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ALPINE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board votes to advance 2-way split configuration study

BY CURTIS BOOKER
Daily Herald

The Alpine School District will send a two-way split configuration to the Utah County clerk for certification. The move garnered a 4-3 vote during Tuesday’s school board meeting and narrows down their options to divide the district from two proposals to just one.

On April 30, the board met and

recommended to look at two different configuration options but had to wait before submitting a plan for certification. The school board was advised that an entity can only submit one proposal for certification, Superintendent Shane Farnsworth explained during Tuesday’s meeting. The configuration would form one district made up of schools essentially on the west side of Utah Lake,

Saratoga Springs, Eagle Mountain, Fairfield and Cedar Fort. Another new district would encompass cities to the east from Lehi to Orem. Meanwhile, 10 of the 14 cities in the district voted late last month to form separate interlocal agreements. During the school board’s April 23 meeting, Lance Richards of the MGT consulting firm, which conducted the study, told board members that

a majority of respondents voted to keep the district in tact as one; but if a split were to happen, a two-way option was preferred. “Based on all this, we’re comfortable in recommending that ASD bring forth a vote on two, (a) potential two-way configuration,” Richards said at the time. The vote doesn’t assure a spot on the ballot for the district split proposal. Pending certification by the

Utah County clerk, the board would hold an additional meeting May 28 and begin a 45-day public comment period. Citizens then would have opportunities to weigh in at public hearings — the first potentially to be held June 11 and another June 25. From there, the board could decide in mid-July whether the configuration proposal makes the November ballot.

UTAH LEGISLATURE

Lawmakers mull election code update due to mail processing changes

Some counties get mail sent through Las Vegas, which could lead to delays getting ballots to voters under current law

BY CARLENE COOMBS
Daily Herald

After the U.S. Postal Service transitioned the Provo mail processing center to a local processing center, about five counties in southern Utah now have their mail go through the USPS center in Las Vegas. But because Utah utilizes universal mail-in voting, the federal change raises some questions among legislators regarding ballot delivery. Currently, the Utah election code requires that election officers ensure that “when the bulk of ballots are initially mailed to voters, the ballots are mailed from a location in Utah.” During a legislative committee Wednesday, lawmakers voted to open up a bill file to consider adjusting that requirement to allow counties that use the Las Vegas processing center to send ballots directly to the center rather than having to go to a Utah center first. Brian McKenzie, Davis County clerk, addressed the Government Operations Interim Committee, explaining that by requiring ballots to be initially sent from Utah,

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An undated photo of Samantha Corey, who died in January of soft tissue cancer.

Celebrating Samantha

Student who died of cancer to be honored at graduation

BY CURTIS BOOKER
Daily Herald

Samantha Corey loved the Boston Celtics professional basketball team. Just before Christmas in 2023, she had the chance to attend one of their home games and even met her favorite player, Jaylen Brown, who gifted her a golden basketball. A dream come true for a life that would soon be cut short. Corey was diagnosed with a rare form of cancer called rhabdomyosarcoma when she was

a sophomore at American Fork High School. Her mother, Kimberly, says their family remained hopeful chemotherapy and treatment would work, but she relapsed last May and again this past November. Kimberly Corey says her daughter was a fighter and wanted to continue with treatment even though it was clear, with the cancer becoming terminal, Samantha wouldn’t have much time left.

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This photo shows Samantha Corey, center, and her family at a Boston Celtics basketball game in December.

OREM

Cheesecake Factory to open at University Place on July 2

BY CARLENE COOMBS
Daily Herald

The Cheesecake Factory will be open for business at University Place in Orem starting July 2, according to a press release. The new restaurant was

first announced early this year in January and will replace the Los Hermanos Mexican restaurant, which has since moved back to its original home in Provo. Cheesecake Factory has two

other locations in Utah, one in Salt Lake City at the City Creek Mall and a second in Murray at the Fashion Place Mall. “When we ask customers at University Place what new restaurant they most want,

Cheesecake Factory always tops the list,” said Danny Woodbury, senior vice president of leasing at Woodbury Corp, in a January press release first announcing the new restaurant.

Aside from cheesecake, the restaurant offers an expansive menu featuring salads, sandwiches, pasta, seafood and steaks. To prepare for opening, Cheesecake Factory is hiring

for hundreds of staff positions, such as servers and line cooks. Los Hermanos, which held the restaurant space Cheesecake Factory is moving into, reopened in Provo in February, according to a Facebook post.

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NATIONAL SUMMARY: Thunderstorms capable of producing hail and damaging winds will stretch from southwestern Indiana to Texas today. In central Texas, an isolated tornado cannot be ruled out. The risk of flash flooding will be significant in southeastern Texas, where heavy rain has fallen recently. Most of the West Coast will remain dry.

