Martin said the biggest change he has seen is the increased talent level throughout the nation.

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2018 Punta Gorda Block Party Entertainment Schedule*

- **West Marion Avenue Stage**
 - 1 p.m. Mixed Up
 - 2:45 p.m. Yes Dear
 - 4 p.m. Country Express
 - 5:15 p.m. Nostal Jah Band
 - 6:30 p.m. Yes Dear
 - 7:45 p.m. Nostal Jah Band
 - 9 p.m. Country Express
 - **Retta Esplanade Main Stage**
 - 2 p.m. Gary and Kerri
 - 4:15 p.m. Opening Ceremony
 - 4:30 p.m. American Made
 - 6:15 p.m. The Association
 - 8:30 p.m. The Boogiemens
 - **East Marion Avenue Stage**
 - 4 p.m. Uptown Express
 - 5:15 p.m. Storyline
 - 6:30 p.m. Copperhead
 - 7:45 p.m. Storyline
 - 9 p.m. Copperhead
 - **Sullivan St. Stage**
 - 2:30 p.m. Nick's Kids Show
 - 4 p.m. Nick's Kids Show
 - 5:30 p.m. Nick's Kids Show
 - **Demonstration Entertainment Area on Taylor Street**
 - 1 p.m. Zumba with Laurentz
 - 1:45 p.m. Soles in Motion (Cloggers)
 - 2:30 p.m. Dance with Janis
 - 3:15 p.m. Kengo CMA Karate
- *Schedule subject to change

WHY YOU SHOULD GO TO THE BLOCK PARTY

Local favorite, The Boogiemens, will take the Retta Esplanade Stage at 8:30 p.m.



April 28 is Punta Gorda Block Party day, the 30th iteration of the biggest and best street festival in Southwest Florida. Come on downtown to enjoy a day of conviviality with your neighbors, friends and fellow residents. Gates open at noon and bands play until 10 p.m.

There will be great live entertainment featuring The Association and top local bands on three stages and a robust number of children's activities, streets filled with vendors selling reasonably priced food like jerk pork, barbecue, corn on the cob, popcorn, funnel cakes, pizza, lobster rolls, fish and chips, Italian ice and lemonade, plus beer, wine, Coca Cola and other drinks.

The Block Party has



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returned to its roots on Marion Avenue and Taylor Street. No local event has a better selection of foods to munch or lets you enjoy them while walking the



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Local favorite, American Made, will perform on the Retta Esplanade Stage at 4:30 p.m. during the 2018 Punta Gorda Block Party.

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'Let's all go to the lobby..'



Sherri Dennis
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To get ourselves a treat. I know it's stuck in my head now too. That's how it works. After we hear something over and over again, we only need to hear a portion of it to make us smile and bring back memories of when and where we may have heard it for the first time.

"Cherish is the word I use to

describe," brings back memories for me of 1990 Jazzercise, yep, Jazzercise. The warm-up song of the time. "Who's tripping down the streets of the city, smilin' at everybody she sees, who's reachin' out to capture a moment? Everyone knows it's Windy." I remember hearing this song, during a Breaking Bad episode, and just

couldn't remember when and where I heard it for the first time, but I'm sure it was on the radio when riding with my parents in their 1972 Pinto hatchback (it was yellow). "Never my love," is probably the easiest to remember. Homecoming 1979, when we couldn't afford a real band and we just brought in albums/records and

played them for three hours. So after the 2018 Block Party, I will certainly remember the "next" "last times I heard these songs, and it's most certain to bring a smile to my face.

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HAPPENINGS ON THE HARBOR

TODAY

Meet Annie the owl from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Center Court of Fishermen's Village, 1200 W. Esplanade, Punta Gorda.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28

Punta Gorda Farmers Market, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., corner of Olympia Avenue and Taylor Street, Punta Gorda. Call 941-391-4856 or email jerry@punta.gordafarmersmarket.com.

