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Is Jimmy Done Now?

Below readers will find the timeline EPP printed before the primary election for Sheriff between Ray Nolen and Jimmy Fullen. With the backing of the Galveston County machine and big money supporters, Jimmy Fullen won that primary. Things have changed since then and the issues brought up late in the campaign have now had real consequences. TCOLE, Texas Commission On Law Enforcement has recommended that Jimmy Fullen lose his law enforcement license based on their extensive investigation which may hold more than what is listed below. There are a number of steps involved to ensure Fullen has his rights protected, but if his law enforcement license is revoked, he would be ineligible to hold the office of Sheriff.

This process of complaint and investigation was begun by retired GCSO Sgt. Kenneth Williams who assembled the various data and filed the complaint. EPP commends Williams for taking on the kingmakers and their hand-picked candidate so that the public can know who might be their chief law enforcement officer in the county. In an ideal world, the former primary candidate Ray Nolen would be tapped to take the place of Fullen on the ballot, as he has a stellar record of employment and performance in law enforcement and public safety. EPP hopes readers will stay alert and informed on this developing situation as Fullen insists that he will be your next Sheriff.

Sheriff Candidate Jimmy Fullen's Timeline

- 1979-1981: Attended Galveston Ball High School
- 1982: Charged with assault causing bodily injury using a baseball bat
- 1983: Convicted and placed on probation deferred adjudication
- 1985: Received GED
- 1987: Received Texas Peace Officer license
- July 1, 1987: Started first police job at Electra PD (left after 9 months)
- April 15, 1988: Started second police job at Crystal Beach, Texas (left 10 months later)
- February 6, 1989: Started third police job at Electra PD (left after 10 months)
- September 21, 1989: Accused of assault causing bodily injury at Harbor West Disco club in Galveston, Texas.
- August 16th 1989: TERMINATED FROM ELECTRA PD. INSUBORDINATION
- September 28, 1989: Charged for the assault causing bodily injury documented on county records.
- October 18, 1989: Texas Peace Officer decertified and placed on a watchdog group list for violations found under the Brady Act (Brady list) (USA Today article)
- November 28, 1989: Assault causing bodily injury charge dismissed for insufficient evidence.
- October 25, 1990: Started fourth police job at Galveston County Pct 3 Constable
- October 30th 1990 federal tax lien filed on Fullen.
- March 23, 1992: Started fifth police job at Galveston ISD Police and became Chief after approximately 10 years
- May 31st 1994 federal tax lien filed on Fullen.
- October 2004: Left Galveston ISD Police due to failure to obtain required education mandated by Texas Commission in Law Enforcement to be a Chief. During his time he had complaints filed by officers for racial discrimination, retaliating against one of the employees and showing favoritism towards a family member. All counts were founded to be true with the exception of racial discrimination.
- April 18, 2005: Started sixth police job at Port of Galveston PD (worked for 2 months)
- June 20, 2005: Started seventh police job at Texas City Police Department (left on December 1, 2008). The personal history statement revealed falsification by omission for the 1989 assault causing bodily injury and omitting two agencies he had worked for previously.
- April 10, 2007: Filed lawsuit against Galveston ISD for racial discrimination. Case was dismissed.
- January 1, 2009: Became elected Galveston County Constable of Pct 4
- October 24, 2011 Santa Fe ISD filed suit against Fullen for failing to pay school taxes.
- November 20, 2011 Fullen filed a response to the Santa Fe ISD tax suit stating he looked over his records and found that he had not paid his school taxes.
- September 2023 TCOLE Fullen was out of compliance with his license for failure to maintain the required training for the training cycle ending September 1st 2023. He had 14 out of the required 40 hours.
- * It was recently discovered that Fullen had not completed his personal history statements for Pct 2. Constable and Texas City Reserves.
- October 26th 2023 Fullen completed personal history statement for pct 2 (8 months late).
- * Fullen is currently under a TCOLE administrative investigation for falsifying government records (personal history statements)

Time line documents through public information request and governmental online accessible documents.