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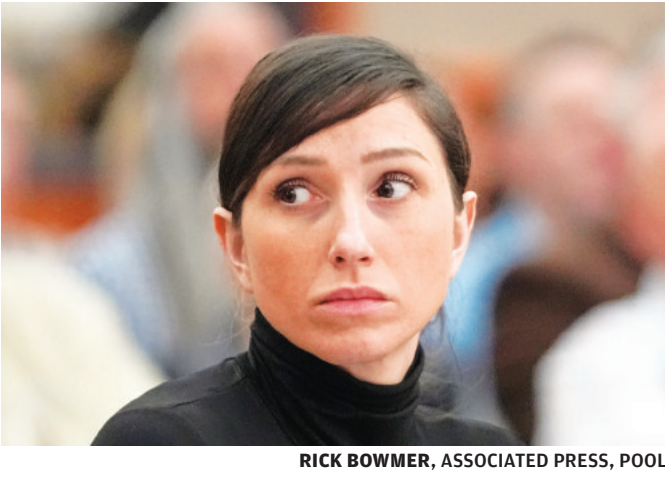
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RICK BOWMER, ASSOCIATED PRESS, POOL

Kouri Richins, a Utah mother of three, who wrote a children's book about coping with grief after her husband's death and was later accused of fatally poisoning him, looks on during a hearing Wednesday in Park City.

Hearing delayed for Kouri Richins

BY HANNAH SCHOENBAUM
Associated Press

PARK CITY — A Utah judge on Wednesday postponed a hearing to determine if prosecutors have enough evidence to proceed to trial in the case of a woman charged with fatally poisoning her husband before she published a children's book about coping with grief.

Judge Richard Mrazik delayed the hearing until June 18-20 after prosecutors said they would need three days to present their evidence against Kouri Richins, whose lawyer says she is innocent.

Richins, 33, is charged with aggravated murder and other counts in her husband's March 2022 fentanyl overdose death at their home in the mountain town of Park City. Prosecutors allege that she slipped five times' the lethal dose of the synthetic opioid into a cocktail that her 39-year-old husband, Eric Richins, drank.

She previously tried to kill him with a spiked sandwich on Valentine's Day, prosecutors allege.

Kouri Richins was having an affair at the time of her husband's death and wanted to leave him but was worried that she might lose custody of their children and face financial difficulties in a divorce, prosecutors allege in court documents. They say she killed him for financial reasons and because she saw a future with her lover.

In the months leading up to her arrest last May, the mother of three self-published a children's book, "Are You with Me?," about a father with angel wings watching over his young son after dying. The book could play a key role for prosecutors in framing Eric Richins' death as a calculated killing with an elaborate cover-up attempt.

Among the witnesses who could be called during the June hearing are relatives of the defendant and her late husband, a housekeeper who claims to have sold Kouri Richins the drugs, and friends of Eric Richins who have recounted phone conversations from the day prosecutors say he was first poisoned by his wife of nine years.

Defense attorney Skye Lazaro has argued that the evidence against her client is dubious and circumstantial. She suggested the housekeeper had motivation to lie as she sought leniency in the face of drug charges, and that Eric Richins' sisters had a clear bias against her client amid a battle over his estate and a related assault case.



WHAT TO EAT 4 DINNER MAY 19-25

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Quick Shrimp Tacos	BBQ Chicken Bacon Avocado Sandwich	Avocado Strawberry Spinich Salad	Easy Baked Flautas (Taquitos)	Homemade Waffle Love	Chicken Nachos	Rotisserie Chicken Salad Sandwiches

QUICK SHRIMP TACOS

- Sharp Cheddar Cheese - 1 1/2 cups, grated
- Yellow Onion - 1 item, Chopped into thick chunks
- Roma Tomatoes - 5 items
- Corn Tortillas - 8 each
- Limes - 2, halved
- Iceberg Lettuce - 1 head
- Sour Cream - 1/2 cup
- Taco Seasoning - 1 container
- Shrimp - 2 bags, defrosted
- Cilantro - 1 bunch

INSTRUCTIONS:

Defrost shrimp – can be overnight in the refrigerator or with cold water. Place shrimp in non-stick pan on medium heat. Chop lettuce, 2 tomatoes and ½ onion, slice 1 lime, place in separate bowls. Finely chop cilantro, remaining onion and tomatoes, place in 1 bowl and mix together with juice from ½ of a lime.

Once the shrimp are thoroughly heated, drain excess water, place back on stove, low heat, season with taco seasoning to taste, heat for another 2 to 3 minutes. While the shrimp are heating with the seasoning, take ½ cup of sour cream and mix with taco seasoning to taste, and juice of ½ lime, to taste.

Mix thoroughly. Place corn shells in a damp paper towel and in microwave for 15 to 30 seconds to steam. Build tacos and enjoy!



ROTISSERIE CHICKEN SALAD SANDWICHES

- Mayonnaise - 3/4 cup
- Croissant Rolls - 1 package
- Poultry Seasoning - 1/2 teaspoon
- Celery - 2 stalks, washed, chopped
- Fresh Lemon Juice - 1 tablespoon
- Grapes - 1 cup, washed and cut in half
- Rotisserie Chicken - 5 cups
- Salt - 1/2 teaspoon

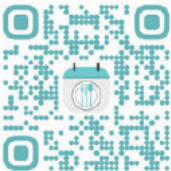
INSTRUCTIONS:

Remove and shred the meat from the rotisserie chicken and place in a bowl. In a separate bowl combine mayonnaise, lemon juice, poultry seasoning and salt and stir really well. Combine the chicken and celery with the mayonnaise mixture. Mix well and chill in the fridge for 30 minutes.