American Legion Post 103 Outdoor Market, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., 2101 Taylor Road, Punta Gorda. For more information, call 941-626-2567.

Bicycle ride departs at 8:30 a.m. from Acme Bicycle Shop, 615 Cross St., Suite 1116, Punta Gorda. All riders welcome. Helmet required. Details: 941-639-2263.

Story Time from 10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. at Copperfish Books, 103 W. Marion Ave., Punta Gorda. All are welcome. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Punta Gorda Chocolate & Wine offers a tasting of chocolates, along with premier wines and craft beers from around the world, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call 941-626-2008.

Celebrate Independent Bookstore Day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Copperfish Books, 103 W. Marion Ave. For more information, call 941-205-2560.

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

Open Air Market from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at History Park, 501 Shreve St., Punta Gorda.

American Legion Post 103 Outdoor Market, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., 2101 Taylor Road, Punta Gorda.

MONDAY, APRIL 30

Live music from noon to 3 p.m. with Rick Rock Rice and with Pat Cozad from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Fishermen's Village, 1200 West Retta Esplanade #57A.

Live music from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. with Gary & Kerri at Dean's South of the

PRWC

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Bat breeding season is from April through August in SW Florida. Florida Fish and Wildlife Commission reminds the public that they cannot do exclusions from buildings during this time. Also use caution when trimming palm boots, another favourite nesting location for bats, like this evening bat. While Peace River Wildlife Center does raise orphaned baby bats if needed, it is always best if wildlife is raised by their own parents. Peace River Wildlife Center is a nonprofit organization dedicated to the care, preservation and protection of Charlotte County's native wildlife since 1978. They are open seven days a week, year-round, including holidays. Tours are offered from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Injured animal intake is from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. PRWC receives no federal or state funding and relies entirely on private donations. For more information, visit PeaceRiverWildlifeCenter.org, email PeaceRiverWildlife@yahoo.com, call 941-637-3830 or visit them at 3400 Ponce de Leon Pkwy. (GPS address: 3400 W. Marion Ave.), Punta Gorda.

Border, 130 Tamiami Trail. **TUESDAY, MAY 1** Giving Challenge begins at noon for nonprofits over the area. Visit giving-partnerchallenge.org. FGCU Foreign Film Series-"Zelary" (2003 Czech/Slovak) 1 to 3 p.m. at FGCU's Renaissance Academy, 117 Herald Court, Suite 211, Punta Gorda. The fee is \$5. For more information, call 941-505-0130. **WEDNESDAY, MAY 2** Giving Challenge ends at noon Don't forget donations from \$25 to \$100 will be matched.

THURSDAY, MAY 3

Charlotte Stone Crabs will be hosting the Annual Chamber Night with Charlotte County, Englewood, North Port and Punta Gorda.

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The Punta Gorda National Day of Prayer local task force will host a community observation of the National Day of Prayer at noon on Thursday, May 3, in front of the Punta Gorda City Hall Annex, located at 126 Harvey St., Punta Gorda. The non-denominational service will include members of the clergy, local law enforcement and civic officers, and is open to the public.

Created in 1952 by a joint resolution of the United States Congress and signed into law by President Harry S. Truman, the National Day of Prayer is observed annually on the first Thursday in May with this year being the 66th observance. The theme for 2018, Unity, is scripturally based on Ephesians 4:3, "Making every effort to keep the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace."

— Provided by Christa G. Villarose, Media Ministries Coordinator



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Aerial photo of a previous Punta Gorda block party.

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Yes Dear is a newly formed band of local musicians who will be making their debut at the 2018 Punta Gorda Block Party.



Gordon Bower
Punta Gordy

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The Association

FROM PAGE 1

streets of Punta Gorda's rejuvenated downtown and celebrate the good life in Punta Gorda.

