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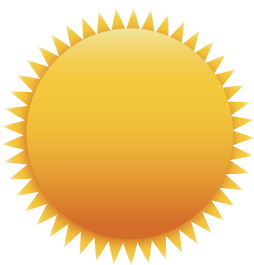
### Graham Music Studios claim several top awards

Graham Music Studios, featuring young performers from throughout Pasco County, placed first in several categories at Access Broadway, a national talent competition recently held in Orlando.

### Lake Jovita Woman's Club gives check to sheriff

The Woman's Club of Lake Jovita presented the Pasco County Sheriff's Office with a check for \$22,500, which will be used for two new K-9 officers.

> 2A



## Weather

Another week of no rain, with the exception of next Wednesday, is in store for the area. Temperatures are getting hotter with the daytime forecast ranging between 94 and 82.

> 3A

## Park News

Activities at Ramblewood Village and Grand Horizons took place before the various restrictions caused by the coronavirus.

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## Sports

### Video tour of new Sarah Vande Berg Tennis Center

Two walk-throughs were cancelled last week and replaced by a video tour of the new Sarah Vande Berg Tennis Center expected to open by this summer.

### Silverado hosts another community golf fundraiser

Silverado Golf & Country Club has hosted a golf fundraiser for Loving Hands Ministries for the past six years.

### Local families being fed

Pasco schools and the Thomas Promise Foundation join forces to help feed local families.

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# Coronavirus has mixed effects on local economy



The Chowder House has been a popular restaurant for to-go orders and delivery in recent weeks.

STEVE LEE

*Local and state cases pale in comparison to national and global numbers as shutdowns continue*

By STEVE LEE  
News Reporter

A walk along Main Street in Zephyrhills reveals the norm these days with the coronavirus pandemic blamed for shuttering businesses and keeping local residents indoors. Last Friday, Dr. Anthony S. Fauci, chief medical adviser to the White House Coronavirus Task Force, advocated for restrictive measures nationwide.

For the most part, the government shutdowns are

proving to be an economic disaster with some businesses, including a few that have since closed along 5th Avenue. A timetable for recovery is anyone's guess at this point.

What is not in question is that the number of confirmed cases. The World Health Organization reported 53,794 cases and 705 deaths in the United States as of Tuesday. That included 1,412 cases with 18 deaths in the Sunshine State. In Pasco County, those numbers were only 15 cases, none of which were fatal.

There are differing sentiments on the pandemic with President Donald Trump recently tweeting about gearing up the economy soon while U.S. Surgeon General Dr. Jerome Adams warning that the outbreak could worsen this week.

That national debate notwithstanding, on the local front Anna Stutzriem, coordinator for Main Street

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COVID-19

## Effects the backbone of this country

### An open letter to our elected officials:

It does not fall short on any of us that we are experiencing a double whammy - a health crisis and an economic crisis.

I have read and listened to your thoughts and would like to add my perspective. We are a 6-year-old company comprised of 57 amazing team members and a big SBA loan that uses our home as collateral. In the face of this crisis, last week my wife and I stopped taking a salary and this week the entire team followed suit. Our story is not unique.

As it relates to the economic crisis, the ONLY thing that matters is that our company survive to once again provide 57 paychecks to 57 families. To be clear, we can and should get money in the hands of everyone to buy groceries, medicine and other necessities, but in the end, we all need to go back to work. All private enterprises exist to accomplish this.

The backbone of this country is small business. It is the St. Pete Bagel company, Bob Lee's tires, Walter's Lawn Service and the 4th Street Shrimp Store. Small businesses like these are responsible for 45 percent of the total U.S. economic activity and comprise 41 percent of private sector employment. Helping out here will be much harder than helping United Airlines, Home Depot and Wells Fargo, but it is just as important.

### Small Business thoughts:

Speed is of the essence - we do not have lines of credit or reserves; we need cash to prime the pump. Tax credits do not help - we will not make it that far. Loans will not help - that simply prolongs and defers our struggle.

> **3 DAUGHTERS BREWING:** See Page 4A

# Eagles in final stages of a downtown renovation

*Fraternal Order of Eagles Aeries 3752 soon will complete a relocation from just outside of city limits*

By STEVE LEE  
News Reporter

Coming together for a common cause is a primary theme of the Fraternal Order of Eagles Aeries 3752. That slogan for a local chapter that has been in the area for five decades is especially appropriate of late.

The first of three stages of a building renovation project near the downtown entrance along 5th Avenue is nearly complete with the non-profit organization set to open its doors at its new location soon after the lifting of a government shutdown due to the coronavirus outbreak.

Earlier this week, three of four trustees met at the new location to discuss the project, which is renovating the 10,000-square-foot building that replaces a 9,000-square-foot facility across from the New River Library, which has since been bulldozed. That trio included Walt Dushane, Jane Grebe and John Hierons with Zina Regan self-quarantined at home.

The first phase entails the lower of two floors in



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Trustees Jane Grebe, Walt Dushane and John Hierons worked at the relocated site on Tuesday.

STEVE LEE

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Left: Trustees Jane Grebe, John Hierons and Walt Dushane gather behind the bar on the first floor to go over plans for the renovated building.