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Menu plan curated by Deidre Roush



Slovakia’s Prime Minister Fico hurt in assassination attempt

BY BELA SZANDELSZKY
AND KAREL JANICEK
Associated Press

BANSKA BYSTRICA, Slovakia — Slovakia’s populist prime minister, Robert Fico, was shot multiple times and gravely wounded Wednesday while greeting supporters at an event in an attempted assassination that shocked the small country and reverberated across Europe weeks before an election.

Doctors were still fighting for his life several hours after the pro-Russian leader, 59, was hit in the abdomen, Defense Minister Robert Kalina told reporters at the hospital where Fico was being treated.

An operation on Fico was not yet complete, said Kalina, who described his condition as “extraordinarily serious.”

Five shots were fired outside a cultural center in the town of Handlova, nearly 85 miles northeast of the capital, government officials said. Fico was shot while attending a meeting of his government in the town of 16,000 that was once a center of coal mining.

A suspect was in custody, and an initial investigation found “a clear political motivation” behind the assassination attempt, Interior Minister Matus Sutaj Estok said as he briefed reporters alongside the defense minister.

Fico has long been a divisive figure in Slovakia and beyond, but his return to power last year on a pro-Russian, anti-American message led to even greater worries among fellow European Union members that he would lead his country further from the Western mainstream.

Kicking off his fourth term as prime minister, his government halted arms deliveries to Ukraine, and critics worry that he will lead Slovakia — a nation of 5.4 million that belongs to NATO — to abandon its pro-Western course and follow in the footsteps of Hungary under populist Prime Minister Viktor Orbán.

Thousands have repeatedly rallied in the capital and across Slovakia to protest Fico’s policies.

A message posted to Fico’s Facebook account said he was taken to a hospital in Banská Bystrica, 17 miles from Handlova, because it would take too long to get to the capital, Bratislava.

The attack comes as political campaigning heats up three weeks ahead of Europe-wide elections to choose



JAN KROSLAK, TASR VIA AP

Rescue workers wheel Slovak Prime Minister Robert Fico, who was shot and injured, to a hospital in the town of Banska Bystrica, central Slovakia, on Wednesday. Fico was in life-threatening condition after being wounded in a shooting Wednesday afternoon, according to his Facebook profile.

lawmakers for the European Parliament. Concern is mounting that populist and nationalists similar to Fico could make gains in the 27-member bloc.

But politics as usual were put aside as the nation faced the shock of the attempt on Fico’s life.

“A physical attack on the prime minister is, first of all, an attack on a person, but it is also an attack on democracy,” outgoing President Zuzana Caputova, a political rival of Fico, said in a televised statement. “Any violence is unacceptable. The hateful rhetoric we’ve been witnessing in society leads to hateful actions. Please, let’s stop it.”

President-elect Peter Pellegrini, an ally of Fico, called the shooting “an unprecedented threat to Slovak democracy. If we express other political opinions with pistols in squares, and not in polling stations, we are jeopardizing everything that we have built together over 31 years of Slovak sovereignty.”

The recent elections that brought Fico and his allies to power have underlined deep social divisions, exacerbated by the war in Ukraine, Slovakia’s neighbor to the east.

Gábor Czímer, a political journalist at Slovakian news outlet Ujszo.com, said Fico’s return to power had uncovered signs that “Slovak society is strongly split into two camps” — one that is friendly toward Russia and another that pushes for stronger connections with the EU and the West.

“At the same time, I couldn’t imagine that it would lead to physical violence,” Czímer said.

Estok, the Slovak interior minister, told reporters outside the hospital that the country was “on the edge of a civil war” from the political tension.

“Such hateful comments are being made on social networks today, so please, let’s stop this immediately,” he said.

U.S. President Joe Biden said he was alarmed by the assassination attempt. “We condemn this horrific act of violence,” he said in a statement.

NATO Secretary-General Jens Stoltenberg posted on the social media platform X that he was “shocked and appalled” by the attempt on Fico’s life. European Commission President Ursula von der Leyen called it a “vile attack.”

Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy denounced the violence against a neighboring country’s head of government.

“Every effort should be made to ensure that violence does not become the norm in any country, form or sphere,” he said.

Slovakia’s Parliament was adjourned until further notice. The major opposition parties, Progressive Slovakia and Freedom and Solidarity, canceled a planned protest against a controversial government plan to overhaul public broadcasting that they say would give the government full control of public radio and television.

Russia’s Putin arrives in China for state visit

BY EMILY WANG FUJIYAMA
AND CHRIS BODEEN
Associated Press

BEIJING — Russia’s President Vladimir Putin landed Thursday in Beijing for a two-day state visit to China, in a show of unity between the authoritarian allies as Moscow presses forward with a new offensive in Ukraine.

Putin’s visit comes as Russia has become more economically dependent on China following Moscow’s full-scale invasion of Ukraine more than two years ago.