Better yet, entry is free, yes, free, but that brings with it a cautionary note that needs some explanation and a brief history lesson: If you love going to the Block Party, you should drop some greenbacks into the donation buckets at the entry gates. The Block Party costs upwards of \$150,000 to stage every year; last year, patrons tossed nearly \$19,000 into donation buckets at the entry gates in appreciation of the return of the Block Party. Those contributions helped guarantee funding for this year's celebration.

You should not, however, just view a contribution as helping to maintain an event that's just for fun. The truth is, from its beginning, the Block Party is woven into the fabric of downtown and vital to many local nonprofits that do so much good in the community.

In 1987, the first Block Party was organized to commemorate the centennial of Punta Gorda. It was the capstone event of a year-long series of centennial celebrations celebrating the city's heritage.

What many people do not know is the decrepit state of downtown Punta Gorda back then. Buildings and streets were in disrepair, and the area was on its way to becoming a shell of the vibrant economic engine it once was. The city, as part of the celebration, began finding money to spruce it up, a rejuvenation still going on today with a great deal of success.

Because of its resounding popularity and impact on downtown, city officials asked the volunteer organizers to continue the event on an annual basis. Punta Gorda Days Inc. was incorporated as a nonprofit and entered into a partnership with the city to organize the biggest one-day event in Southwest Florida.

The city continued to fix downtown and in addition chipped in with \$5,000 in seed money and free police, EMT and

set-up and clean-up assistance. Many years of success followed, and attendance grew to 30,000 to 40,000 people, many from other areas of the state who were seeing the city for the first time and came back to spend money.

A decade ago, the city withdrew financial support for its Block Party, but the organizers have kept it going, despite the economic recession and financial hardships, because it is so important to nonprofits.

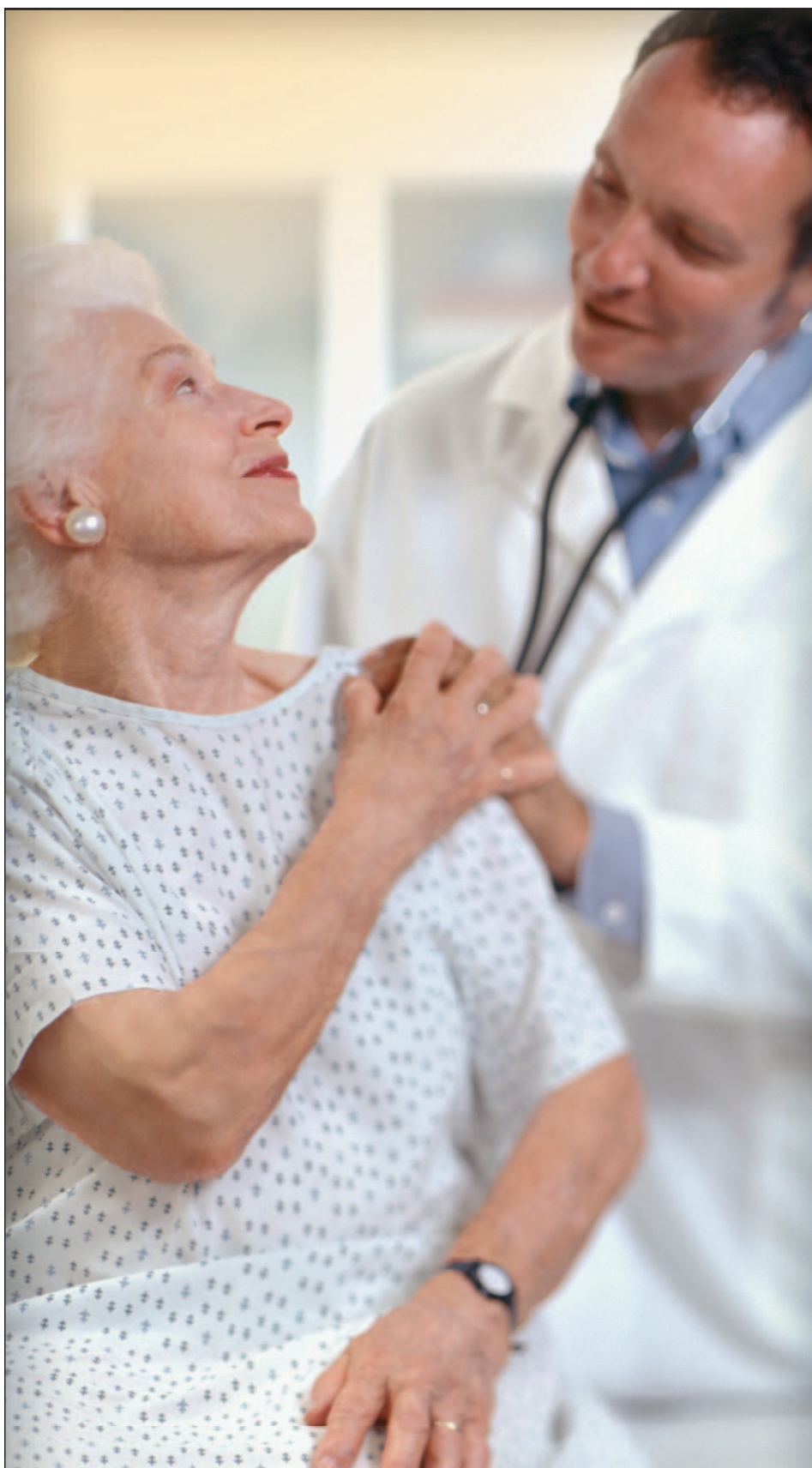
It is imperative the Block Party now receive financial support from the people who attend and enjoy it. A donation is not like giving cash to a single nonprofit or good cause. A Block Party donation is seed money that will multiply over and over through the years as the nonprofits return to raise money for their good works.