Below: Eagles member Eddie Shaw pressure-washes the parking lot in preparation for stripping.

STEVE LEE

**EAGLES UPDATE: From Page 1A**

what formerly was a Wells Fargo Bank near the downtown entrance on 5th Avenue. A long bar, which comes complete with a transferable liquor license, is nearly complete in a social room with a jukebox on a far wall. Electricians and other workers are putting the finishing touches on the area.

Later, phase two is a kitchen — there already is a walk-in cooler and freezer — that will be built with phase three following. That will include an upper deck as well as an outdoor deck in front of the building. Once things get going there also will be live entertainment on a number of nights, which have yet to be determined.

“Right now, our main concern is getting this thing opened,” said Hierons, who shows up to work on the project on a daily basis. Added board member Jane, “It’s all coming together. It’s a new day; a new club.”

In a way, Dushane noted, the shutdown “is helping us. It’s giving us an opportunity to clean up some loose ends.”

Anna Stutzriem, coordinator for Main Street Zephyrhills, welcomes the organization and noted that its presence could go a long way in helping other downtown businesses thrive.

“I think it’s fantastic. I think it’s a great addition,” she said.

“All the city officials are really excited about us coming down here,” said Grebe, adding it is simply a matter of “location, location, location.”

Eddie Shaw, a member who ran a pressure washer in the parking lot adjacent to the building in preparation of painting lines for motorcycle parking, shares that sentiment. He figured being in a more prominent location will help increase membership.



“We’ll pick up more members and we’ll have more members come here,” reasoned Shaw, who owns two motorcycles and participates in the club’s poker runs.

“We need a lot of community spirit,” Dushane said. “We’re depending on it. We’re excited to be part of the community.”

The Fraternal Order of Eagles Aeries 3752 also is part of the Purple Heart organization and includes a Ladies Auxiliary and Eagles Riders, many of whom do poker runs to raise funds for various charitable causes. The trustees estimate the number of total members around 500, which likely will increase with the club’s new location.

The trustees also noted that there will be plenty of parking with spaces available beside and behind the building across from the city’s downtown fire station.

This year’s primary fundraiser for Eagles on a statewide basis is Alzheimer’s Disease. Last year the Eagles raised more than \$300,000 for cancer research at the Moffitt Cancer Center in Tampa.

“We’re people helping people,” Dushane said.



Left: The American and POW flags already are flying in front of the new building on Main Street.

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**91|61**  
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 SUNSET: 7:44pm MOONSET: 10:43pm

**SATURDAY**  
**94|63**  
 Partly Cloudy  
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 SUNSET: 7:44pm MOONSET: 11:38pm

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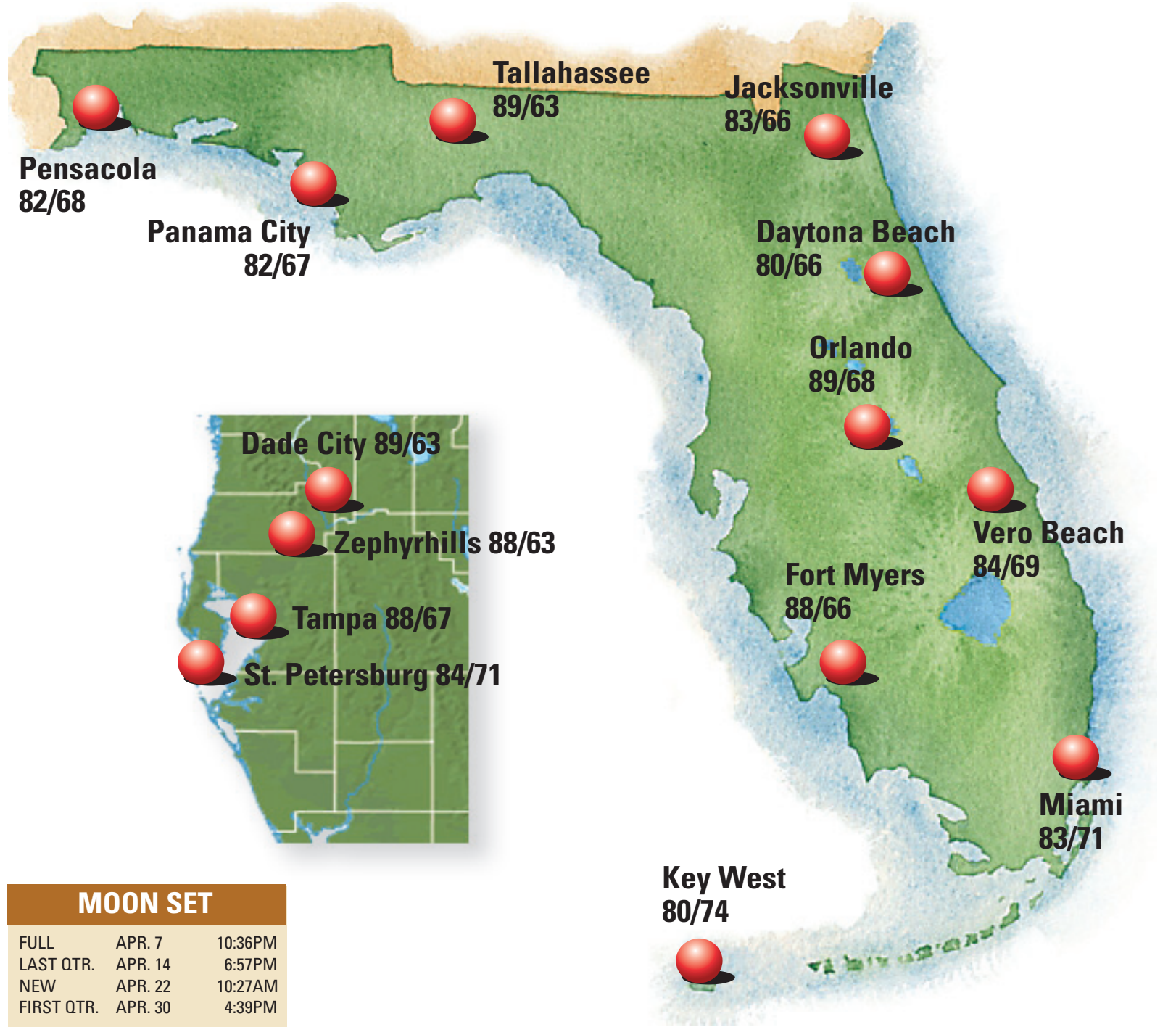
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 SUNSET: 7:45pm MOONSET: 12:34am