On the eve of the visit, Putin said in an interview with Chinese media that the Kremlin is prepared to negotiate over the conflict in Ukraine. “We are open to a dialogue on Ukraine, but such negotiations must take into account the interests of all countries involved in the conflict, including ours,” Putin was quoted as saying by the official Xinhua News Agency.

The Russian leader’s two-day trip comes as his country’s forces have pressed an offensive in northeastern Ukraine’s Kharkiv region that began last week in the most significant border incursion since the full-scale invasion began, forcing almost 8,000 people to flee their homes.

Along with Moscow’s efforts to build on its gains in the nearby Donetsk region, the 2-year-old war has entered a critical stage for Ukraine’s depleted military that is awaiting new supplies of anti-aircraft missiles and artillery shells from the United States.

“We have never refused to negotiate,” Putin was quoted as saying by Xinhua. “We are seeking a comprehensive, sustainable and just settlement of this conflict through peaceful means. We are open to a dialogue on Ukraine, but such negotiations must take into account the interests of all countries involved in the conflict, including ours.”

Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy has said any negotiations must include a restoration of Ukraine’s territorial integrity, the withdrawal of Russian troops, the release of all prisoners, a tribunal for those responsible for the aggression, and security guarantees for Ukraine.

China claims to take a neutral position in the conflict, but has backed Moscow’s contentions that Russia was provoked into attacking Ukraine by the West, despite Putin’s public avowals of his desire to restore Russia’s century-old borders as the reason for his assault.

Putin has blamed the West for the failure of negotiations in the opening weeks of the war and praised China’s peace plan for Ukraine that would allow Moscow to cement its territorial gains.

“Beijing proposes practicable and constructive steps to achieve peace by refraining from pursuing vested interests and constant escalation of tensions, minimizing the negative impact of the conflict on the global economy,” he had said.

Putin said a Chinese proposal in 2023, which Ukraine and the West rejected, could “lay the groundwork for a political and diplomatic process that would take into account Russia’s security concerns and contribute to achieving a long-term and sustainable peace.”

The Kremlin said in a statement that during their talks this week, Putin and Chinese leader Xi Jinping will “have a detailed discussion on the entire range of issues related to the comprehensive partnership and strategic cooperation and determine the new directions for further development of cooperation between Russia and China and also have a detailed exchange of opinions on the most acute international and regional issues.”

The visit further the effort by China and Russia to topple the U.S.-led Western democratic order in favor of a more authoritarian model that crushes political opposition, human rights and freedom of speech. Putin began a fifth term in office this month.

Speaking Tuesday in the upper house of Russian parliament, Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov said Moscow and Beijing are “objectively interested in maintaining our lead in efforts to establish a more fair and democratic world order.”

“Russia and China aren’t alone in their efforts to reform an international system and help establish a multipolar global order,” he said.

Lavrov noted that the “duet of Moscow and Beijing plays a major balancing role in global affairs,” adding that “the Russian president’s forthcoming visit to (China) will strengthen our joint work.”

Moscow has forged increasingly close ties with Beijing as the war has dragged into a third year, diverting the bulk of its energy exports to China and relying on Chinese companies for importing high-tech components for Russian military industries to circumvent Western sanctions.

Fewer US overdose deaths were reported last year

BY MIKE STOBBE
Associated Press

NEW YORK — The number of U.S. fatal overdoses fell last year, according to Centers for Disease Control and Prevention data posted Wednesday.

Agency officials noted the data is provisional and could change after more analysis, but that they still expect a drop when the final counts are in. It would be only the second annual decline since the current national drug death epidemic began more than three decades ago.

Experts reacted cautiously. One described the decline as relatively small, and said it should be thought more as part of a leveling off than a decrease. Another noted that the last time a decline occurred — in 2018 — drug deaths shot up in the years that followed.

“Any decline is encouraging,” said Brandon Marshall, a Brown University researcher who studies overdose trends. “But I think it’s certainly premature to celebrate or to draw any large-scale conclusions about where we may be headed long-term with this crisis.”

It’s also too soon to know what spurred the decline, Marshall and other experts said. Explanations could include shifts in the drug supply, expansion of overdose prevention and addiction treatment, and the grim possibility that the epidemic has killed so many that now there are basically fewer people to kill.

CDC Chief Medical Officer Dr. Deb Houry called the dip “heartening news” and praised efforts to reduce the tally, but she noted “there are still families and friends losing their loved ones to drug overdoses at staggering numbers.”

About 107,500 people died



MARK SCHIEFELBEIN, ASSOCIATED PRESS

A container of Narcan, a brand name version of the opioid overdose-reversal drug naloxone, sits on a table following a demonstration at the Health and Human Services Humphrey Building on Sept. 8 in Washington.

of overdoses in the U.S. last year, including both American citizens and non-citizens who were in the country at the time they died, the CDC estimated. That’s down 3% from 2022, when there were an estimated 111,000 such deaths, the agency said.