It is also necessary for the continuation of the Old Timers luncheon, which is held in concert with the Block Party. This annual gathering of people who have lived in the city for 30 years annually draws 600-700 people from all over the country. The luncheon organizers simply won't be able to afford the liability insurance required without the Block Party's support.

If you haven't been to a Block Party, ask those who have why they go. Guaranteed you will hear them mention the great entertainment, good food and drink, the chance to see old friends and celebrate life in Punta Gorda. What that all boils down to is this: The Block Party makes them feel good.

Go, and you will feel even better than good if you reach into your wallet at the entry gates. You will still have fun and can take satisfaction that you have helped nonprofits to keep on doing the good works that, in addition to the weather and the our community spirit, make this city special.

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HERALD PHOTOS BY SUE PAQUIN

Petra Klos and Teresa Mayer played outside of Copperfish Books.



Judy Quest and Thomas Fry



At left: John Kaypus and Sean Sizget enjoy a glass of wine at the Orange House Wine Bar.



Andrea McCain and Angelina Guarisco provided acrobatics.

On Thursday, April 19, Alive After 5, sponsored by the Downtown Merchants Association, provided live music, wine and food tastings, art demonstrations, shopping and dining to the many folks strolling through town and enjoying the spring weather.


At right: Clowning around in front of Hesslers Floor Covering are Jeff Hughes of the Short 1-Man Band, Erica Moser, Amie Rogers, Jacquie Baldelli and Mary Calbino.



Phil Wilson played to raise funds for Cancer.

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Do you remember when?

(Excerpts from the Daily Herald-News from April 27 — May 3, 1978)

Plans progressing on airport growth

Terminal expansion is in the offering at the Charlotte County Airport, but the nature of that expansion depends on the cost. According to Airport Manager Frank Toolan, traffic on Naples Airlines at the Punta Gorda terminal has exceeded all expectations since the local airline began service last fall. The Charlotte County Development Authority which runs the airport, was presented yesterday with two plans. Either an addition to the present terminal or construction of separate facilities to the south. Originally Naples Airlines' President John Van Arsdale commissioned architect Willard Bowman, of the present terminal, to draw plans for an addition to be attached by a corridor to the south end of the facilities, already in operation. Van Arsdale now asked Bowman to draw a rough plan for an unconnected terminal. The approximate cost of the separate building would be from \$200,000 to \$280,000.