**TUESDAY**  
**88|63**  
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 SUNSET: 7:46pm MOONSET: 1:31am

**WEDNESDAY**  
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A nearly empty council chambers greeted guests for a special meeting on March 16 that declared a local state of emergency.

## City council extends state of emergency, limits access to city hall

*In the city council's first teleconferenced regular meeting, council members took care of city business, some remotely*

By **ANDY WARRENER**  
*News Reporter*

Also discussed in Poe's report was the issue of leaving city parks open. While the DEP shuttered all state parks as of Monday, Pasco County and Zephyrhills City parks remain open. However, Poe noted that he personally saw large groups in Zephyr Park congregating and that continued assemblies could cause the city to shutter its parks.

"The Department of Health is the lead in this situation," Poe said. "We do not want to close the city parks but we may have to."

On a couple of brighter notes, Maggard announced that he and his wife are expecting their third child.

Additionally, during the City Manager's Report, Poe made note of public works director Shane LeBlanc and his commendation by the West Florida Branch of the American Public Works Association (AWPA) as the 2019-20 Director of the Year.

"It's a humbling experience to get that selection from my peers," LeBlanc said over the teleconference.

In other city business, Whitfield declared the month of April Water Conservation Month. The council approved all three Consent Agenda Items: March 2 workshop minutes, March 9 regular meeting minutes and minutes from the March 17 special meeting.

City council members agreed on and voted unanimously in favor of setting the date for vote canvassing pertaining to the April 14 city election. That date was settled on April 16. All of this is pending there being no cancellations or postponements of the April 14 election.

In the Utility Director's Report, some new items were approved for purchase by the city. The first, was an emergency generator for Well No. 4. The bid from RCM Utilities was for \$79,727 for the generator. Utilities director John Bostic stated that the amount was within the department's budget and has been presented as part of the budget throughout the year. The second item was the purchase of five additional Tsurumi pumps for lift stations across the city. The total asking price for the pumps was \$38,530.

Councilman Knight asked why five pumps and Bostic stated that there are different sizes of pumps at different lift stations across the city and that the five pumps were of three different sizes with regard to horsepower. Both items passed 5-0.

In the Planning Director's Report, some of the last phases of the Silver Oaks housing development were proposed. City planning director Todd Vande Berg asked council members to approve a final plat for 92 lots in the Calusa Springs section, at the north end of Silver Oaks. Vande Berg stated that the 50-foot lots were compliant with the LDC, were shared with the city attorney and a survey reviewer and than staff recommended approval of the final plat. The motion passed 5-0.

Roll call for Monday's city council meeting was an interesting one. While each council member spoke that they were present, they did so from various locations.

Just councilman Alan Knight, councilwoman Jodi Wilkeson, Zephyrhills Mayor Gene Whitfield and city manager William Poe Jr. were actually present in council chambers. Even local media were asked to listen in on the conference call put together by IT director Mike Panak.

"This is definitely a unique meeting," council president Ken Burgess said. "We did a test earlier to work out some of the kinks but it may come to this."

Aside from the awkwardness of only being able to listen in and the occasional glitch in the audio, the meeting went as any other, at least, in a current state of emergency. That item would come later in the meeting as Item 7.1 in the City Attorney's Report. City attorney Matthew Maggard stated that after conducting research and speaking with some of his peers, that he believes that the city manager has the power and discretion to extend a city-wide state of emergency without council approval.

This would enable Poe to extend the seven-day state of emergency going forward and not require a full council meeting. As it was, council voted 5-0 on Resolution No. 770-20 to both extend the seven-day State of Emergency voted on last week and also to bestow the right to extend the state of emergency at Poe's sole discretion.

