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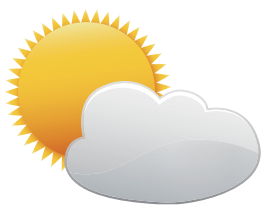


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Weather

A warming trend brings sunny skies with little chance of precipitation and temperatures will rise into the 90s.

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Sidewalk Survey

We asked the community this week what they thought about the eclipse and what they did to watch it.

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Community News

Youth Leadership Pasco graduates the Class of 2024 and is looking for students that are sophomores and juniors for next year's class.

Shooting at McDonald's on Gall Boulevard sends one person to the hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Earth Day will be celebrated on April 20 at Pasco County Extension One Stop Shop in Dade City with a plant sale, free bag of produce, gardening tips and a kids zone.

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Park News

The biannual yard and bake sale fills the clubhouse with tables of items for sale even extending tables into the parking lot at Bedrock Winters.

Ladies at Southport Springs Golf & Country Club get together for an intermediate line dancing class in the clubhouse.

Betmar Acres' residents and their guests pack the clubhouse for Danny Lee's Wednesday Night Bandstand.

The weather holds out for a packed crowd at the final carport concert of the season at Betmar Acres.

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Sports News

Wiregrass Ranch extended its season-opening winning streak to 15 games at the expense of the host Bulldogs at Craig Milburn Field.

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Quarters Foundation holds field day event



Walter Boulye, 7, springs into the air like he was taking off for the sky during sack races at the field day event.

PHOTO BY SUSAN SLATER

Children of various ages participate in field activities at Krusen Field

BY SUSAN SLATER
 News Reporter

The Quarters Foundation held its inaugural field day event at Krusen Field with neighbors and families from the Quarter neighborhood in Zephyrhills the east central part of town. The mission of the foundation is to 'connect with families and businesses in the broader area to help drive substantive social and systemic change in their community that provides equitable opportunities for growth and sustainability for everyone to thrive.'

"With the way the world is today," said Jimmy Campbell, president. "We need to give the kids something positive to do."

The day's activities took you back in time to when you were a child. When your family had

barbecues or when you were in the playground at school playing dodge ball, kickball, soccer dribbles, and relay races like, potato sack races, hula hoop contests, three legged races, and more.

Sounds of innocent screams and laughter filled the air. The field day event was that time when you had not a care in the world. The Quarters board and neighbors kept its history alive with the Quarter Reunions.

"On Father's Day, every year, for two days," said Campbell, "we have a picnic with awards for people in the neighborhood who have shown leadership and whoever does well for the neighborhood. They can win gift bags and more."

"I like how people are friendly. We are all family and help with everyone," said 9-year-old, J'Neisha Blanford. "We have fun and help when someone is hungry. This event is for people helping people." J'Neisha expressed the love for her neighborhood and family. "We are family even if you aren't blood."

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Wilkeson, Proctor retain seats in Municipal Election

Alice Hall Community Center was the place to be on April 9 as local residents voted on city council members

BY STEVE LEE
 News Reporter

Early voting as well as April 9 election day at the Alice Hall Community Center adjacent to Zephyr Park saw more than 1,200 Zephyrhills residents cast their ballots for city leaders.

Four candidates were vying for two seats in the Municipal Election with the victories going to the incumbents. Jodi Wilkeson and Charlie Proctor retained their seats as city council members by warding off challenges from Sam Turgeon and Manny Funes.

Mayor Melonie Bahr Monson, a 1979 Zephyrhills High graduate who knows a thing about hometown roots and has seen the city grow and develop over the years, lauded the winners.

"It's a hard thing to beat an incumbent, for sure," said Bahr Monson, who also is a former executive director for the Greater Zephyrhills Chamber of Commerce. "Both Charlie and Jodi do a wonderful job for the city. They're passionate and care a lot about the city, and I'm happy to work with them."

As for Turgeon, Bahr Monson said, "I think Sam did a wonderful job and I hope he runs again."

City manager Billy Poe expressed being bipartisan, reasoning that "I work for whichever candidates win."

That said, he credited the incumbents for their efforts.

"As council members, Jodi and Charlie do a great job," Poe said. "The betterment of Zephyrhills always is in the forefront of their decision-making."

Wilkeson and Proctor were rewarded with terms that will last for four years. This is Wilkeson's third term and Proctor's sixth.

According to results from the Pasco County

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Wildcats crack top three in boys weightlifting

Zephyrhills, Pasco and host Cypress Creek each have prominent regional lifters

BY STEVE LEE
 Sports Reporter

Zephyrhills High's Malachi Woodard and Rodney Smith won boys weightlifting titles in the Class 2A, Region 3 meet hosted by Cypress Creek. They were among a handful of regional champions from Sunshine Athletic Conference teams that included Pasco, River Ridge, Gulf, Hudson and the host Coyotes.

There were teams from other neighboring counties as well with Lake Wales and Brooksville Nature Coast coming in first and second, respectively.

As for the locals, however, none fared better than Wesley Chapel, which placed third in the traditional division. That came after the Wildcats won conference and district titles in the traditional and Olympic brackets.

"They put a lot of hard work in the last three months and it paid off," said Matt Smith, who is in his first year

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The Wildcats placed third in the regional meet.

PHOTO BY STEVE LEE



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Sidewalk Survey

BY SUSAN SLATER

We asked the community....
"What were your experiences and thoughts about the Eclipse?"



"I will be 77 on the 19th of this month. The next one comes in 21 years and I will be 98. I am waiting for that one."
-- Dawn Larkin



"We didn't have much of one. My son and daughter-in-law got very good pictures of the total eclipse in Indiana."
-- Michelle Converse



"Mucha do about nothing."
-- Rick Manuel



"Personally, I loved it. I was in Baltimore. I used the glasses and saw it perfectly."
-- Kathy Reed



"I saw it on TV. It was pretty good."
-- Jackie Arnold



"It was overhyped for as far away as it was."
-- Char Kriebel



"I liked it. It was exciting. We even watched the Falcon 9 go up from the Space Station. That was fun."
-- Roberta Dowe



"I was in Maine, the traffic was horrendous. I didn't buy the glasses so I didn't see anything. But, we did try the bucket of water trick and didn't see it that way either."
-- Laura McDonald

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

2024 DCCA Art Walk, April 20, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. in downtown Dade City. Enjoy a day of local art throughout Dade City with over 20 art locations. Meet the artists, shop artwork and Little Pre-Casso Exhibitor for young artists. The event is sponsored by St. Leo University. There will be a Dade City Center for the Arts Welcome Information Tent where programs will be distributed along with helpful information. For more information, visit dadecitychamber.org.

Florida Gun Show, April 20, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at the Florida State Fairgrounds, 4800 U.S. Hwy. 301, Tampa. An enormous array of new, used and antique firearms, ammunition, shooting supplies, knives, shooting accessories, scopes, clips, re-loading supplies, holsters, carry cases, range bags, hunting gear, concealment products, concealment furniture, gun apparel and so much more is available. Admission is \$15 and parking is \$10. Tickets are sold at the gate only. For more information visit floridastatefair.com.



Premium Productions The Shops at Wiregrass 2024 Series Car & Truck Shows, April 21, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at The Shops at Wiregrass, 28211 Paseo Dr. in Wesley Chapel. Hot Rods and cool classic cars will line up between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Prizes and awards will be given at 3 p.m. For more information, visit premiumcarshows.com.

WWII, Living History Event, April 27, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Pioneer Florida Museum, 15602 Pioneer Museum Rd. in Dade City. Step back into a 1945 homefront experience, learn about women in war, German POWs in Florida along with living historians portraying life in Lacombee during the final months of the war. Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$6 for students and under 5 are free. For more information, visit pioneerfloridamuseum.org.