Lawyer replacement in Punta Gorda

State Attorney Joe D'Alessandro Wednesday said he hopes to find a replacement for Assistant Attorney, Daryl Casanueva in Punta Gorda. Preferably a week before he plans to resign to join a Port Charlotte law firm. D'Alessandro's staff is interviewing applicants now for the position to help Assistant State Attorney Eugene Berry, in the Punta Gorda office.

More gas tax cash coming

The county can expect an additional \$13,900 plus interest from the state Department of Transportation, according to Clerk of the Circuit Court, Buddy Alexander. Alexander requested



the money this week as the balance due the county in withheld gas tax revenue. The county received the bulk of the balance due last month and deposited it in the county road and bridge department's budget. Early last month county commissioners approved a motion to collect excess seventh-cent gas tax funds on a month-to-month basis. On demand, ending any chance of further "windfalls" from the DOT.

Vocational Center courses reflect market demand

When the Charlotte County Vocational Center opens in September 1980, about 20 courses will be taught for people in need of training to qualify for positions. The Center is designed to offer training in various area occupations to residents seeking training to qualify at businesses in need of personnel. Tom Wagoner, co-coordinator of vocational education for Charlotte County schools, said the courses, approved by the State Department of Education are the products of more than a year of research concerning labor market demands and trends in the Charlotte area. The Vocational Technical Center is to be built in the Murdock area of Port Charlotte. It could accommodate 527 students during its first year of offering courses in health, construction and restaurant industries. The Vo-Tech Center will also provide re-training programs. The labor market outlook will be re-evaluated every year.



Janine Smith
40 Years Ago

Janine Smith writes about Punta Gorda's historic past. Contact her at janinehs1@comcast.net.

in his class made or helped make a dish from one foreign country, to be shared with classmates at the party. The foods ranged from Italian pasta and Mexican chili to generous portions of French, Polish, Israeli and Hawaiian delicacies. For dessert, students sampled Jamaican Rum Cake and Bosserdet concluded the meal with his own offering — a large peach torte.

Thanks 'DOC'

Sheriff Alan LeBeau and State Rep. Fred Burrall said goodbye to Robert 'Doc' Willis at a Sheriff's department party this week. Willis is resigning his duties at the department as public relations information officer. Willis engineered the successful campaigns for Sheriff Alan LeBeau and State Rep. Fred Burrall.

'International' foods party at school

Neil Armstrong Elementary six graders literally got a taste of world travel. This took place at their annual international food tasting party in the school cafeteria. Sixth-grade teacher William Bosserdet organized the party as part of a social studies' unit which teaches the geography resources and cultures of various foreign countries. Each of the 24 students

The Hotel Punta Gorda

The Hotel Punta Gorda was captured on canvas by artist Dona Dickerson. It will soon hang in the city council chambers of the new City Hall addition. Accepting the acrylic painting for the city were Mayor Charles Phipps and Public Works Director Don Roll.

Nursing school officers

New officers for the Charlotte School of Practical Nursing were installed Thursday. They are Elaine Eisaman, president; Mary Schneider, vice president; Jacquelyn Kelly, secretary; Sharen Molnar, treasurer; and Janice Horner, parliamentarian.

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Charlotte senior Haley Cabral gets ready to take the field with a couple of players from the Swarm.



The Lil Swarm 8U softball team is coached by Tammy and James Chumley.



Left-hander Koryn Leahy hits the ball to the opposite field.



Bella Pari takes a nice cut at the ball during a recent 8U game at Harold Avenue.



The Lil Swarm's first baseman Izzy Dinius comes up with a ground ball for an out.

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Makenzie Bell steals second base in the Swarms' 8U game.



Taylor Kirkus, Alyssa Opsahl and Abby Hayse take the field with members of the 8U Miss Charlotte team the Swarm.