Poe mentioned that city access is being limited in the city manager's comments. The police station has closed its main lobby for all non-emergency traffic. The city has also ordered a glass partition for the voting department. The 8th Street entrance to city hall is closed as is the second floor of city hall to the public.

Citizens can request that an administrator on the second floor be paged and they will come down to the first floor to address the citizen. The voting booth that was located upstairs has been moved downstairs.

The Zephyrhills airport officially went from full-service to self-service on March 23.

Poe also noted in his comments that Main Street Zephyrhills Director Anna Stutzriem has tendered her resignation and that the city will search for new candidates.

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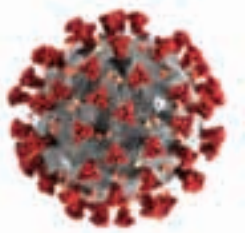
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The cost of this to government is monumental, but this country was built on entrepreneurial spirit and it seems an easy jump that with a little help, it will be rebuilt on entrepreneurial spirit.

- #1 priority today - conquer coronavirus.
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OBITUARIES



Richard F. "Dick" Baugniet, Sr.

BAUGNIET, SR., Richard F., 87, longtime resident of Mishicot, Wis., passed away March 9, 2020 at AdventHealth Hospital Zephyrhills. Born in 1932 to Florenz and Evelyn (Froelich) Baugniet, he was a 1950 graduate of Mishicot High School, and was married to Sally Ray on July 2, 1955 in Wauwatosa, Wis. Dick was a dairy farmer for several years, and later owned and operated Baugniet Mink Ranch in Mishicot for many years. He was a longtime member of the Knights of Columbus; lifelong member of the Mishicot Lions Club; life member of the Mishicot High School Alumni Assoc; and former member of the Mishicot School Board. In his spare time, Dick loved boating. Survivors include his wife, Sally; three sons: Robert (Debra) Baugniet of Sheboygan, Christopher Baugniet (Dr. Dale Rustad) of DePere and Michael (Cheryl) Baugniet of

Two Rivers; six grandchildren: Evan, Aaron, Lauren, Jeff, Jenny and Kailee; six great-grandchildren: Ethan, Jason, Emma, Nolan, Kelodeigh, and Emma; and two nephews: Jeff Kornely and Mark Kornely (Dr. Diane Staudinger). He was preceded in death by his parents, Florenz and Evelyn Baugniet; a son, Richard Baugniet, Jr.; and a sister and brother-in-law, Marie (Arthur) Kornely, Jr. Due to the COVID-19 Virus and Executive Orders of Gov. Evers limiting the number of people at a single gathering to 10, There will be no public funeral services held. Burial will take place in Holy Cross Cemetery, Mishicot, Wis. Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.dejamartin.com. Lambert-Eckert Funeral Home, 344 S. State St., Mishicot, Wis. 54228 is assisting the Baugniet family with funeral arrangements.

Infant Ezra Jasper Welch

WELCH, Infant Ezra Jasper, of Dade City, was called home to be with our Lord and Savior on March 13, 2020, at AdventHealth Wesley Chapel. He is survived by his mother, Makenzie Lewis, his father, Lamont Welch, brother, Michael Welch, all of Dade City; maternal grandparents, Shelli and Mike Howard of Dade City and Jim and Joyce Lewis of Wesley Chapel; paternal grandparents, Joe and Theresa

Welch of Apopka. Arrangements entrusted to Purcell Funeral Home, Bushnell.

Bruce Dee Wharton

WHARTON, Bruce Dee, 70, of Dade City, passed away March 16, 2020. Mr. Wharton is survived by his wife, Barbara; and children, Daniel, Melissa, James and Daniel.



Brenda Sue Hall

HALL, Brenda Sue, 62, of Zephyrhills, passed away March 17, 2020. She is survived by her husband, Kevin; children, Kelly, Stephanie and Johnathon; and seven grandchildren.



Edwin Riley Andrews

ANDREWS, Edwin Riley 58, of Zephyrhills, passed away March 21, 2020. He is survived by his wife, Carrie; children, Jessica, Edwin, Holly; and seven grandchildren.



WE ARE EXHORTED TO PRAY FOR ALL MEN, MAKE SUPPLICATIONS AND INTERCESSIONS UNTO GOD. GIVE THANKS. PRAY FOR KINGS AND ALL THOSE IN AUTHORITY OVER US, so that We can lead a quiet and peaceable Life in All Honesty and Godliness. I TIMOTHY 1 AND 2

We are to pray in the Spirit and walk in the Spirit. We walk by faith and not by sight. We're exhorted to pray for all men, especially those of the household of faith. However, in I Timothy chapters 1 and 2, Paul the apostle of God's grace, tells us to pray for all men. First, we are to pray for kings and all those who are in authority over us, making supplications on their behalf and intercessions unto God with thanksgiving. The end result for us would be... that we can lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty. Then as workers together with God, we can be working with God, fulfilling his desire for all men to be saved and come unto the knowledge of the truths of his Word "rightly divided," according to his wisdom and purpose.