The drug overdose epidemic, which has killed more than 1 million people since 1999, has had many ripple effects. For example, a study published last week in JAMA Psychiatry estimated that more than 321,000 U.S. children lost a parent to a fatal drug overdose from 2011 to 2021.

“These children need support,” and are at a higher risk of mental health and drug use disorders themselves, said Dr. Nora Volkow, director of the National Institute on Drug Abuse, which helped lead the study. “It’s not just a loss of a person. It’s also the implications that loss has for the family left behind.”

Prescription painkillers once drove the nation’s overdose epidemic, but they were supplanted years ago by heroin and more recently by illegal fentanyl. The dan-

gerously powerful opioid was developed to treat intense pain from ailments like cancer but has increasingly been mixed with other drugs in the illicit drug supply.

For years, fentanyl was frequently injected, but increasingly it’s being smoked or mixed into counterfeit pills.

A study published last week found that law enforcement seizures of pills containing fentanyl are rising dramatically, jumping from 44 million in 2022 to more than 115 million last year.

It’s possible that the seizures indicate that the overall supply of fentanyl-laced pills is growing fast, not necessarily that police are whittling

down the illicit drug supply, said one of the paper’s authors, Dr. Daniel Ciccarone of the University of California, San Francisco.

He noted that the decline in overdoses was not uniform. All but two of the states in the eastern half of the U.S. saw declines, but most western states saw increases. Alaska, Washington, and Oregon each saw 27% increases.

The reason? Many eastern states have been dealing with fentanyl for about a decade, while it’s reached western states more recently, Ciccarone said.

Nevertheless, some researchers say there are reasons to be optimistic. It’s possible that smoking fen-

tanyl is not as lethal as injecting it, but scientists are still exploring that question.

Meanwhile, more money is becoming available to treat addiction and prevent overdoses, through government funding and also through legal settlements with drug-

makers, wholesalers and pharmacies, Ciccarone noted.

“My hope is 2023 is the beginning of a turning point,” he said.

AP medical writer Carla K. Johnson contributed to this report.

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Elizabeth “Jane” Mangum was peacefully born on February 18th, 2024 after a calm day of laboring before passing two and half short months later. Jane had a tranquil demeanor and she often made us laugh. She slept well from the start, was easy to soothe, and loved to watch her sister play. Jane didn’t mind sleeping on her own but afternoon contact naps with mom were nonnegotiable. Jane liked to be held by all people and was patient in this way. Jane loved to be warm and was most comfortable wrapped in two blankets. After passing, Jane bravely donated her perfect heart so that another soul may continue to live on and



give joy to the world. She is a supreme example of charity and grace. Jane’s memory lives on in our hearts and we are sure she lives on as well. Mommy, daddy, and Big Sister love you infinitely, Jane.

Barbara Tait Murray, age 91 of Springville, passed away Wednesday, May 1, 2024. Services are under the direction of Wheeler Mortuary, 801-489-6021. For full details and to leave condolences, please visit www.wheelermortuaries.com

Gary Lynn Wagstaff

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another passion of his. He grew an annual vegetable garden and knew all the tricks for cultivating a large yield. Most of all, he treasured the time spent with his family during holidays

We are deeply saddened to announce the passing of our beloved father, Gary Lynn Wagstaff, on May 11, 2024. He was a devoted husband, loving father and grandfather, and cherished friend to many. Gary was born on November 2, 1950, in American Fork, Utah, to Roy and Catherine Wagstaff. He lived a life full of love, laughter, and hard work. Gary, otherwise known as Muzz, had a deep appreciation for the great outdoors and cherished spending time in nature. He found joy in camping, fishing, and hot springing, creating lasting memories and bonds with each adventure. Motorcycle rides and road trips were

and special occasions, creating precious moments and memories that will be forever cherished. Gary was a retired military veteran and served in the National Guard. He will be remembered for his sense of humor and a playful spirit that brightened the lives of those around him. He was known for his quick wit, infectious crooked grin, his ability to fix anything, and his skill in being the best painting contractor in town. Gary was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, where he found strength and guidance from throughout his life. Gary is preceded in death by his loving wife, Shanna Fay Wagstaff; parents, Roy

and Catherine; and brother, Jack Wagstaff. He is survived by his children, Brandon (Carmen) Wagstaff, Cody Wagstaff, Stacy Wagstaff, Amber (Jed) Horton, Christy (Hampton) Hampton, Cassie Wagstaff; 16 grandchildren; and brothers, David Wagstaff, Bruce (Debi) Wagstaff, and Rick Wagstaff. He will be deeply missed by his family and friends, and we await the time when we will be reunited. A viewing will be held on Friday, May 17th from 6:00-8:00 PM at Anderson & Sons Mortuary in American Fork. A funeral service will be held on Saturday, May 18th at 10:00 AM at the 8th Ward Chapel, 320 N 100 E, American Fork, Utah.