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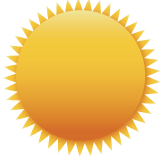
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SUNSET: 7:57pm MOONSET: 5:15am



SUNDAY

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Sunny
SUNRISE: 6:56am MOONRISE: 6:09pm
SUNSET: 7:57pm MOONSET: 5:41am



MONDAY

85|65
Partly Cloudy
SUNRISE: 6:56am MOONRISE: 7:02pm
SUNSET: 7:58pm MOONSET: 6:08am



TUESDAY

87|64
Sunny
SUNRISE: 6:55am MOONRISE: 7:57pm
SUNSET: 7:59pm MOONSET: 6:35am



WEDNESDAY

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SUNRISE: 6:54am MOONRISE: 8:54pm
SUNSET: 7:59pm MOONSET: 7:06am



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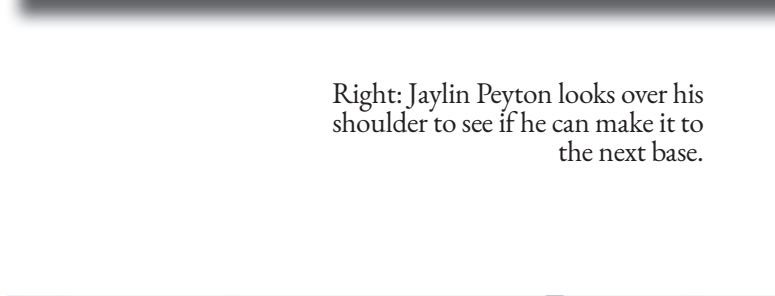
<p>2016 COACHMEN CLIPPER ULTRA-LITE 17FQ</p> <p>Stk. OFW767B, Sleeps 4, walk around queen bed, rear full bath, WAS \$15,995</p> <p>NOW \$9,923</p>	<p>2023 FOREST RIVER SALEM 27RXX</p> <p>Stk. 4AR904, 1-slide, sleeps 5, front bedroom, outdoor kitchen, rear kitchen, 11 cu.ft. frost free refrigerator, 20' Power Awning, WAS \$39,987</p> <p>NOW \$28,713</p>	<p>2023 FOREST RIVER ROCKWOOD GEO PRO TRAVEL TRAILER G19FDS</p> <p>Stk. 7SR556, sleeps 3, 1-slide, Murphy bed, rear bath, outside griddle, 72" sofa, large shower, WAS \$29,995</p> <p>NOW \$22,764</p>	<p>2023 FOREST RIVER SABRE 5TH WHEEL 37FL</p> <p>Stk. 25A781, Sleeps 8, 4 slides, separate living room, fireplace, large loft, outdoor kitchen, WAS \$103,015</p> <p>NOW \$64,987</p>
<p>2022 DUTCHMEN KODIAK ULTIMATE 3 221RLSL</p> <p>Stk. 3CR988, 3-slides, Sleeps 5, front bedroom, kitchen island, outdoor kitchen, walk-thru bath, WAS \$61,987</p> <p>NOW \$44,782</p>	<p>WEEKLY HIGHLIGHT</p> <p>2017 GULF STREAM VINTAGE CRUISER 19ERD</p> <p>Stk. DAR5104A, Sleeps 3, front bedroom, overhead storage, split bath and more! WAS \$21,995</p> <p>NOW \$15,987</p>		<p>2021 COACHMEN ADRENALINE TOY HAULER 23LT</p> <p>Stk. 0PW484A, Sleeps 4, front bedroom, dual entry bath, pass-through storage, two roll-over sofas, WAS \$29,995</p> <p>NOW \$24,987</p>
<p>2018 KEYSTONE COUGAR 5TH WHEEL 333MK5</p> <p>Stk. 2AR480A, Sleeps 6, 3-slides, front bedroom, kitchen island rear living area, lots of storage, Was \$44,995</p> <p>NOW \$32,925</p>	<p>2012 DUTCHMEN COLEMAN 5TH WHEEL 259RE</p> <p>Stk. 7CR777 WAS \$18,987</p> <p>NOW \$14,888</p>	<p>2017 JAYCO EAGLE 5TH WHEEL HT 28.5RST5</p> <p>Stk. RAR0365, sleeps 4, 3 slides, rear living area, kitchen island, large pantry, fireplace, queen bed, WAS \$33,995</p> <p>NOW \$27,855</p>	<p>2022 FOREST RIVER CHEROKEE GREY WOLF TRAVEL TRAILER 26DJSE</p> <p>Stk. 0AR964, sleeps 9, Front bedroom, Double-Size Bunks, Outside Storage, 15' Power Awning, Flip-Down Travel Rack, WAS \$24,995</p> <p>NOW \$18,987</p>



Left: John Blanford, 15 years old, showed some real teamwork and picked up his partner in the three legged race.



Right: J'Neisha Blanford and Amaya Thomas, both 9 years old, hold the spoon together to pass it off so the egg does not fall.



Right: Jaylin Peyton looks over his shoulder to see if he can make it to the next base.



Above: James Campbell, president, explains the 40 yard dash to Winter Boulye and how to tag your teammate.



Above: Nevaea Harrison, works hard at keeping that hula hoop up.

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Right: The Quarter Foundation Board members who are dedicated to helping youth empower themselves.



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► **FIELD DAY:** From Page 1

The foundation was created to support youth and families by providing opportunities that empower and enrich their lives. The sportsmanship shown by the children did just that. In kickball, everyone got to kick the ball. In the relay races, everyone was encouraged to play and not sit out on the sidelines. It was all about teamwork and having fun, not whether you won or lost. Everyone was a winner.

"It is all about coming back to the community you grew up in and giving back," said Sharon Barnett, secretary to the Quarters Foundation. Barnett is on the board and helps to coordinate and participates in the Quarter Reunion and the inaugural field day event.

"I love it. It is about keeping the community close," said Campbell. "At the reunion, you see people you have not seen in a while. It is about unity and bringing the community together."

Everyone that participated in the field day event was treated to a hamburger or hot dog with fries and a soda or water. Everything happening from the relay races to clean up to interaction with each other taught them skills for the future without them even knowing it. The children were very smart, responsible, looking out for one another, all while having so much fun.

They believe in inspiring others, motivating people to believe they can achieve their goals. Their neighborhood and family closeness is their strength in such a divided world that we live in today. Collaborating and working jointly with community partners creates something meaningful. This is what the Quarters Foundation believes in, and it shows.

Seeing kids try to hula hoop for the first time and not getting discouraged is powerful. They did not give up. Running an egg on a spoon and dropping it, meant pick it up and keep going. Working to make the finish line in a three-legged race taught how to hold each other up as well as working together for a goal. Life can be full of subtle lessons, but also bring empowerment in a fun way.

Creating change that matters to youth and families is the goal. "Being here means a lot, really," said J.D. Blanford. "If we did not do this, we would not be close. It is very good in case something happens."

Some of us long for the days when neighborhoods were neighborhoods, and everyone looked out for each other. The Quarter Foundation never lost that feeling.

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Youth Leadership Pasco program graduates Class of 2024



Photos by J. B.

The Youth Leadership Pasco Class of 2024 celebrated their graduation at breakfast on March 15 at Timber Greens Country Club. More than 100 sponsors, school officials, parents and Leadership Pasco Board members were there to cheer on the graduating students.

Youth Leadership Pasco is a leadership development program that informs, motivates, and increases the awareness of selected high school aged students (sophomores and juniors) through issue-oriented seminars and interaction with community leaders. Sessions include orientation and team building, law enforcement, health care/community services, government/economic development and education.

Leadership Pasco is able to keep the student fee at \$35 due to generous support from the sponsors: the Law Office of Tara O'Connor, United Way of Pasco County, Pasco Hernando State College, Fred K. Marchman Technical College, Morton Plant North Bay Hospital, Olympus Limco, Pasco County Sheriff's Office, Pasco Education Foundation and the Rotary Clubs of Dade City Noon, Holiday, New Port Richey, Seven Springs, Trinity, and West Pasco Sunset.

Applications for the Class of 2025 will open for sophomores and juniors at the beginning of the school year.

According to program co-chair, Barbara DeSimone, Leadership Pasco director emerita, "Each year, we eagerly anticipate the opportunity to welcome bright and ambitious young individuals into the Youth Leadership Pasco Program. It's truly inspiring to witness their growth, enthusiasm, and commitment to becoming the leaders of tomorrow. As organizers, we are thrilled to embark on another year of empowering these exceptional students and equipping them with the skills and insights needed to shape a brighter future for Pasco County."

Youth Leadership Pasco Class of 2024 Graduates

Colt Blancher, Angeline Academy of Innovation
Katarina M. Boglino, Gulf High School
Isabella C. Bowling, River Ridge High School
Thomas Celotto, Jr. Hudson High School
Noah J. Downey, Sunlake High School
Vincent J. Farides, River Ridge High School
Dominic Fusco, Wesley Chapel High School
William C. Gantt, J.W. Mitchell High School
Jake Giber, Genesis Preparatory High School
Nadama N. Gilkerson, Pasco High School
Sophia M. Giri, Wiregrass Ranch High School
Nathan M. Grimes, J.W. Mitchell High School
Luiza Guruyeva, Wesley Chapel High School
Allan Guzman, Kirkland Ranch Academy of Innovation
Elissa A. Hill, JW Mitchell High School
Liam C. Hornung, J.W. Mitchell High School
Melodi Kazazi, Sunlake High School

Calina M. Levy, Wiregrass Ranch High School
Alina Manadyel, Dayspring Early College Academy
Ethan A. Mendez, Cypress Creek High School
Alyssa B. Mintrone, Land O' Lakes High School
Montana T. Montayre, Wendell Krinn Technical High School
Morgan T. Montayre, Wendell Krinn Technical High School
Alfonso E. Nava, Dayspring Early College Academy
Victoria Ogundeyin, Cypress Creek High School
Xiomig N. Ozorio Matias, Kirkland Ranch Academy of Innovation
Trinity Perry, Wesley Chapel High School
Justyce P. Rice, Anclote High School
Ethan Rubin, Hudson High School
Lilliana E. St Aubin, Hudson High School
Paul L. Steele, Land O Lakes High School
Hailey J. Suggs, Anclote High School
Gianna Walsh, Fivay High School