EPP Shares Viewpoint

As regular readers know, EPP has been on a bit of a tear to get the current Parks Director/Destroyer Julie Diaz to do her job and repair and maintain the public facilities that have been entrusted to her care. Painfully slow and always minimal progress has been made in a few areas, but the overarching problem of her not being willing to put the parks and the public first remain.

On June 12th, EPP had the opportunity to attend a public workshop hosted by professionals at Walter Hall Park. There, substantial feedback was provided to professionals not associated with the Parks Department as their mission is to provide critical feedback to Commissioners Court and others regarding the future of the individual parks and the parks system. Other members of the public also provided their critical feedback at this workshop. In conversation with the good folks hosting this event, it was learned that they had actually been to many of the parks and saw with their own eyes the state of disrepair of the parks system. EPP also pointed out that public buildings controlled by Diaz are not freely accessible by the handicapped due to actions she has unilaterally taken and that have been repeatedly pointed out in these pages.

For those who did not attend, feel free to provide feedback directly to Ms. Diaz through the contact information EPP provides in nearly every issue.

Julie Diaz
Galveston County
Director of Parks
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Cultural Services'

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Restaurant Review

In the first week of June, EPP and a friend stopped in for lunch at Craft 96 on of all things, 96 in League City. Service from Jarod, the waiter/bartender was great and the selection of beers was quite impressive. Each of us had a different pint at \$6 and \$7 respectively. The beer was good, though it was disappointing that they did not offer samples to taste before making a choice. The chicken fried steak with garlic mashed potatoes was good, in fact the mashed potatoes were excellent. The chicken fried steak was good, but rather bland and a bit skimpy on the gravy. The other item on the table was the smoked gouda + mushroom burger with avocado and fries. The burger and fries were reported to be excellent with the fries particularly well done. Pre-tip, the total was just a bit over \$50 for two meals and two pints of beer. It should be noted that this is not a brewery, but they served many brands including from Galveston Bay Brewing which is just over in Clear Lake Shores. Craft 96 will be put on EPP's occasional lunch list with decent food, good beer selection and what these days passes for moderate prices.

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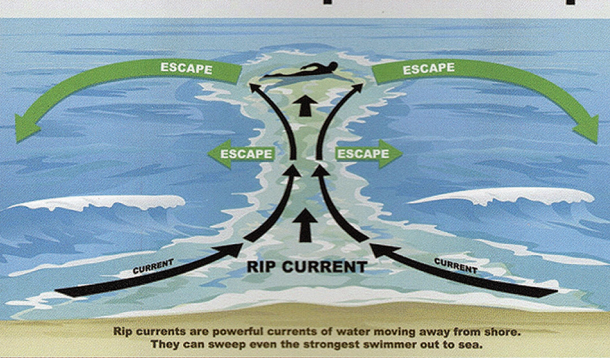
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STATEPOINT CROSSWORD

THEME: SUMMER BLOCKBUSTERS

ACROSS

- Molten rock in earth's crust
- Scarlett Johansson's 2013 voice only role
- Jezebel's idol
- Not silently
- Pro vote
- Italian bowling
- Proclaimed as true without proof
- Rob Manfred's org.
- Savory taste sensation
- *Tom Cruise's 1986 blockbuster
- *It featured the song "What Was I Made For?"
- Wrath, e.g.
- Milton Bradley's "The Game of ____"
- General Post Office
- A woodwind
- Group of trained professionals, pl.
- Icy precipitation
- Concert units
- Charles Dickens' Heep
- Scandinavian capital
- Rebroadcasted
- Khrushchev's domain, acr.
- *What the gang did in 1988's "A Fish Called Wanda"
- Exploding star
- Clarified butter
- Airport surface
- Highway hauler
- Breed
- Miss Muffet's repast
- Not flow
- *Tim Burton's 1989 and 1992 title character
- *It featured the song "Summer Lovin'"
- Popular fashion magazine
- Road in Rome
- Comment to the audience
- Deposit the ashes
- Giant Hall-of-Famer Mel ____
- Canine skin infection
- Humble and docile
- Name badges, acr.
- Streamlined