Sea Grape Gallery celebrates 30 years

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Photojournalist

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HERALD PHOTOS BY SANDY MACYS

Bonnie Benande, president of the gallery, center with scissors, prepares to cut the ribbon during the 30th year birthday celebration ceremonies.



Bonnie Benande, president of the gallery presents the cake.

In 1988, 21 local artists formed a gallery to offer a showcase for fine art in Charlotte County. Thirty years later, the Sea Grape Gallery not only offers a place for artists to display and sell their work, it also provides many services to the community including awarding scholarships to graduating high school art students and participating in many charitable fund-raising community events. Sea Grape is located at 113 W. Marion Ave., Punta Gorda and can be reached at 941-575-1718.



Jerry and Lynda Platt



From left: Sue Krasny, Thelma Daida, Judy ReHill, Sue Kapuchinski, Bonnie Benande, and Barbara Albin



Stan Ward looks at some of the artwork.



From left: Judy ReHill, Beverly Yanwitt, Marlene Jones, Sue Krasny, Barbara Albin, Bonnie Benande, Vickie Glynn and Barbara Simmons.



Judy ReHill, left, who has worked at the Gallery since 1988, cuts the cake along with gallery president Bonnie Benande.

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Screen-Free Week is a nationwide event sponsored by Campaign for a Commercial-Free Childhood and celebrated by schools, families, and other civic and community groups

each year. During Screen-Free Week, millions of children and adults pledge to spend seven days screen-free. Instead of watching TV or playing video games, they read, play, think, create, get physically active, and spend more time with friends and family. Florida Department of Health in Charlotte County's Community Health Improvement Partnership is coordinating the county-wide activities.

The event will be held at Copperfish Books, 103 W. Marion Ave., Punta Gorda, Florida, and is free to attend. Reservations should be made no later than April 28. Call 941-205-2560 or email copperfishbooks@comcast.net. Additional information is available at www.copperfishbooks.com.

National Library Week celebrated

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During National Library Week, the Punta Gorda Library honored the immense contributions of Ms. LeAnn Beckwith, Librarian Supervisor of the Punta Gorda Library. April marks Ms. Beckwith's one-year anniversary with the library. Previously she was Library Director at the Hillsdale Community Library in Hillsdale, Michigan. She holds a Masters of Library and Information Science degree from Wayne State University.

Libraries have become more than just books and banks of computers. Libraries are places where patrons gather to explore new worlds, interact with one another, and connect with others in the community. This change has led Ms. Beckwith to institute a number of adult and children's programs that benefit the community. The first 'Bricks 4 Kidz Workshop' was held in September 2017 where students learned the fundamentals of S.T.E.M. (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) education through the use of LEGO Bricks. As the County no longer has the means to fund the program, Ms. Beckwith has made a commitment to ensure the program continues for Punta Gorda students.

The 'Free Application for Federal Student Aid' (FAFSA) workshop that Ms. Beckwith hosted gave students an understanding of how to apply for scholarships and student loans. Ms. Beckwith hosted best selling author Ann Charles whose books 'The Deadwood Mystery Series' are popular with local teens and young adults.

Libraries, as community-building connections, must recognize social needs. As a result, the Punta Gorda Library has joined other County libraries in collaborating with 'Drug Free Charlotte County.' Life skills training programs that promote healthy alternatives to risky behavior have been shown to help reduce and prevent substance abuse. Ms. Beckwith is a member of the 'Youth Empowerment Team'



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Ms. LeAnn Beckwith, Librarian Supervisor of the Punta Gorda Library.

where she personally interacts with middle-school children. On average, 13 youth programs are held each month at the library.

An adult program called 'What Are You Reading' has expanded in the year that Ms. Beckwith has been with the library, as have other adult programs including a series of music concerts and dramatic performances on most Friday evenings at the Punta Gorda Isles Civic Association.