Class Quotes

The Youth Leadership Pasco program is truly one of a kind. Throughout the program I have made lifelong friendships, restored old ones, and got a much deeper grasp of what happens in Pasco County. My favorite part of the program was the sheriff's department. We got to see just how big the department truly is and the amazing technology they are incorporating into their line of work. I used to only want to leave Pasco County but throughout this program I have found a new love for it and all of the amazing opportunities it has to offer. I can truly see myself living here forever. - Noah J. Downey, Sunlake High School

"As I reflect on my time in the Pasco Youth Leadership, a moment that stands out for me was when the program had economic day. That day I and many others in my group learned about how our leaders here in Pasco County work tirelessly to grow and provide new opportunities to all those who live in its community. It was that day that I realized it does not take someone who is in a high position to be a leader but someone who genuinely cares for their community and the people who reside in it. The program allowed its members to meet many leaders form doctors to business leaders and even our very own superintendent of schools Kurt Browning. In the end I am profoundly grateful for the privilege of being part of this amazing program, the Pasco Youth Leadership program. It has been an amazing experience that has given all who have joined new experiences, skills, and memories that can be taken further on the journey we call life." - Ethan A. Mendez, Cypress Creek High School

Shooting at McDonald's on Gall Boulevard

At approximately 10:55 a.m. on April 16, Zephyrhills Police Department (ZPD) units responded to reports of a physical altercation and shooting incident involving two male subjects at McDonald's, located at 6042 Gall Blvd.

As a result of the altercation, one individual sustained non-life-threatening wounds and was transported to AdventHealth Zephyrhills hospital.

Preliminary investigations suggest that this

was an isolated incident; there is no ongoing threat to the public. Zephyrhills Police Department is actively investigating the circumstances surrounding the altercation and shooting.

Further updates will be provided as the investigation progresses. Anyone with information regarding this incident is urged to contact Zephyrhills Police Department at (813) 780-0050 option 1.

Pasco County Extension hosts Earth Day 2024 Celebration

Learn about the environment and how you can make a difference

Don't we live on a great planet? Celebrate Earth this Earth Day. Join UF/IFAS Pasco County Cooperative Extension for our Earth Day 2024 Celebration Saturday, April 20, at One Stop Shop in Dade City. This family-friendly, educational event aims to increase environmental stewardship and awareness.

Earth Day 2024 Celebration will be 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on April 20 at Pasco County Extension One Stop Shop, 15029 14th St. in Dade City.

Activities and Educational Opportunities Include:

- Plant sale
- Gardening
- Water conservation
- Collecting electronics for recycling
- Kids Zone
- Free bag of produce – while supplies last; one bag per family.
- Health checks
- SMARTStart vendor

Representatives from various Pasco County Departments and state agencies will help you become better Earth ambassadors and introduce you to a variety of free or low-cost county and state services.





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Tuesday
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Tuesday.....8 a.m.
Wednesday.....8 a.m.
Thursday.....8 a.m.
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5521 23rd St.
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Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....10:45 a.m.
Evening Service.....6 p.m.
Wednesday Service.....6 p.m.

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Pastor Stephen R. Lamb
Sunday
Adult Sunday
School.....9:45 a.m.
Coffee and Donut
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Evening Worship.....6 p.m.
Wednesday
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TRUTH teen ministries.....6:15 p.m.

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Friday.....10 a.m.
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Wednesday.....7 p.m.
Thursday.....7 p.m.
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SALOME'S STARS ★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A little wool-gathering is OK, but don't let that dreamy state linger beyond midweek, when you'll want to be ready to take on new workplace responsibilities.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Love rules the week for single Bovines seeking romance. Attached pairs also find new joy in their relationships. The 29th should bring news about a business opportunity.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Home becomes the center of a new social whirl, as you show off your talent for hosting great parties. You can expect to impress a lot of people who've never seen this side of you.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) The Moon Child might have to raise those powers of persuasion up a notch to get a still-wary colleague to agree to go along with your plans. Finding more facts to back up your position helps.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Hold off trying to fix the blame for an apparent mishandling of a work situation. A full investigation could reveal surprising facts on how and why it really happened.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Your ability to see the details that others might overlook gives you an advantage in assessing an offer that possibly seems too good to be true. A trusted colleague has advice.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Expect to be called on once again to act as the peacemaker in a long-simmering dispute that suddenly flares up. Offer advice, but be careful to stay out of the fray.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your organizational skills help you line up your priorities so that you get things done without added pressure. The weekend could hold a special surprise.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) New ventures are favored, but don't launch yours before rechecking all the facts and sources. Also, be sure that you can rely on support from certain people.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Don't be pushed into renegotiating an agreement, even though it might help avoid a potential impasse. Get legal advice before you sign or agree to anything.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Helping others is what Aquarians do so well. But this time, someone wants to help you. Expect to hear some news that will both surprise and delight you.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Things go so swimmingly by mid-week that you're tempted to take on more tasks. Best advice: Finish what

you have now, then enjoy a well-earned relaxing weekend.

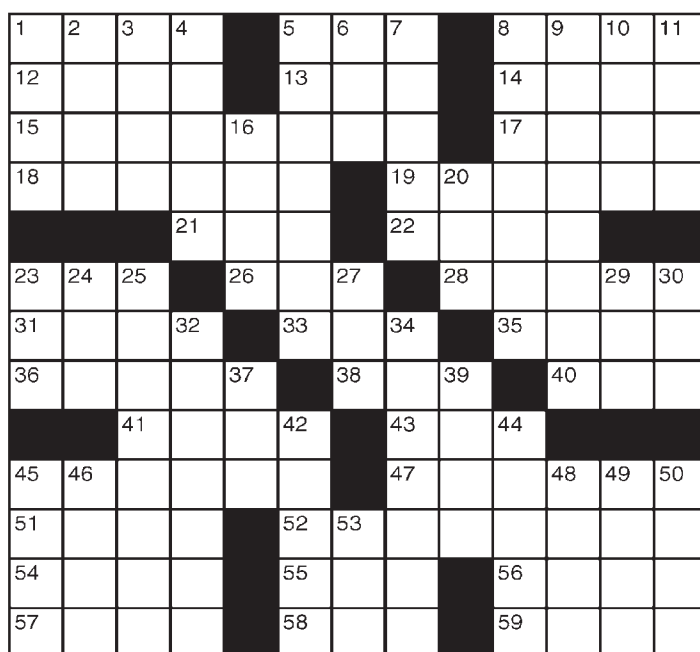
BORN THIS WEEK: Your understanding of human nature helps you make wise decisions that are appreciated by all. You would make a fine judge.

KING CROSSWORD - APRIL 18

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Siren
- 5 Cagers' gp.
- 8 Halt
- 12 Eventful periods
- 13 Cleric's tunic
- 14 Jared of "House of Gucci"
- 15 Persistence
- 17 Privy to
- 18 Tar
- 19 Laid down the lawn
- 21 Cattle call
- 22 Crystal gazer
- 23 Not "dis"
- 26 Scale abbr.
- 28 Impetus
- 31 Crunchy cookie
- 33 Chef Garten
- 35 Faux pas
- 36 Reddish dye
- 38 PC screen type
- 40 Salty expanse
- 41 Leave an impression?
- 43 Gear tooth
- 45 Salsa ingredient
- 47 Chopin pieces
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- 55 911 responder
- 56 Tizzy
- 57 Sax range
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- 59 JFK postings



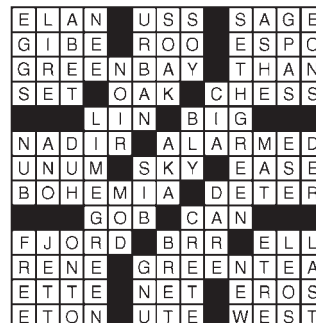
- 9 Curly strands
- 10 Oklahoma tribe
- 11 Frogs' hangout
- 16 Hip
- 20 British ref. work
- 23 Homer's cry
- 24 "Right you --!"
- 25 Multi-family dwelling
- 27 NBC weekend show
- 29 Compete
- 30 Ecol. watchdog
- 32 Toronto's province
- 34 Emphasizes
- 37 Play segment
- 39 Pixels
- 42 "Monopoly" buy

- 44 Appearance
- 45 Skater Lipinski
- 46 Ellipse
- 48 Word of warning
- 49 Author Bagnold
- 50 Bygone fliers
- 53 Punk-rock subgenre