According to God's design, the authority of government can put away sin and all the ungodliness of man with its evil consequences and heartaches, so that we can be free to lead an honest and godly life. Government provides for the security and safety for all men when enforced lawfully. The law is not made for the righteous but for the lawless and disobedient and profaned. God's Word says that by the law comes the knowledge of sin. With the law in effect, man knows the things that are wrong, and should naturally have a fear and tread in breaking those laws of man's government and the righteousness of God, because he knows punishment would ensue.

Adam, the first man God made, broke God's commandment and brought sin and death into the world, and now death has passed upon all men, for that all have sinned. "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). "For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord" (Romans 6:23). But by the second man, or second Adam, who is the Lord Jesus Christ from heaven, he brought life. God desires for us, his ambassadors, to preach the gospel of reconciliation unto all men. Therefore, if we're busy doing what God is doing, man can be saved, and be at peace with God. Then in turn, more and more can be saved and lead a quite and peaceable life in all Godliness in a world that is at enmity with God.

When we teach "sound doctrine" to faithful men, they in turn will commit "sound doctrine" to others. Sound doctrine is the truths of God's Word, the scriptures "rightly divided," making known God's righteousness. Paul said for us to pray for him that utterance may be given unto him to speak the mystery of the gospel to others. This should be our prayer. We are to pray always with thanksgiving in all things, letting our requests be made known unto God, and the peace of God which passeth all understanding, shall keep our hearts and minds through Christ Jesus (I Thess 5:18; Philippians 4). Christ and the Holy Spirit makes intercession unto God for us with groanings, working all things after the counsel of his own will (Romans 8). Christ in us, the hope of glory (Colossians 1:27).

But just as it is important for us to talk to God in prayer, it's very important to let God talk to us. His instructions for us to live godly comes by taking in God's Word, reading it, and studying it "rightly divided," and being filled with it. The revelation of the mystery of God's grace for the Church, is given unto us by the Lord in Paul's epistles — Romans through Philemon! God was in Christ at Calvary. By the blood of Christ's cross reconciliation is available unto all men and is for all nations. It is our job in the body of Christ, the Church for whom Christ died, to be busy making all men see what is the fellowship of the mystery of God's grace, and His purpose for all eternity (Ephesians 3).

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# SALOME'S STARS ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) An unexpected problem should be handled as quickly as possible so that it doesn't cause too much of a delay. Someone who knows what you're facing could provide needed advice.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) An unsettling situation seems to be taking forever to be resolved. Fortunately, your Bovine aptitude for patience is strong this week, so you'll be more than able to wait it out.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Taking a stand against an uncalled-for situation involving a friend or co-worker isn't easy, but somehow you'll rise to the challenge and do it.

Rely on advice from someone you trust.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) There are still some questions on all sides that need to be dealt with in order to allow hurt feelings to heal. Get your workplace tasks done early so that you can devote more time to loved ones.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) Consider a new spring makeover that will show all you Leos and Leonas in your best light. A new hairdo and some fashionable new clothes can help put a fresh glow on your image.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) Some stormy, emotional weather can blow up in

the workplace when an irate co-worker has strong words for you. But if you believe right is on your side, you'll be able to ride it out.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) Creating more balance in your life is especially important now so that you're not distracted when you get into projects that will make demands on both your physical and mental energies.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) As much as you enjoy being right when others are not, show your generous side by offering to use what you know to everyone's benefit. This way, you gain admirers and avoid resentment.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) This is a good week for the Archer to aim at healing relationships. Whether it's at home, at work or among your friends, get everyone to set things straight and make a

fresh start.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) Although you like things done your way, this is a good time to listen to ideas from others. You might even find yourself agreeing with one or more of their suggestions.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) Aspects favor positive action to reclaim your ideas from someone who might want the glory without doing any of the work. Expect to find many people rallying to support you.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) You might feel uneasy about taking that step forward at work or in your private life. But who knows better than you that while treading water keeps you afloat, it doesn't get you anywhere.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You have a way of creating positive attitudes and making people feel good about themselves.

### Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

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

- |                        |   |                  |   |
|------------------------|---|------------------|---|
| 1. More spoils         | F | Curved sword     | R |
| 2. TV accessory        | I | Cerindril        | V |
| 3. Rebekah or Child    | A | Address Christa  | B |
| 4. Hood cupboard       | N | Mentally         | L |
| 5. Small rivers        | S | Address Shields  | E |
| 6. Interfere           | F | Center           | I |
| 7. Tremble             | H | Mixer's claim    | T |
| 8. Mockery             | A | Energy           | D |
| 9. Germany's capital   | B | Arthurian wizard | M |
| 10. Hooker or recliner | R | Series of links  | N |

### Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

When a number in the empty boxes ...

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆ Moderate ◆◆ Challenging ◆◆◆ **HOO BOY!**

### MAGIC MAZE

**KNIGHTS OF THE ROUND TABLE**

LYSDNKEEDAVGGGV  
 IOOMIDEMAUJYAH  
 IYAKINGARBHLRINY  
 WURPEINENOLJAYH  
 IDBZEAIVRYEAYTHC  
 XVIGTHMROEIDONAM  
 KIESHIDOBUCYZEDY  
 WNEAWAGVRNDEYRQ  
 IRONSIREHALVDK  
 ITHEDCPQATKNZVW  
 VUSRODSMIKIEEBR

Find the 12 knights of the ...