As our community changes, so must our library. The Punta Gorda library provides access to materials and resources, promotes literacy, and improves the overall quality of life for many individuals. It is the glue that holds the community together. During National Library Week, we celebrated the resources offered by the library as well as the leadership of Ms. LeAnn Beckwith as a teacher, a technology specialist, an information specialist, and most importantly, as our librarian. The Punta Gorda Library is located at 424 West Henry St. Further information can be obtained from Ms. LeAnn Beckwith, at 941-833-5460.

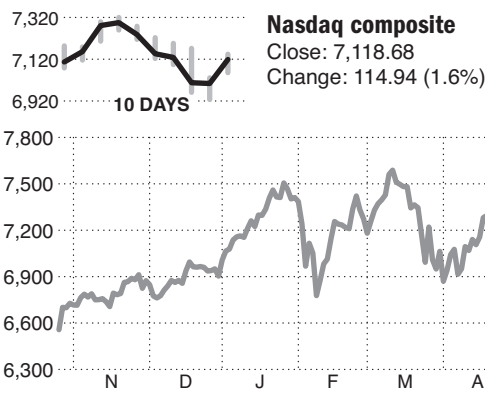
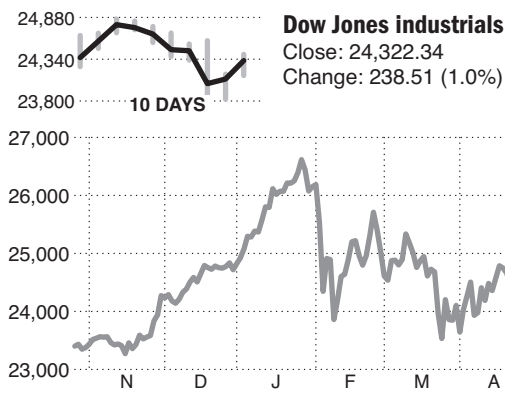
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New Lows	70	56