DOWN

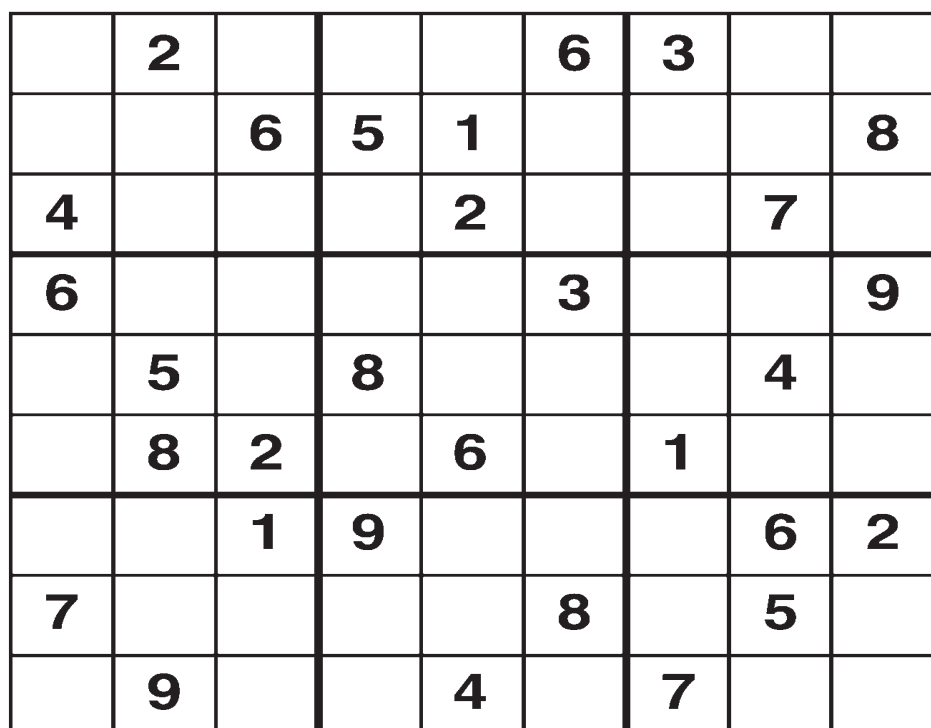
- 1 Nov. honorees
- 2 Bailiwick
- 3 --pedi
- 4 Sacred song
- 5 Capital of Kenya
- 6 Crunchy sandwich
- 7 Void
- 8 Small burgers

ANSWERS TO KING CROSSWORDS APRIL 11



Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦

♦ Moderate ♦ ♦ Challenging
♦ ♦ ♦ **HOO BOY!**

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SCRAMBLERS

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

- Erupt
- Associate
- BENGOL
- Odd
- DIWER
- Startle
- ACRES

TODAY'S WORD



"Please explain to her that a fresh start does NOT mean a new _____!"

Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

- 1. Jab with a fork --- R --- C --- Nobel winner Curie --- L --- R ---
- 2. Snap into --- R --- L --- Dreary --- L --- ---
- 3. Drying cloth --- --- L --- Pisa sight --- --- --- R ---
- 4. Every 24 hours --- A --- --- Lacy mat --- --- O --- ---
- 5. Gorge --- --- Y --- Big gun --- --- N ---
- 6. Salt S --- --- Speaker's platform P --- --- ---
- 7. Investigate --- --- B --- Writing style --- --- S ---
- 8. More rapidly --- --- S --- Hesitate, fumble --- --- L ---
- 9. Coarse --- --- H --- Baton --- --- --- E ---
- 10. City of Light --- --- I --- Hair divisions --- --- T ---

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HOCUS-FOCUS BY HENRY BOLTINGOFF

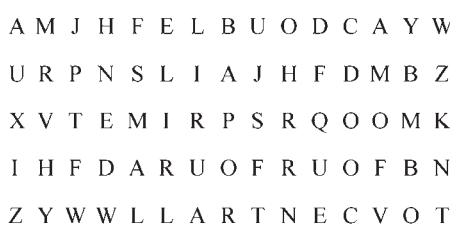


Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Spoon is missing. 2. Box is different. 3. Collar is missing. 4. Mouth is different. 5. Refrigerator handle is not as long. 6. Oven handle is missing.

MAGIC MAZE ● --- TIME



Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally. Unlisted clue hint: A FAST MARCHING PACE

Arrival Central Daylight saving Eastern Four-four Hawaii Mountain Pacific Prime Reaction Show Universal Standard Travel Universal Small

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MOMENTS IN TIME: The History Channel

* On April 29, 2004, the World War II Memorial opened in Washington, D.C. The granite and bronze monument stands on 7.4 acres on the former site of the Rainbow Pool at the National Mall, between the Washington Monument and the Lincoln Memorial.

* On April 30, 1993, tennis player Monica Seles was stabbed between the shoulder blades by Gunter Parche during a match in Hamburg. Parche, a fan of German tennis star Steffi Graf, apparently hoped that by injuring Seles, his idol would be able to regain her No. 1 ranking.

* On May 1, 1963, Gloria Steinem published the first half of "A Bunny's Tale" in SHOW magazine, recounting her brief stint as a Bunny in Manhattan's Playboy Club. Steinem's undercover reporting revealed a culture of misogyny and exploitation behind the glamorous facade of Hugh Hefner's empire.

* On May 2, 1924, Patrick Mahon was arrested at London's Waterloo train station on suspicion of murder. He was executed later that year for killing his pregnant mistress, but an important innovation resulted from the crime scene: The officers, who had no gloves, were forced to handle the victim's remains with their bare hands. After the investigation, rubber gloves became standard equipment at murder scenes.

* On May 3, 1980, 13-year-old Cari Lightner of Fair Oaks, California, was walking to a church carnival when she was struck and killed by an out-of-control car driven by an intoxicated Clarence Busch. Her death led her mother, Candy Lightner, to found the organization Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD), which would grow into one of the country's most influential nonprofit organizations.

* On May 4, 1776, Rhode Island, which was founded by the most radical religious dissenters from the Puritans of Massachusetts Bay Colony, became the first North American colony to renounce its allegiance to King George III. It would also be the last state to ratify the new American Constitution more than 14 years later.

* On May 5, 1816, the first published poem by John Keats, the sonnet "To Solitude", appeared in the London journal The Examiner. Keats' sadly brief, but overall brilliant spate of work includes "Ode on a Grecian Urn," "La Belle Dame Sans Merci" and "Ode to a Nightingale."



- GPU
- CALGEN
- AFTLE
- ♥APLE
- ♥TOPLAR
- ILN
- LGFU
- ♥EPCRA
- ♥GTO
- FATOLA
- AGPNA
- ♥ETAN

Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word (ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any word (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥RATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART). Fit each string's word either across or down to knot all twelve strings together.



CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: Z equals Y

ZHS FKORRZ WYHSRCQ'U
 CDWFKJOF C UYKWK PDQK
 LKHLRK PFHN UYK LDQK UFKK
 WUOUK. NDQC ZHSF NODQKFW!

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CryptoQuote

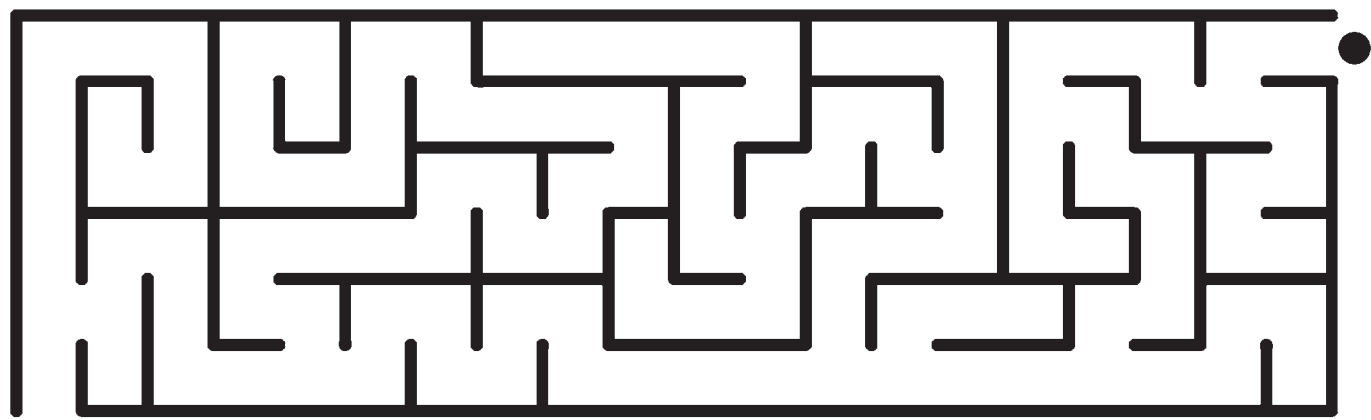
AXYDLBAAXR
 is LONGFELLOW

One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each week the code letters are different.