Kathryn Saxton Proctor passed away May 15, 2024. Arrangements entrusted to Anderson & Sons Mortuary, (801) 756-3564. <https://www.andersonmortuary.com/>

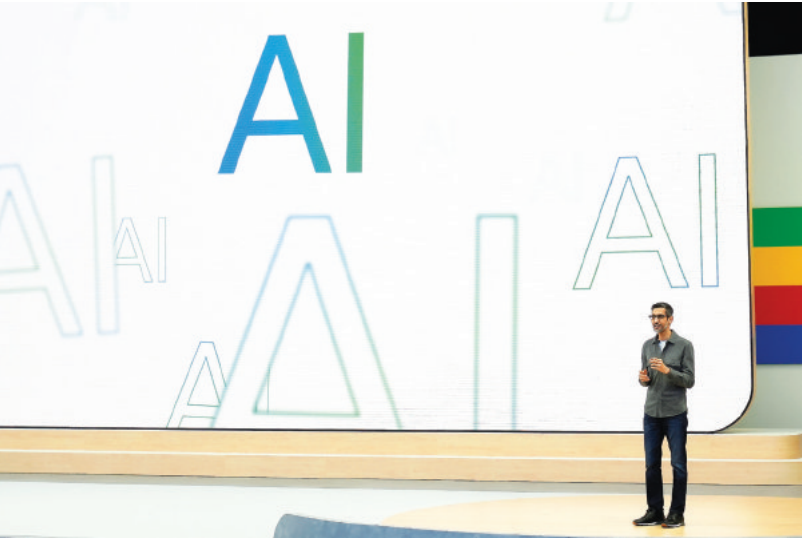
Sterling Jean Albrecht, age 86, of Orem, Utah, died on May 11, 2024. Services will be provided by Walker Sanderson Funeral Home, condolences may be shared with family online at www.walkersanderson.com

Senators urge \$32 billion in emergency spending on AI

BY MARY CLARE JALONICK AND MATT O'BRIEN
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A bipartisan group of four senators led by Majority Leader Chuck Schumer is recommending that Congress spend at least \$32 billion over the next three years to develop artificial intelligence and place safeguards around it, writing in a report released Wednesday that the U.S. needs to “harness the opportunities and address the risks” of the quickly developing technology. The group of two Democrats and two Republicans said in an interview Tuesday that while they sometimes disagreed on the best paths forward, they felt it was imperative to find consensus with the technology taking off and other countries like China investing heavily in its development. They settled on a raft of broad policy recommendations that were included in their 33-page report. While any legislation related to AI will be difficult to pass, especially in an election year and in a divided Congress, the senators said that regulation and incentives for innovation are urgently needed. “It’s complicated, it’s difficult, but we can’t afford to put our head in the sand,” said Schumer, D-N.Y., who convened the group last year after AI chatbot ChatGPT entered the marketplace and showed that it could in many ways mimic human behavior. The group recommends in the report that Congress draft emergency spending legislation to boost U.S. investments in artificial intelligence, including new research and devel-

opment and new testing standards to try to understand the potential harms of the technology. The group also recommended new requirements for transparency as artificial intelligence products are rolled out and that studies be conducted into the potential impact of AI on jobs and the U.S. workforce. Republican Sen. Mike Rounds, a member of the group, said the money would be well spent not only to compete with other countries who are racing into the AI space but also to improve Americans’ quality of life — supporting technology that could help cure some cancers or chronic illnesses, he said, or improvements in weapons systems could help the country avoid a war. “This is a time in which the dollars we put into this particular investment will pay dividends for the taxpayers of this country long term,” he said. The group came together a year ago after Schumer made the issue a priority — an unusual posture for a majority leader — and brought in Democratic Sen. Martin Heinrich of New Mexico, Republican Sen. Todd Young of Indiana and Rounds of South Dakota. As the four senators began meeting with tech executives and experts, Schumer said in a speech over the summer that the rapid growth of artificial intelligence tools was a “moment of revolution” and that the government must act quickly to regulate companies that are developing it. Young said the development of ChatGPT, along with other similar models, made them realize that



Alphabet CEO Sundar Pichai speaks at a Google I/O event in Mountain View, Calif., on Tuesday.

“we’re going to have to figure out collectively as an institution” how to deal with the technology. “In the same breath that people marveled at the possibilities of just that one generative AI platform, they began to hypothesize about future risks that might be associated with future developments of artificial intelligence,” Young said. While passing legislation will be tough, the group’s recommendations lay out the first comprehensive road map on an issue that is complex and has little precedent for consideration in Congress. The group spent almost a year compiling the list of policy suggestions after talking privately and publicly to a range of technology companies and other stakeholders,

including in eight forums to which the entire Senate was invited. The first forum in September included X owner and Tesla CEO Elon Musk, Meta’s Mark Zuckerberg, former Microsoft CEO Bill Gates and Google CEO Sundar Pichai. Schumer said after the private meeting that he had asked everyone in the room — including almost two dozen tech executives, advocates and skeptics — whether government should have a role in the oversight of artificial intelligence, and “every single person raised their hand.” Still, there are diverse views in the tech industry about the future of AI. Musk has voiced dire concerns evoking popular science fiction about the possibility of humanity losing control