Bedevere	Gandalf	King Arthur	Perceval
Chivalry	Gawain	Lancelot	Pancreas
Galahad	Gareth	Lohrke	Tristan
Grail	Kay	Legend	



### 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.

Blanket  
**RELAY**

Outrage  
**RANGE**

Imitation  
**AGRINCH**

Clear  
**BULGE**

TODAY'S WORD: \_\_\_\_\_

When my wife told me that my birthday gift was something I could use outdoors, I thought she meant a ...

### Kids' Maze

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### KING CROSSWORD - MARCH 26

**ACROSS**

- Sacred wading bird
- Suitable
- Morse "T"
- Created
- Meadow
- Erstwhile Peruvian
- Series of missed calls
- Celebrity
- Pair
- Consecrate with oil
- Cognizant
- Huffed and puffed
- Shrewd
- Lunch holder
- Tokyo's old name
- Canonized one
- Beer-like brew
- Joke that won't work on radio
- On the briny
- Thy
- Theater staffer
- Treeless tract
- Blond shade
- Ark builder
- Long-popular jazz tune
- Shrek, for one
- Pirouette pivot
- Car
- German city
- Finish
- Encounter

**DOWN**

- Mischievous tyke
- "Humbly!"
- Altar affirmative
- Guard
- Chorus member
- Shooter ammo
- Annoying follower
- Drop from a will
- Opposed
- Read cursorily
- Rodgers collaborator
- Lamb's mama
- Salamander
- Dogfight participants
- Gully
- Shrek, for one
- Awestruck
- Pipe type
- Loaf of French bread
- Wild party
- Sheltered
- Paraphernalia
- Halt
- It's handy if you have to break your word
- Religious retreat
- Handle
- Uppity one
- Takeout phrase
- Deserve
- On in years
- Charged bit
- Regret
- Corroded
- Obtained

**ANSWERS TO KING CROSSWORDS MARCH 19**

### GO FIGURE!

by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

	x		-		31
+			-		
	-		x		28
x		x		x	
	x		x		42
26		21		35	

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

DIFFICULTY: ★ Moderate ★★ Difficult ★★ ★ GO FIGURE!

### TOP SPINNING CONTEST

**YOU'RE THE TOPS!** Well, you will be if you can spot the two tops above that are exactly alike. The time limit is one minute.

**Question #3:** Can you think of a four-letter word that, when three of its letters are removed, the meaning will remain the same?

**A TRICKY WORD-SQUARE!** See if you can make the correct words appear in this puzzle. To solve this word-square, you must find the four five-letter words that match the definitions below. All words must read the same both across and down.

- The art of conjuring (MAGIC, in place).
- A place for sports.
- A costume.
- Accustom to unpleasantness.
- A plan for robbery.

MAGIC  
 AG  
 I  
 C

### Junior Whirl!

by Charles Barry Townsend

**SPIN-N-SPELL**

You'll be "tops" if you can figure out the words asked for in the hints given below. Each word contains the word "tops" either at the beginning or at the end.

- Businessmen love them.
- Famous in WWII.
- Found on boats.
- Needed in basketball.
- A must for farmers.
- Runs coast-to-coast.
- Found on cameras.
- The baddest animal of all.

### Wishing Well

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7 8 2 4 2 7 2 7 2 3 8 4 6  
 R F L A O E V L E M O P Y  
 7 3 6 7 6 4 3 5 3 5 2 7 3  
 A O O T U E R A E L E I T  
 6 8 3 6 3 8 3 4 7 5 7 8 5  
 T L I H M L E R V O E O V  
 4 6 4 2 3 4 5 8 3 8 4 2 7  
 S R O X T N I W O I A T S  
 8 7 4 3 6 7 8 3 2 3 8 7 6  
 N V L D I I T A E Y U S V  
 2 5 8 7 4 5 9 6 7 2 8 5 8  
 N N I I V G T E T D I E O  
 4 2 8 4 5 4 2 5 4 5 4 5 4  
 I E N C V T D E O N R T Y

# Graham Music Studios places first in several categories



Left: Showbros from Graham Music Studios wins Platinum and First Place Overall at Access Broadway, a national talent competition held in Orlando. Graham Music Studio's group Showbros competed against other performing arts studios from around Florida and came out on top. Showbros is the first ever all-male vocal group made of the elite singers from around Pasco County.

Right: Showbros show off their winning check for First Place Overall. Best Broadway Group includes: Connor Mirrop, Kevin Grumbley, Ryan Mish, Parker Medlin, Kellen Kender, Roman Ricardo, Rhett Ricardo, Ben Worthy, Reagan Ricardo and Zachary Trenkle.



Left: Graham Music Studio's middle group, Showbiz also received the very highest rating of a Platinum and placed third overall for their performance of "I Can Hear The Bells" from "Hairspray." The girls in their group are: Sarah Atkins, Carly Bowling, Katarina Carroll, Giana Como, Isabella Como, Kendall Grumbley, Sarah Hoerbelt, Makayla Madison, Ashlyn Masson, Larkin Mainwaring, Kassie Miller, Rio Ricardo, Mackenzie Robinson, Rayton Rodgers, Mackenzie Trenkle, Keaton Ward and Karis Williams.