FSJIP MU TVYRTZMDIO
 SKZH JQIK JSPO TKO OIIO
 QTBI KSY FTPYIO VSAFTKH.
 - QTKKTQ TPIKOY

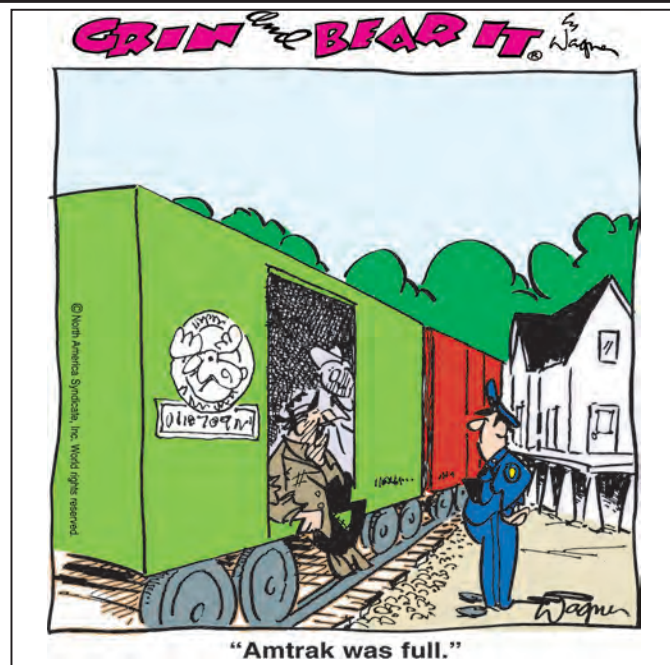
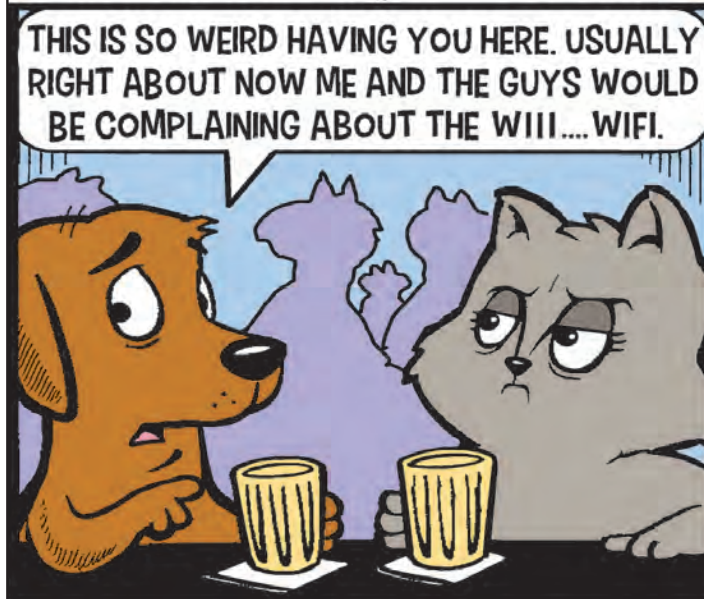
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Kids' Maze



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Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



STICKELERS [sic]

by Terry Stickels

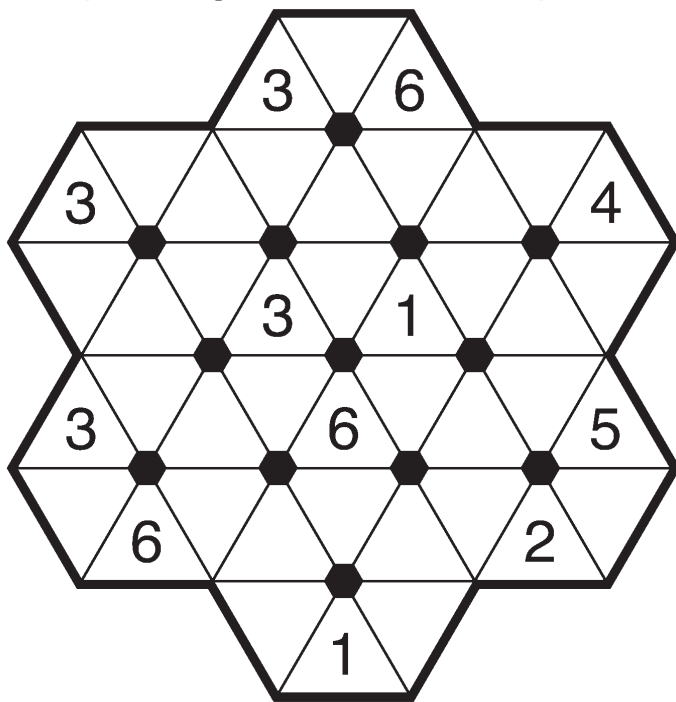
The grid below is arranged in a logical sequence. Can you figure out the logic and fill in the boxes that have question marks?

4	0	6	5	3
2	8	1	2	2
1	5	7	6	3
?	4	5	3	?

SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



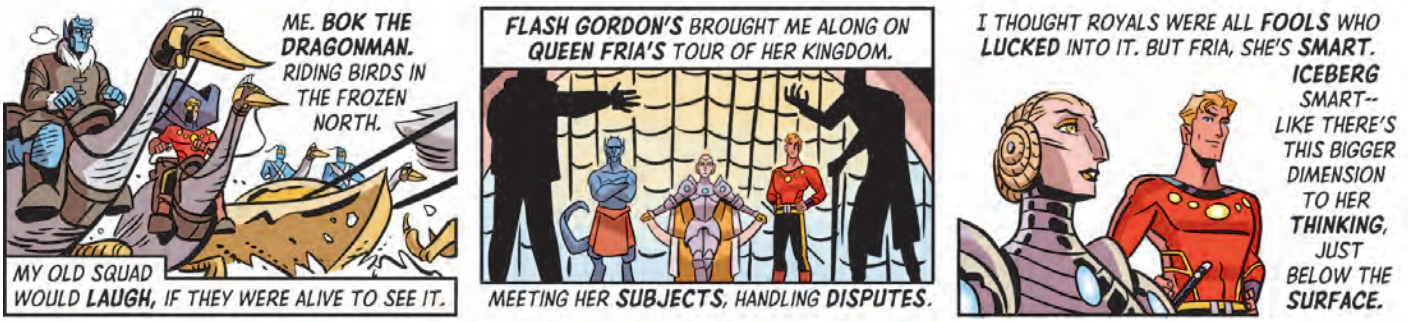
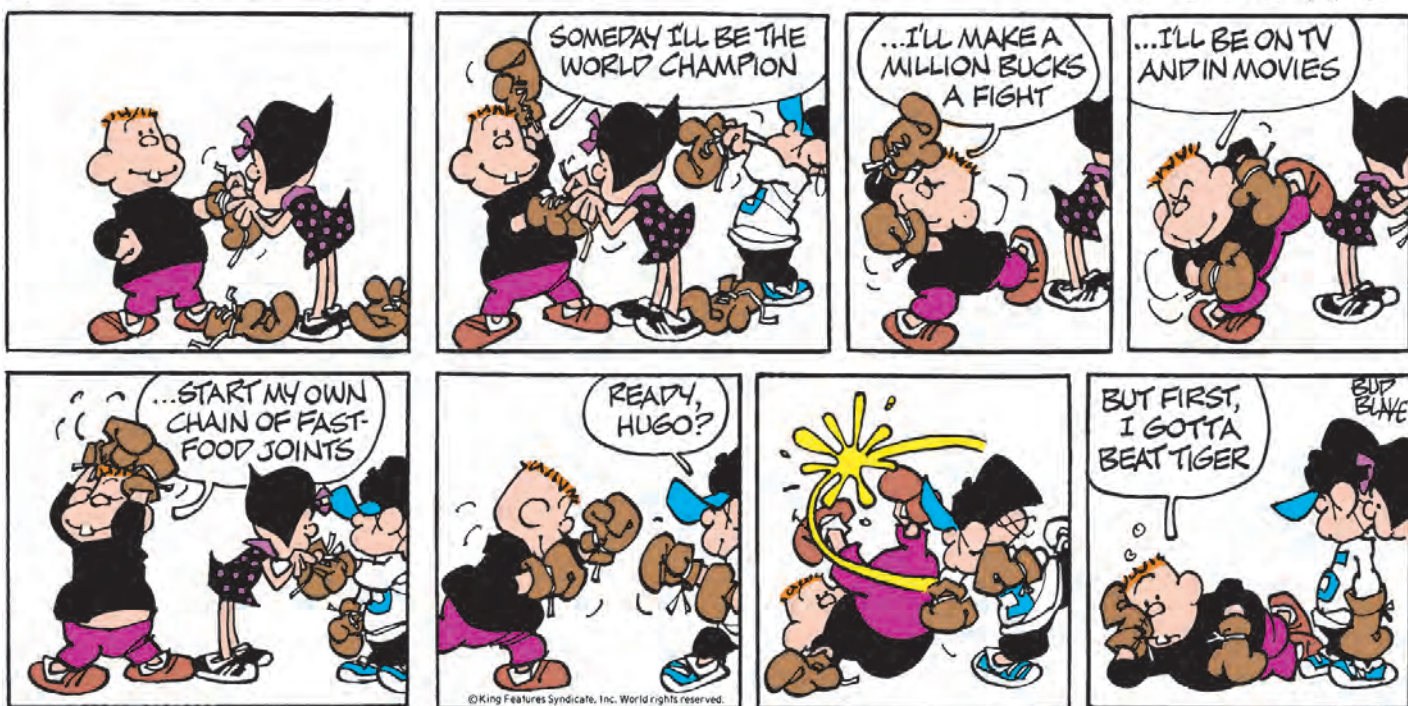
STRANGE BUT TRUE