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AbdIsrael	ISL	3.56 1.1	21.97	17.68	16
AbdJapanEq	JEQ	4.8e 7	9.89	8.17	0
AbdLatA	LAQ	12.16 1.8	30.00	22.26	18
AbSingaFd	SGF	1.09e 8.1	13.89	10.86	67
AcadIBD50	FFTY	35.94	25.95	32.13
AcadiaRt	AKR	1.08f	4.7	20	30.63	21.34	521	23.18
Accenture	ACN	2.66	1.7	27	165.58	119.10	1624	152.29
AccoBirds	ACCO	0.6p 22	14.75	10.35	406
AcmeU	ACU	4.4 2.0	29.40	19.00	2
AcornInt rs	ATV	25.90	9.33	1
ActiniupP	ATNM	1.55	33	569
Act Rep n	GOP	23.61	19.73	22.40
Act Dem	DEMS	21.58	20.01	21.08
Act TxR n	TAXR	22.50	19.42	1
Actuant	ATU	73 27.95	21.50	224
Acuity	AYI	14 208.83	119.02	862
Acushnet	GOLF	24.70	15.16	137
AdaDvsT n	ADX	1.32e	1.3	16.11	13.86	260
AdamsRfr	PEO	1.32e	1.0	21.48	16.90	57
AdmRsc	AE	50.59	32.80	5
Adecagro	AGRO	11.92	7.22	461
Adient	ADNT	86.42	57.40	564
AdientGf	ATGE	19 50.15	30.15	342
AdvAuto	AAP	21 151.72	78.81	1672
AdvDisp n	ADWS	25.71	20.94	168
AdvDrainS	WMS	22 28.15	17.90	122
Advdsn n	ASIX	46.51	26.45	550
AdvOil&Gs	AAV	6 7.35	2.70	114
AdvClayCv	AVK	1.13 7.5	16.80	14.62
AdvCvCv	AGC	5.6 9.9	6.49	5.40
AdvCnHr	LCM	10.6 8.0	8.90	7.73
AdvSDenV	AAAR	5 64.00	45.81	29
AdvPerfHy	CWLS	3.54e	9.6	37.20	35.54
AdvSewerT n	FNCG	24.13	19.60	53
AdvSh n	HWL	32.47	27.57	32.18
AdvS Kor n	KOR	32.69	26.11	29.44
AdvSmCap	SCAP	36.97	30.53	0
AdvPacFlt	FLRT	5.07	48.78	0
AdvSage	HOLD	101.80	99.03	99.08
AdvNtMS	MINC	48.92	47.81	10
AdvSStarG	VEGA	31.97	28.56	30.22
AdvGLEch n	GIVE
AdvTrTchs	TTFS	75.63	63.07	2
AdvMeidl	MATH	35.56	29.45	33.00
AdvMadGBd	FWBD	27.29	24.20	0
AdvMadInt	FWDI	33.10	26.34	0
AdvMadDm	FWDD	57.19	46.83	0
AdvActBear	HDEG	9.21	7.43	1
Aecom	ACM	39.90	30.15	1781
Aegon	AEG	7.48	4.81	2231
Aegon cap	AEH	26.32	25.40	24
Aegon 6.5	AED	26.47	24.55	16
Aegon fit	AEB	25.44	23.55	7
Aegon 42	AEK	27.04	25.50	25.55
AerCap	AER	55.67	42.35	614
Aerocry	ACY	3 17.34	9.70	25
AerohiveN	HIVE	6.50	3.02	191
AerojetR	AJRD	36.25	20.06	332
Aetra	AET	18 194.40	134.57	2408
AffiliMgns	AMG	14 216.99	148.81	410
Agilent	A	78 75.00	55.36	1975
Agnico g	AEM	41 51.86	37.35	1025
AgreeRit	ADC	53.65	43.74	214
Air Inds	AIRI	4.11	3.46	1.15
AirLease	AL	5.07	34.42	349
AirProd	APD	4.00 2.6	25 175.17	140.01
AirPrd wi	APD/WI
Aircastle	AYR	8 25.30	18.97	183
AlaPw pf Q	ALPpQ	2.705	24.49	34
AlamosGld	ALG	29 120.58	78.31	28
AlaskaAir	ALK	95.75	57.60	2187
Albnyln	AIN	46 68.85	45.80	61
Albmarle	ALB	144 99.14	86.75	1029
Alcoa Cp	AA	62.35	29.55	4787
Alex&Inc	ALEX	30.35	21.78	27.92
Alexanders	ALX	18.00 4.6	38 137.35	332.98
AlexREE	ARE	32 134.37	111.92	458
AlexRE pfD	AREpD	37.59	33.99	4
AlexcoR g	AXU	1.85	1.10	98
AlgonPw n	AQN	11.34	9.43	162
Alibaba	BABA	49 206.20	114.00	13323
Timmins g	TGDI/O
Alio Gld rs	ALO	6.06	1.70	62
Allerg	Y	639.42	521.07	59
AllergTch	ATI	30.25	14.54	1330
Allelegion	ALLE	8.81	75.85	78.59
Allergan	AGN	8 256.80	142.81	3265
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Money Market Funds

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Tax Exempt

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Toronto stocks

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Treasury bonds

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FOOTNOTE: Rate- The annual interest rate the Treasury bond provides to investors. Date- The month and year the bond will expire. Bid- The price investors will pay for the bond. Ask- The price at which investors will sell. A bond price is expressed as a percentage of its original purchase cost of \$1,000. The whole numbers and the decimals which represent 32nds of a point must be converted to dollars and cents; for example, 103.18 equals \$1,035.63. Chg- The change between the preceding day's final bid price and the final bid price from the day before. Yld- The annual percentage return to the investor, based on the bond's current price, if the bond is held until it matures. K- Taxes on interest will not be withheld from non-U.S. citizens. n- Treasury note. p- Treasury note; taxes on interest will not be withheld from non-U.S. citizens.

Mutual Funds

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By Total Net Assets

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By 4-Week Percent Return

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