# Women's Club of Lake Jovita presents Pasco County Sheriff is office with \$22,500



Pasco County Sheriff Chris Nocco accepted a \$22,500 from the Women's Club of Lake Jovita. The check presentation was the culmination of eight months of aggressive fundraising to raise funds to purchase and train two new K-9 officers.

Each K-9 recruit costs \$10,000. The extra monies they raise will be used towards body armor, dog food, vet bills, or any needs of their K-9's. One will bear the name K-9 Jojo after Lake Jovita. The second will be named Hunter.

"We held a fundraiser at a new pet store in Wesley Chapel called Max's as well as sold raffle tickets," explained club president Sharon Boreland. "The live and silent auctions were a huge success—we even had a kayak that went for \$1,000."

"All of our K-9s are community donated," explained lead public information officer for the PCSO Amanda Hunter. "We currently have five dogs in training right now, and three of those will be patrol dogs. Our behavioral health intervention team has been approved to get certified and will also be responding to calls with trained therapy dogs."

The officers briefly explained to the group the benefits of having the K-9 units to assist in their daily duties. When most people think of a K-9, they think of German Shepherds, but that's just one of the breeds they train. The PCSO uses Labradors for tasks like seeking life signs in a disaster or sniffing out narcotics. Bloodhounds are

used to track criminals on the run or missing persons. Dogs often get a second specialty. For instance, a Lab trained to sniff out narcotics can also be used to recover evidence.

The journey started in May with a few members kicking around the idea of the fundraiser. It was decided that a K-9 fundraiser would be the direction everyone wanted to take. The idea was presented to the women's club board and then the 180 members who made this the most successful fundraiser in the history of the club. Raffle ticket were sold for a weeks stay at two condos, Barefoot Beach Resort in Indian Shores and another at The River Stone Resort in Pigeon Forge, which were generously donated to the cause by member Gloria Provenzano. Funds from the sale of 50/50 tickets at the club's monthly meetings were also donated to the cause. Another fundraiser was held at the Grand Opening of Max's Natural Pet Market and Salon in Wesley Chapel.

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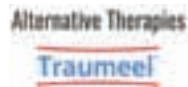
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Heather comes to us with 22 years of experience as a registered nurse and medical provider. She has extensive experience in urgent care and wound care. Graduating from Florida Southern College with a 4.0 GPA, she brings a high level of academic achievement. Her experience as a wound care provider adds unique approach to challenging infections and rashes. She is also a certified Basic Life Support Instructor and enjoys training the community in life-saving skills.



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# Advent Health

## Enhanced screening and visitation

To ensure the safety of our patients and care team members, AdventHealth will be implementing enhanced screening measures for patients, visitors and vendors at all Hillsborough, Hardee, Highlands, Marion, Pasco and Pinellas county hospital locations, effective March 13.

All patients, visitors and visitors will be screened for international and cruise travel in the past 14 days, asked if they have had contact with someone with a known or suspected respiratory illness; and will be asked if they are experiencing symptoms of a respiratory infection such as fever, cough, sore throat.

Anyone who answers yes to any of the screening questions will be unable to visit and will be provided information on where to receive appropriate care. We encourage visitors who may be sick to FaceTime, Skype or call their loved ones who may be in our care.

Patients who have appointments scheduled at an AdventHealth Medical Group location are being reminded if they have a fever, cough, or flu symptoms, if they have traveled internationally in the past two weeks, or if they have been in close proximity of anyone with a confirmed or presumed positive case of (COVID-19) to call their Primary Care Provider before visiting the office.

## Surge Plan

As more cases of coronavirus are diagnosed across the state, AdventHealth West Florida Division campuses are preparing for a possible surge in incoming patients who require testing. It is our goal to provide the safest, most adequate care for those needing our services. At this time, AdventHealth is preparing locations outside of our hospital emergency rooms to triage patients who require care.

We plan to implement plans as early as next week and will begin drills to refine our processes. Additionally, we will be identifying testing sites in the community for patients who have been evaluated by a health care provider and recommended for testing. We are working closely with our supply chain to ensure we have adequate supplies to protect our care team members, patients and visitors. We will continue to follow the protocols established by the CDC and the Department of Health.

## Testing kits

In an effort to assist with the possible influx of patients being tested for coronavirus (COVID-19) and make it easy for consumers needing care, AdventHealth Medical Group West Florida Division has established a centralized location for testing patients who have been referred by an AdventHealth physician. Once at the centralized location, a physician in protective gear will meet the patient at their vehicle and test for COVID-19. The samples will then be sent to the Department of Health of verification.



Above: Lamplighter Furniture on Main Street is among several downtown businesses to stay open during numerous restrictions as a result of the coronavirus outbreak.

Below: The old Jeffries House is home to Main Street Zephyrhills.



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Zephyrhills, is not overly optimistic that the shutdown will end in the near future. Nonetheless, she is hopeful that businesses will reopen sooner rather than later.