By Lucie Winborne

- * It is impossible for a human to sneeze during sleep due to a bodily state called REM atonia.
- * For 200 years tomatoes were considered poisonous in Europe. In reality, their acidity was dissolving poisonous metals like lead from plates.
- * Scientists investigating the occasional appearance of thousands of dead fish on the banks of an African river eventually discovered that the cause was huge numbers of hippos pooping in the water.
- * Actor Danny DeVito used to be a beautician.
- * Ten thousand years ago, everyone's eyes were brown until someone living by the Black Sea developed a genetic mutation that turned brown eyes blue.
- * In 2007, a gorilla escaped from his exhibit, grabbed and mauled a nearby woman, and then attacked a restaurant. Later it was revealed that the woman had been making eye contact and smiling at the primate several times a week, something zookeepers had warned her not to do.
- * Freelance diamond setter Raffi Stepanian found he could collect enough bits of carelessly dropped diamonds, rubies, platinum and gold on the sidewalks of New York City's Midtown Diamond District to earn a living.
- * In April of 2018, scientists at the Gladstone Institutes in California completely erased Alzheimer's disease damage in human cells by altering the structure of a single protein.
- * The most expensive photograph ever sold, "Rhein II," a basic picture of the lower Rhine river under an overcast sky that had been digitally altered to remove dog walkers and a factory building, was purchased in 2011 for a cool \$4.3 million.

TIGER

by BUD BLAKE





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PARK NEWS

Biannual yard and bake sale at Bedrock Winters Park was a great success



Left: The Bedrock Winters' Clubhouse was full of items for sale during the biannual yard and bake sale.



Below: Cathi Jarvis opt to sit outside of the clubhouse with her items for sale.

Below: Don Soles found the perfect item for his lawn problem at the yard sale.



PHOTOS BY SUSAN SLATER

Right: Janie DaFonte worked the colorful shirt table.



Ladies gather in the clubhouse at Southport Springs for line dancing



Left: Ladies at Southport Springs Golf & Country Club gather in the clubhouse for a line dancing class.

Right: Jayne MacDonald, Kay Calkins, and Jane Powell practice line dancing steps during the intermediate line dancing class.



Below: Winnie Durran, Remy Givon and Sandy Coon are figuring out the dance steps.



Right: Val Lebo, advanced instructor, kicks up her heels with Helen Greene keeping in step.



PHOTOS BY SUSAN SLATER



PARK NEWS

Danny Lee's Wednesday Night Bandstand brings concerts to Betmar



Left: Residents and their guests line up to buy tickets for the Jamband Concert at Betmar Acres.



Above: Anne Hescock and Janet Seibert sell tickets at the door for the concert.

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Below: The seats and dance floor are packed full of Betmar residents listening and dancing to the music.



Above: Line dancers from Betmar join in on all of the music in the community.

Left: Residents get up and dance during the Jamband Concert.

Betmar Acres holds last carport concert of the season



Left: Phyllis LeGrande started to dance to Snake Farm to get more people out on the dance floor.



Below: Darlene and Larry Roberge hosted the last carport concert of the season.



Above: Rick and Phyllis LeGrande, president Mike "Harpo" Withers and Belinda Anderson are the committee that put on the carport concerts.



Above: Dawn Houthoofd drove up to the concert on her golf cart dressed in her red, white and blue outfit.

Left: Residents came out in droves to see the last concert of the season.

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Bulls remain unbeaten at Bulldogs' expense



Left: Taking the field for the national anthem, Zephyrhills High softball players were joined by members of the Purple Dragons, a coach-pitch softball team in the Zephyrhills Little League.

Right: Junior varsity callups to play out the varsity season were Jessie Starnes, Savannah Bunner, Kayla Spencer and Kiara Little.



Right: Wiregrass Ranch leadoff hitter Aubrey Zechmann lays down a bunt.



Below: Zephyrhills' Laila Woolfolk rounds third base, but the play resulted in the third out of an inning, preventing her from scoring.



Right: Zephyrhills coach Kristen Dumont and first baseman Hope Tackett go over the lineups with umpires at home plate.

Above: Catcher Isabella Rivera and her teammates were joined by Little League softball players during pre-game introductions.



Left: Wiregrass Ranch seniors who have made college commitments are Stephanie Daly, Izzy Barrios and Juliana Snyder.

Host Zephyrhills welcomes Little Leaguers for pregame introductions before 10-0 loss to unbeaten Wiregrass Ranch

By STEVE LEE
Sports Reporter

freshman pitcher Isabella Wright held the Bulls to just one hit and no runs with back-to-back strikeouts before fielding a grounder back to the mound and throwing out a runner at first base.

Wiregrass Ranch did not get any runs in the fifth either. Zechmann hit a leadoff single and advanced to second base but was thrown out there when right fielder Emily Mohler caught a line and pulled off a double play with shortstop Hannah Helms covering the bag.

While Woolfolk, a junior, is the ace of the pitching staff Wright has seen more time on the mound of late.

"We call Bella our secret weapon," said Dumont, mentioning Wright's changeup that often fools batters. "If you soft-toss it to them they're not ready for it."

A memorable moment came before the game when softball players from the coach-pitch 8-and-under Zephyrhills Little League team ran out onto the field with the varsity players during pregame introductions. The Purple Dragons are sponsored by the Zephyrhills High softball team.

"It's always fun," Dumont said. "They just say I'm going on the field with the girls I look up to."

The junior varsity season is over, but four players from that squad have been called up to finish out the season on the varsity team. That group includes Kiara Little, who got into the Wiregrass Ranch game as a late replacement at third base, Jessie Starnes, Savannah Bunner and Kayla Spencer.

This marks the second straight year that Zephyrhills has had a JV team, which Dumont refers to as "a feeder program," adding that the four players were brought up for "their work ethic and their good attitudes."

Wiregrass Ranch coach Tyler Finn, in his first year after eight seasons as the team's assistant, noted that the current group represents the strongest team he has seen at that school.

Leading the way for the Bulls are three seniors who are committed to play at the next level. Daly is headed to Flagler, Izzy Barrios will play at Florida Southern and Snyder heads to Jacksonville University.

The Zephyrhills vs. Wiregrass Ranch softball game showcased opposite ends of the Sunshine Athletic Conference spectrum with one team at the top of the standings and the other fighting to stay out of the cellar. The undefeated Bulls, who clinched their first SAC title in school history, routed the host Bulldogs 10-0.

That victory extended Wiregrass Ranch's season-long winning streak to 15 games. Meanwhile, the struggling Bulldogs dropped to 2-10. Zephyrhills assistant Aaron Schroeder summed up the game rather succinctly: "They were better than us."

Kristen Dumont, now in her fourth season as the Bulldogs head coach, concurred.

It did not take long for the game to get out of reach for Zephyrhills. Wiregrass Ranch led 7-0 through two innings and racked up 14 hits overall.

Aubrey Zechmann and Stephanie Daly each had three hits with the Bulls getting doubles from Daly, Reagan Beagle and Kylie Glatfelter to go along with Juliana Snyder's solo home run over the center field fence.

By comparison, Wiregrass Ranch starting pitcher Glatfelter allowed just one hit, a double just inside the third-base line in the fourth by Laila Woolfolk. The Bulldogs did have a few hard-hit line drives right at Bulls fielders.

"We had some really good hit balls, but they were right at them," Schroeder said. "We had some good swings, but they made a few good plays."

A couple of bright spots for the Bulldogs came when they were in the field. In the third,

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Above: Juliana Snyder is congratulated at home plate by her teammates following her solo home run.



Right: Assistant coach Aaron Schroeder gives a pep talk to the Bulldogs in between innings.

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Above: Malachi Woodard spots Zephyrhills teammate Jordan McDaniel in the bench press.