to advanced AI systems if the right safeguards are not in place. Others are more concerned about the details of how proposed regulations could affect their business, from possible government oversight over the most capable AI systems to tracking of highly sought-after AI computer chips for national security. The four senators are pitching their recommendations to Senate committees, which are then tasked with reviewing them and trying to figure out what is possible. The Senate Rules Committee is already moving forward with legislation, on Wednesday approving three bills that would ban deceptive AI content used to influence federal elections, require AI disclaimers on political ads and create voluntary guidelines for state election offices that oversee candidates. Schumer, who controls the Senate’s schedule, said those election bills were among the chamber’s “highest priorities” this year. He also said he planned to sit down with House Speaker Mike Johnson, who has expressed interest in looking at AI policy but has not said how he would do that. Still, winning enough votes on the legislation may be not be easy. The bills that would ban deceptive AI election content and require AI disclaimers on political ads were approved by the Rules panel on party line votes, with no GOP support. Republicans argued that the legislation would usurp states that are already acting on the issue and potentially violate political candidates’ rights to free speech.

Miniature poodle named Sage wins Westminster Kennel Club dog show

BY JENNIFER PELTZ
Associated Press

NEW YORK — For a last hurrah, it was a Sage decision. A miniature poodle named Sage won the top prize Tuesday night at the Westminster Kennel Club dog show, in what veteran handler Kaz Hosaka said would be his final time at the United States’ most prestigious canine event. After 45 years of competing and two

best in show dogs, he plans to retire. Sage notched the 11th triumph for poodles of various sizes at Westminster; only wire fox terriers have won more. The last miniature poodle to take the trophy was Spice, with Hosaka, in 2002. “No words,” he said in the ring to describe his reaction to Sage’s win before supplying a few: “So happy — exciting.”

Striding briskly and proudly around the ring, the inky-black poodle “gave a great performance for me,” Hosaka added. Sage bested six other finalists to take best in show. Second went to Mercedes, a German shepherd whose handler, Kent Boyles, also has shepherded a best in show winner before. Others in the final round included Comet, a shih tzu who won the big American Kennel Club National Championship last year; Monty, a giant schnauzer who arrived at Westminster as the nation’s top-ranked dog and was a Westminster finalist last year; Louis, an Afghan hound; Micah, a black cocker spaniel; and Frankie, a colored bull terrier.

While Sage was going around the ring, a protester carrying a sign urging people to “boycott breeders” tried to climb in and was quickly intercepted by security personnel. Police and the animal rights group PETA said three demonstrators were arrested. Charges have not yet been decided. In an event where all competitors are champions in dog showing’s point system, winning can depend on subtleties and a stand-out turn at the USTA Billie Jean King National Tennis Center, home of the U.S. Open tennis tournament. The final lineup was “excellent, glorious,” best in show judge Rosalind Kramer said. To Monty’s handler and co-owner, Katie Bernardin, “just



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Sage, a miniature poodle, competes with handler Kaz Hosaka in the best in show competition during the 148th Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show Tuesday at the USTA Billie Jean King National Tennis Center in New York.

to be in the ring with everyone else is an honor.” “We all love our dogs. We’re trying our best,” she said in the ring after Monty’s semifinal win. “A stallion” of a dog, he’s solid, powerful and “very spirited,” said Bernardin of Chaplin, Connecticut. So spirited that while Bernardin was pregnant, she did obedience and other dog sports with Monty because he needed the stimulation. Dogs first compete against others of their breed. Then the winner of each breed goes up against others in its “group.” The seven group winners meet in the final round. The best in show winner gets a trophy and a place in dog-world history, but no cash prize. Besides the winners, there were other dogs that were hits with the crowd. A lagotto Ro-

magnolo named Harry earned a chuckle from the stadium audience by sitting up and begging for a treat from his handler, and a vizsla named Fletcher charmed spectators by jumping up on its handler after finishing a spin around the ring. There were big cheers, too, for a playful great Pyrenees called Sebastian and a Doberman pinscher named Emilio. Other dogs that vied in vain for a spot in the finals included Stache, a Sealyham terrier. He won the National Dog Show that was televised on Thanksgiving and took top prize at a big terrier show in Pennsylvania last fall. Stache showcases a rare breed that’s considered vulnerable to extinction even in its native Britain. “They’re a little-known treasure,” said Stache’s co-

owner, co-breeder and handler, Margery Good of Cochrantville, Pennsylvania, who has bred “Sealys” for half a century. Originally developed in Wales to hunt badgers and other burrowing game, the terriers with a “fall” of hair over their eyes are courageous but comedic — Good dubs them “silly hams.” Westminster can feel like a study in canine contrasts. Just walking around, a visitor could see a Chihuahua peering out of a carrying bag at a stocky Neapolitan mastiff, a ring full of honey-colored golden retrievers beside a lineup of stark-black giant schnauzers, and handlers with dogs far larger than themselves. Shane Jichetti was one of them. Ralpie, the 175-pound (34-kg) great Dane she co-owns, outweighs her by a lot. It takes considerable experience to show so big an animal, but “if you have a bond with your dog, and you just go with it, it works out,” she said. Plus Ralpie, for all his size, is “so chill,” said Jichetti. Playful at home on New York’s Staten Island, he’s spot-on — just like his harlequin-pattern coat — when it’s time to go in the ring. “He’s just an honest dog,” Jichetti said. The Westminster show, which dates to 1877, centers on the traditional purebred judging that leads to the best in show prize. But over the last decade, the club has added agility and obedience events open to mixed-breed dogs.