"Honestly, we're a little scared with what's going on right now," said Stutzriem, who in her role is entrusted with promoting downtown events and ensuring that businesses in that corridor thrive. "I'm really hoping that our small businesses can recover from this."

While non-essential businesses are closed, emergency and essential ones remain open. Some, like restaurants, grocery stores and gas stations, are partially open and are making situational adjustments.

The Chowder House, a seafood restaurant on State Road 54, is making due by serving to-go orders only and offering free delivery with owner Tom Sawyer reporting mixed results.

"Business, of course, has dropped but we're doing enough to sustain," he said. "I have an amazing staff that wants to keep it going."

Sawyer said he still has regular customers ordering, noting that the Chowder House "has been their favorite place to come to eat and they want to support us."

That support has been evident at Lamplighter Furniture as well. "Fair" is how owner Carolyn Koppelberger described how her business is getting by during these challenging times. "It's probably going to get worse, but who knows."

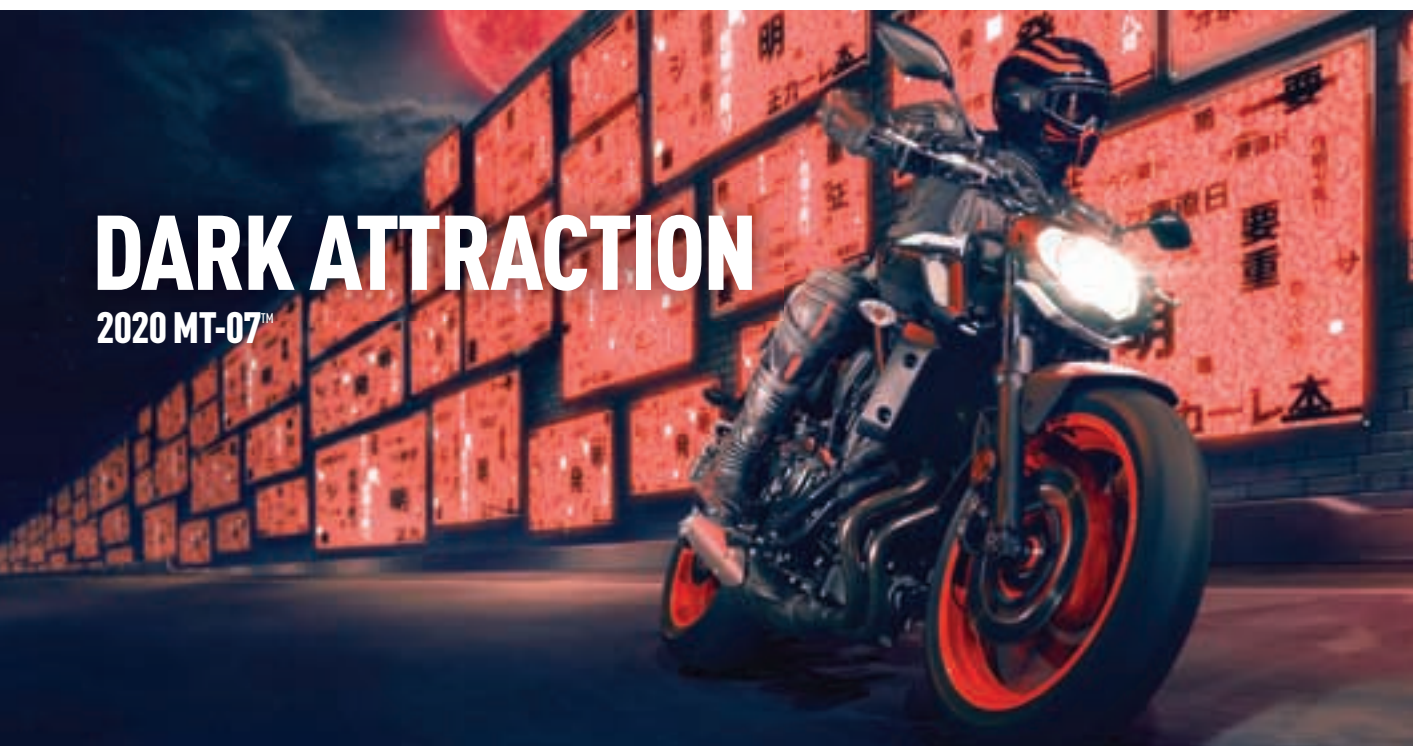
Cassandra Trehuba, a hairdresser at Southern Style in San Antonio, noted that things have been a bit busy of late.

"Everybody's trying to get in here before everywhere else is closed down," she said, adding, "We've had some cancel only because they're afraid to come out."

In such an unprecedented situation with many business owners never having to deal with anything like this, the Zephyrhills Chamber of Commerce has reached out to its members with a crisis-communication-recovery plan.

"We have contacted 99 percent of our business members and we found that most of them were optimistic," said Melonie Monson, the chamber's executive director. "Our restaurants, they mostly slow down anyway (at this time of year), so they felt like they were going to be okay."

A major help, notably to downtown businesses, would be a halt to the shutdown sometime soon so events could lure people to the area once again.



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