Right: Pasco coach Bryan Patterson congratulates Carlo Picciurro, who set a personal record in the bench press.
Below: Cypress Creek heavyweight Liam Cheatwood was a first-time regional qualifier.



Left: Wesley Chapel's Huey Wyche, Justin Andracchio and Bupe Chisanga helped lead their team to third place in the regional meet.



Above: Bulldog teammates Malachi Woodard and Rodney Smith earned state berths.

Right: Pasco's Jonah Diaz-Iglesias gets up from the bench after a successful lift.



Left: Zephyrhills coach James Aguilera spots Dax Kirkland.

Right: Zephyrhills Malachi Woodard is a defending state champion.



Left: Wesley Chapel's Justin Andracchio spots teammate Bupe Chisanga.



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coaching the Wildcats along with assistant Denise Garcia.

In the Olympics category, Wesley Chapel finished sixth and Zephyrhills 10th.

As for the top individuals, Woodard, a defending state champion eyeing back-to-back titles at that level, while Smith, who also is returning to the state meet, were the top finishers for the Bulldogs.

Woodard, a junior who competes in the 154-pound division, took first in the Olympic and traditional divisions.

"My competitors give me motivation for each week of the regular season as well as post-season meets," said Smith, a two-time regional champion who placed ninth in his state debut as a freshman.

"He's dedicated to the weight room, no doubt about it," Zephyrhills coach James Aguilera said of Woodard. "He's the first one to get there and the last one to leave. I wish I had 20 of him."

Smith, a senior who lifts at 183, wound up third in Olympic scores. For Smith, it marked his third regional appearance. He earned that this season by coming in first in Olympic at the conference and district meets, and second in traditional at both of those tournaments.

In all, Smith has four conference and four district titles and was coming off a regional runner-up finish. He placed seventh in last year's state meet and 10th the season before with the

goal of cracking the top five this time.

At 139, Pasco's Carlo Picciurro followed up a district title by placing sixth in traditional and ninth in Olympic. He set a personal-best in the process with a traditional total of 370 and got to ring a makeshift captain's bell on a stand.

Pasco coach Bryan Patterson said the bell is a way to commemorate personal-best lifts for his team.

"It means that I'm making progress every day and that hard work pays off," said Picciurro, whose Olympic score was 275.

Cypress Creek's best performance came from Dalton Wilkes, who wound up third in Olympic and sixth in traditional. He came into the tourney as a district champion.

Cypress Creek coach Mike Johnson was somewhat disappointed that his team did not crack the top three or wind up with a better finish in the district meet. The Coyotes were district runners-up last year and had a few key returners.

"I thought we had one of the best teams we've had here, but spring break happened," he said, alluding to a handful of lifters who missed the district meet, some due to planned family vacations, that took place during the break. "It definitely hurt a few teams."

Other notable finishes came from Wesley Chapel lifters who contributed to that team cracking the top three in traditional. That short list included Jaydon Harper, third at 119; Malikah Santiago, fourth at 129; Huey Wyche, fourth at 139; and Emmanuel Park, third at 199.

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CRIME REPORTS

Possession of crack cocaine

A 41-year-old Zephyrhills man was arrested March 3 at Gall Boulevard and Phelps Road

after a traffic stop, for the tag not assigned to that vehicle, allegedly revealed 3.6 grams of crack cocaine and 11.7 grams of methamphetamine.

Arrested was Henry Kennedy Evans of

6708 16th St.

Evans was processed by the Zephyrhills Police Department and transported to the Pasco County Jail.

Active warrant

A 38-year-old Texas man was arrested March 5 at Mattress Firm, 7880 Gall Blvd., after a check allegedly revealed a warrant out of Pinellas County for failure to appear on an unlicensed general contracting charge.

Arrested was Rodolfo Garza; no address listed.

Garza was processed by the Zephyrhills Police Department and transported to the Pasco County Jail.

Aggravated assault with a deadly weapon

A 50-year-old Zephyrhills man was arrested March 6 at his home after he allegedly grabbed a shotgun and pointed it at a man after an argument.

Arrested was Larry Sterling Banks, Jr. of 38703 B Ave.

Banks, Jr. was processed by Zephyrhills Police Department, transported to AdventHealth for medical clearance and transported to the Pasco County Jail.

Active warrant

A 25-year-old Zephyrhills man was arrested March 7 at 16th Street and South Avenue after a traffic stop, for a stop sign violation, allegedly revealed a warrant out of Pasco County for a contempt of court on a driving without a

license charge.

Arrested was Brandon Noah Kennedy Carlton of 38328 South Ave.

Carlton was processed by the Zephyrhills Police Department.

Domestic battery

A 61-year-old Zephyrhills woman was arrested March 7 at the UPS Store, 7810 Gall Blvd., after she allegedly put her hands on a person's shoulders when they tried to leave.

Arrested was Cathy Lee Cassidy of 5216 Flower St.

Cassidy was processed by the Zephyrhills Police Department.

Trespass after warning

A 66-year-old New York woman was arrested March 9 at Wawa, 6450 Gall Blvd., after she was allegedly given a trespass warning on March 4 and returned to the property.

Arrested was Carmen Milagros Crespo Soto; no address listed.

Crespo Soto was processed by the Zephyrhills Police Department.

Domestic battery

A 46-year-old Zephyrhills man was arrested March 9 at 5130 16th St., after he allegedly struck a person in the face and took their cell phone.

Arrested was Timothy Dale Nichols of 4643 Coral St.

Nichols was processed by the Zephyrhills Police Department and transported to the Pasco County Jail.

Petit theft

A 59-year-old Zephyrhills woman was arrested March 10 at Walmart, 7631 Gall Blvd., after she allegedly failed to scan 22 items valued at \$173.47.

Arrested was Ann Sheila Haight of 3331 Gall Blvd.

Haight was processed by the Zephyrhills Police Department and given a notice to appear.



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LEGALS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2024CA000442CAAXWS DIVISION: H Nikki Alvarez-Sowles, as Pasco County Clerk & Comptroller, Plaintiff, vs. Unknown Spouses, Heirs, Creditors, Devises, Grantees, Beneficiaries, Assignees, Liens, Trustees and All Other Parties Claiming an Interest By, Through, Under or Against the Estate of Garry W. Parmentier, Jr. and All Unknown Spouses, Heirs, Creditors, Devises, Grantees, Beneficiaries, Assignees, Liens, Trustees and All Other Parties Claiming an Interest By, Through, Under or Against the Estate of Denise F. Mesko, Defendants. NOTICE OF ACTION (formal notice by publication) TO: Howard J. Parmentier 2174 Hawthorne Rd

Grosse Pte Woods, MI 48236 YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a Complaint has been filed in this court. You are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, on petitioner's attorney, whose name and address are: Nancy McClain Alfonso, Esquire, 37908 Church Avenue, Dade City, FL 33525 on or before May 6th, 2024, and to file the original of the written defenses with the clerk of this court either before service or immediately thereafter. Failure to serve and file written defenses as required may result in a judgement or order for the relief demanded, without further notice. Signed on this 28TH day of MARCH, 2024. Nikki Alvarez-Sowles Pasco County Clerk & Comptroller Deputy Clerk Haley Joyner as Deputy Clerk on APRIL 4TH, 2024. Published: April 4, 2024, April 11, 2024, April 18, 2024 and April 25, 2024.

Darron Jones, d/b/a Helping Hand As-set Recovery, Defendants. NOTICE OF ACTION (formal notice by publication) TO: Mount Zion Primitive Baptist Church 20627 Stewart Street Dade City, FL 33523 YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a Complaint has been filed in this court. You are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, on petitioner's attorney, whose name and address are: Nancy McClain Alfonso, Esquire, 37908 Church Avenue, Dade City, FL 33525 on or before May 6th, 2024, and to file the original of the written defenses with the clerk of this court either before service or immediately thereafter. Failure to serve and file written defenses as required may result in a judgement or order for the relief demanded, without further notice. Signed on this 27TH day of MARCH, 2024. Nikki Alvarez-Sowles Pasco County Clerk & Comptroller Deputy Clerk Haley Joyner as Deputy Clerk on APRIL 4TH, 2024. Published: April 4, 2024, April 11, 2024, April 18, 2024 and April 25, 2024.

intends to hold a sale to sell the property described below to enforce a lien under the Florida Self Storage Facility Act, Statutes, section 83.80-83.809. The personal property may include but not limited to general household, office, personal property, furniture, boxes, clothes, and appliances. The sale will occur on April 19, 2024 at approximately 10 a.m. online at www.storage treasures.com. The following units are delinquent in rents and fees: A2139 - Laura Pringle E033 - Shane Roland Published: April 11, 2024 and April 18, 2024

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2024CA000559WS DIVISION: H Nikki Alvarez-Sowles, as Pasco County Clerk & Comptroller, Plaintiff, vs. All Unknown Spouses, Heirs, Creditors, Devises, Grantees, Beneficiaries, Assignees, Liens, Trustees and All Other Parties Claiming an Interest By, Through, Under or Against the Estate of Regina Walsh and Michael G. Templeton. NOTICE OF ACTION (formal notice by publication) TO: Estate of Regina Walsh 7315 Seashore Dr. Port Richey, FL 34668 YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a Complaint has been filed in this court. You are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, on petitioner's attorney, whose name and address are: Nancy McClain Alfonso, Esquire, 37908 Church Avenue, Dade City, FL 33525 on or before May 13th, 2024, and to file the original of the written defenses with the clerk of this court either before service or immediately thereafter. Failure to serve and file written defenses as required may result in a judgement or order for the relief demanded, without further notice. Signed on this April 5, 2024. Nikki Alvarez-Sowles Pasco County Clerk & Comptroller Deputy Clerk Haley Joyner as Deputy Clerk on APRIL 11TH, 2024. Published: April 11, 2024, April 18, 2024, April 25, 2024 and May 2, 2024.