DOWN

- Bonkers
- Sir Mix-____-____
- Kind of boots in the '60s
- One M in MMR vaccine
- Slowly and gracefully, in music
- Mass number
- Snake-like reef dweller
- Teacher of Torah
- **"Oppenheimer" subject
- Popular smoothie berry
- Pinnacle
- Hula dancer's necklace
- B in FBI
- Open up
- Half of NFL
- a.k.a. Hansen's disease
- *1990 Swayze/Moore blockbuster
- Trattoria staple
- Petroleum tanker
- *It premiered in the U.K. on 6/6/76, with The
- Chemical cure
- Revered Hindu
- Drawing support
- *2001 blockbuster ogre
- Type of rich soil
- "Keep this information" button
- Name-chooser
- Wyatt Earp and such
- Cuban dance syllable
- Letter-resembling supports
- End of a poem
- Primary
- Like certain china
- Malaria symptom
- Ankara native
- Gangster's pistols
- Cosine's buddy
- U2 member
- Vigor's partner
- It would
- Comic book cry of horror

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SOLUTION TO CROSSWORD AND SUDOKU ON PAGE 7



San Leon MUD Update



Hurricane Season

There have been a number of new folks moving to San Leon, so for those not in the know, hurricane season is here! Atlantic hurricane season begins June 1st and lasts until November 30th, with peak season from mid-August to late October. Galveston County Office of Emergency Management (GCOEM), has several resources available on its website, www.gcoem.org, including preparation guides for adults and kids, as well as links to sign up for the State of Texas Emergency Assistance Registry, a free registry that provides local emergency planners and emergency responders with additional information on the needs in the community.

Brush Bundling & Debris Removal

With hurricane season here, be sure to clean up your property, removing any debris that may block drainage or become projectiles in the event of high winds. While Galveston County is not responsible for picking up brush or debris, Texas Pride will pick up brush that's placed in clear, individual piles measuring no larger than 3' x 3' x 3' or tied and bundled and under 50 pounds.

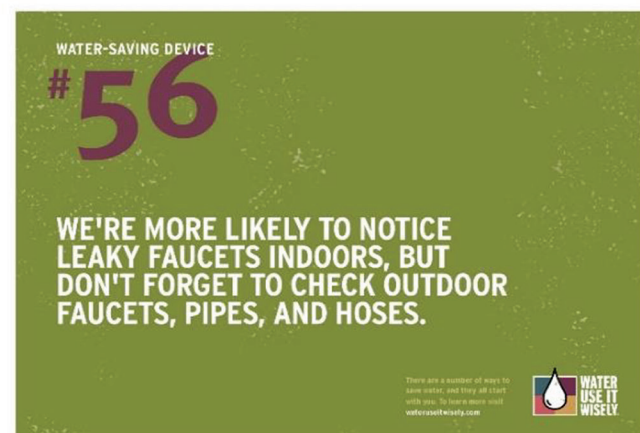
The MUD meetings are open to the public & are typically held on the third Tuesday of every month at 6:30 PM. Agendas can be found three days before the meeting at the MUD office or online at www.slmud.org

Dates to Remember

June 14 – Flag Day
 June 16 – Father's Day
 June 19 – Juneteenth (office closed)
 June 18, 6:30 PM
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- 3 scallions, chopped
- 2 tbsp. chopped sweet roasted red peppers
- 3/4 c. shredded Swiss cheese
- 1/3 c. grated Parmesan cheese
- 1 tsp. prepared horseradish
- 1 tbsp. Worcestershire
- 1 tbsp. milk
- 1/4 tsp. garlic powder
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 1/8 tsp. freshly ground black pepper
- 2 tbsp. chopped slivered almonds
- 1 scallion, green part only, chopped, for garnish

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Grease an 8x8 inch baking dish.

In a bowl, mix together cream cheese, crabmeat, scallions, roasted peppers, Swiss cheese, Parmesan, horseradish, Worcestershire, milk, garlic powder, salt and pepper.

Transfer mixture to prepared baking dish. Bake for 20 to 25 minutes, or until bubbly around edges. Top with almonds and bake for 5 minutes more.

Garnish with chopped green scallions.

Makes 25 servings.

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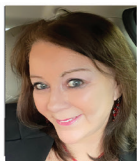
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