THE ESTATE OF JANICE CRANOR, deceased, whose date of death was October 16, 2023, is pending in the Circuit Court for Pasco County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 38053 Live Oak, Dade City, Florida. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below. All creditors of decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this Notice is required to be served must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION IN RE: ESTATE OF PATRICIA ANNE BURKE, f/k/a PATRICIA A. KOBELLA, Deceased FILE NO. 512024CP000375CPAXES DIVISION: A NOTICE TO CREDITORS The administration of the estate of PATRICIA ANNE BURKE, f/k/a PATRICIA A. KOBELLA, deceased, whose date of death was February 9, 2024, is pending in the Circuit Court for Pasco County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Robert D. Sumner Judicial Center, 38053 Live Oak Avenue, Dade City, FL 33523.

THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE'S ATTORNEY ARE SET FORTH BELOW. ALL CREDITORS OF THE DECEDENT AND OTHER PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST DECEDENT'S ESTATE ON WHOM A COPY OF THIS NOTICE IS REQUIRED TO BE SERVED MUST FILE THEIR CLAIMS WITH THIS COURT ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

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Above: Local business owner Kevin Bahr, who always has been active in the community, lent his support to city councilman Charlie Proctor.



Right: Jodi Wilkeson, who retained her seat on city council, waves to passersby.

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Above: Reelected councilman Charlie Proctor celebrates his victory with mayor Melonie Bahr Monson.

Below: Mayor Melonie Bahr Monson attends a victory celebration for reelected council member Jodi Wilkeson.



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► ELECTION: From Page 1

Supervisor of Elections, Wilkeson narrowly defeated Turgeon, a real estate broker with Sunlight Realty and newcomer to the political realm, for City Council Seat 3 by a 670-559 margin.

Proctor defeated Funes, a former city council member and longtime rival, for City Council Seat 5 by a much wider margin with the final tally at 744-480.

Proctor, who is from Maine and has owned a local auto detailing business for more than 30 years, thanked residents for their financial commitments to his campaign and their moral support.

"I will continue to look out for the well-being of all of us, not just some of us or special interest groups," he said, adding that he felt privileged "to uphold the values of this growing city and the wishes of its residents."

Wilkeson, founder and president of an architectural and interior design firm in Tampa, has resided in Zephyrhills since 1991. Like Bahr Monson, Wilkeson spoke positively of Turgeon, saying, "I had a good opponent. I worked extra hard."

Part of that hard work was meeting people new to the city. In the past year, nearly 1,000 people have moved to Zephyrhills. That is just part of a growing population that in the past year has included 27,000 new residents in Pasco County, about 6,000 of whom have settled in east Pasco, which includes Zephyrhills, Dade City and the outlying areas.

"Those were the people I needed to meet," Wilkeson said of the new local residents settling into new subdivisions.

The cast at council meetings will remain the same with Wilkeson and Proctor continuing to serve alongside president Lance Smith, vice-president Kenneth Burgess and Steven Spina, who twice previously served as the city manager.

Wilkeson and Proctor spoke highly of the current group and how well they seem to work together.

"I don't always agree with my fellow council members but we respect one another," Wilkeson said.

Added Proctor, "I've never seen it get out of hand. That's because we're dealing with a great group of people."

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COUCH THEATER

By Demi Taveras



Wyatt Russell, left, and Kerry Condon star in "Night Swim"

"The Sympathizer" (TV-MA) -- Based on the novel of the same name by Viet Thanh Nguyen, which won a Pulitzer Prize, this seven-episode miniseries tells the story of a North Vietnam spy in the South Vietnam army during the Vietnam War.

"Night Swim" (PG-13) -- So far in 2024, it's been a quiet year for horror movies, but if there's anyone who always has something spooky cooking up his sleeve, it's producer Jason Blum from Blumhouse Productions.

"Under the Bridge" (TV-MA) -- Another miniseries that releases on streaming this week is a true-crime drama starring Riley Keough ("Daisy Jones & the Six") and Lily Gladstone ("Killers of the Flower Moon").

In Case You Missed It

"Bob Marley: One Love" (PG-13) -- Kingsley Ben-Adir takes on the role of reggae legend Bob Marley in this biopic out now to rent! Taking place from the mid-1970s through the 1980s, the film walks viewers through the struggles that Marley had to overcome to bring his musical vision to life.

THURSDAY TV schedule for April 18, 2024. Channels include 3, 34, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 3PBS, 605PBS, 44CW, 8NBC, 10CBS, 38MNT, 28ABC, 32IND, 13FOX.

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SATURDAY TV schedule for April 20, 2024. Channels include 3, 34, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 3PBS, 605PBS, 44CW, 8NBC, 10CBS, 38MNT, 28ABC, 32IND, 13FOX.

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WEDNESDAY TV schedule for April 24, 2024. Channels include 3, 34, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 3PBS, 605PBS, 44CW, 8NBC, 10CBS, 38MNT, 28ABC, 32IND, 13FOX.

HOLLYWOOD

by Tony Rizzo



Actress Stephanie Courtney in "The Goldbergs"

HOLLYWOOD -- A "Pirates of the Caribbean" sequel is in the works, according to producer Jerry Bruckheimer. In a recent interview with ComicBook.com, Bruckheimer said that the current plan is to reboot the franchise completely.

"We're gonna reboot 'Pirates' so that it's easier to put together because you don't have to wait for certain actors," Bruckheimer explained. In other words, he means Johnny Depp, who has fallen from grace because of messy legal problems and won't be returning as Captain Jack Sparrow.

The 60-year-old Depp has now turned to producing and directing. He was originally set to star in "Modi," a biopic about Italian painter Amedeo Modigliani, but he decided to direct the film instead with a European cast. It was mostly shot in Budapest, Hungary, except for Al Pacino's scenes, which were shot in Los Angeles.

Will Smith's comeback film since his Oscar win and infamous Chris Rock slap is "Bad Boys: Ride or Die" with Martin Lawrence, due June 7. Considering "Bad Boys" (1995) grossed \$141.4 million, "Bad Boys II" (2003) grossed \$273.3 million, and "Bad Boys for Life" (2020) grossed \$426.5 million, he's betting that devoted fans will run to see it.

Scott Eastwood, son of Clint Eastwood, calls Hollywood filmmaking "a really weird business" and confesses, "I find a lot of creativity in real estate. Buying and improving homes. ... That's always made me happy." This sounds weird, considering his 93-year-old father would never think about retiring. Young Eastwood has made 28 films, but has yet to break through to stardom.

Yet still, Scott's got three upcoming films: "1992," which stars Tyrese Gibson and the late Ray Liotta; the action/thriller "Tin Soldier," starring Jamie Foxx and Robert De Niro; and "Wind River: The Next Chapter," which is the sequel to "Wind River" (2017). It starred Martin Sensmeier ("The Magnificent Seven"), who reprises his role again for "The Next Chapter," along with Jason Clarke and Alan Ruck.

It's official -- Ken Jennings is the one and only host of everything "Jeopardy!" Viewers were torn between Jennings and Mayim Bialik, but when she informed the show that she'd cease hosting during the writer's strike (which ironically didn't include "Jeopardy!"), the show cut her loose and made Jennings the sole host! "Jeopardy!"'s answer is: "Fired!"

Why would actress Stephanie Courtney, 54, almost totally give up acting in TV, having starred in series such as "Mad Men" and "The Goldbergs," as well as films like "Fred; The Movie," "Fred 2: Night of the Living Fred" and "The Heartbreak Kid," just to name a few? How about for a whopping \$1 million a year for the last 15 years as the spokeswoman for Progressive Insurance! No more interviews or casting sessions, just a cushy life since 2008 with husband, Scott Kolanach, who was a lighting director at The Groundlings when Courtney trained with the improv group! Now that's what we call a "progressive" career move!



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