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OPINION



Censorship – A global pandemic

“Palestine will be free!” chant the protesters. “From the river to the sea.”

Some says that’s a call for genocide — another holocaust — elimination of Israel and all Jews.

So, should the chant be illegal? The House of Representatives just voted to make it illegal at universities. Both Republicans and Democrats voted for the bill.

Canadian politicians go further. Prime Minister Justin Trudeau wants people “advocating genocide” sentenced to *life in prison*.

“We’re a laboratory of bad ideas,” says Canadian Ezra Levant in my new video.

Levant, founder of Rebel News, asks, “Who’s going to determine who’s going to be prosecuted? A law like that gives a politician the chance to criminalize his peaceful opponent!”

Canadian politicians already do that.

“I wrote a (critical) book about Justin Trudeau,” says Levant, “a knockoff of ‘The Sopranos.’ I called it ‘The Libranos’ because he’s with the Liberal Party. He hated that book. ... and so, I was prosecuted.”

Levant was called before investigators working for a government organization that polices “unregistered political advertising,”

“They fined me,” he says. “Five years later, I’m still in court over a book that criticized Justin Trudeau.”

“Canadians must like this,” I tell him. “Trudeau gets reelected.”

“A lot of Canadians and Americans and Brits,” he sighs, “want a net nanny — for the other guy.”

Brazil already has that.

A judge there recently ordered X to block the Twitter accounts of people who support the former Brazilian president.

Elon Musk refused. He said, “We will probably lose all revenue in Brazil and have to shut down our office there. But principles matter more than profit.”

Good for Musk.

A new law in Scotland says “misgendering” someone, like calling a trans woman “he,” can get you seven years in jail.

“Freedom of speech and belief

are at an end,” responded “Harry Potter” author J.K. Rowling.

The day Scotland’s new law took effect, she intentionally broke it by misgendering people on Twitter, saying, “I look forward to being arrested.”

By law, she *should* have been.

Last year, British police arrested thousands of people for “spreading hate” on the internet.

“J.K. Rowling has the wealth to fight a strong defense,” Levant points out. “She and Elon Musk are the two people in the world who have done more to stop cancel culture.”

Being “canceled” shouldn’t be an issue in America. Our First Amendment says, “Congress shall make no law ... abridging the freedom of speech.”

Should that “River to the Sea” House bill become law, it would be something new.

Americans have mixed feelings about free speech. A RealClearPolitics poll reports that 61% believe government should restrict hateful posts. Yikes. Government? Will the party in power get to decide what’s “hateful”?

“I don’t think you reduce hate when you police it in that way,” says Levant. “The ability to speak the truth is a more pressing value. Even if we’re going to hurt a feeling, even if we’re going to upset the apple cart, that’s what freedom of speech means. It trumps other values. Give people that peaceful outlet for their grievance.”

“If you cork them up, if you don’t let them have the safety valve of free speech, they’ll explode in another way, possibly including violence ... Free speech is a preventive mechanism that prevents an escalation of problems.”

I agree. It’s good that so far, American police say their campus arrests are for trespassing or property damage, not words.

I don’t agree with what most of the demonstrators say.

But I’ll defend their right to say it.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, May 16, the 137th day of 2024. There are 229 days left in the year.

Today’s Highlight in History

On May 16, 1943, the nearly month-long Warsaw Ghetto Uprising came to an end as German forces crushed the Jewish resistance and blew up the Great Synagogue.

On this date

In 1770, Marie Antoinette, age 14, married the future King Louis XVI of France, who was 15.

In 1866, Congress authorized minting of the first five-cent piece, also known as the “Shield nickel.”

In 1929, the first Academy Awards were presented. “Wings” won “best production,” while Emil Jannings (YAHN’-ings) and Janet Gaynor were named best actor and best actress.

In 1939, the federal government began its first food stamp program in Rochester, New York.

In 1957, federal agent Eliot Ness, who organized “The Untouchables” team that took on gangster Al Capone, died in Coudersport, Pennsylvania, at age 54.

In 1960, the first working laser was demonstrated at Hughes Research Laboratories in Malibu, California, by physicist Theodore Maiman.

In 1966, China launched the Cultural Revolution, a radical as well as deadly reform movement aimed at purging the country of “counter-revolutionaries.”

In 1975, Japanese climber Junko Tabei became the first woman to reach the summit of Mount Everest.

In 1990, death claimed entertainer Sammy Davis Jr. in Los Angeles at age 64 and “Muppets” creator Jim Henson in New York at age 53.

In 1997, President Bill Clinton publicly apologized for the notorious Tuskegee experiment, in which government scientists deliberately allowed Black men to weaken and die of treatable syphilis.

In 2007, anti-war Democrats in the Senate failed in an attempt to cut off funds for the Iraq war.

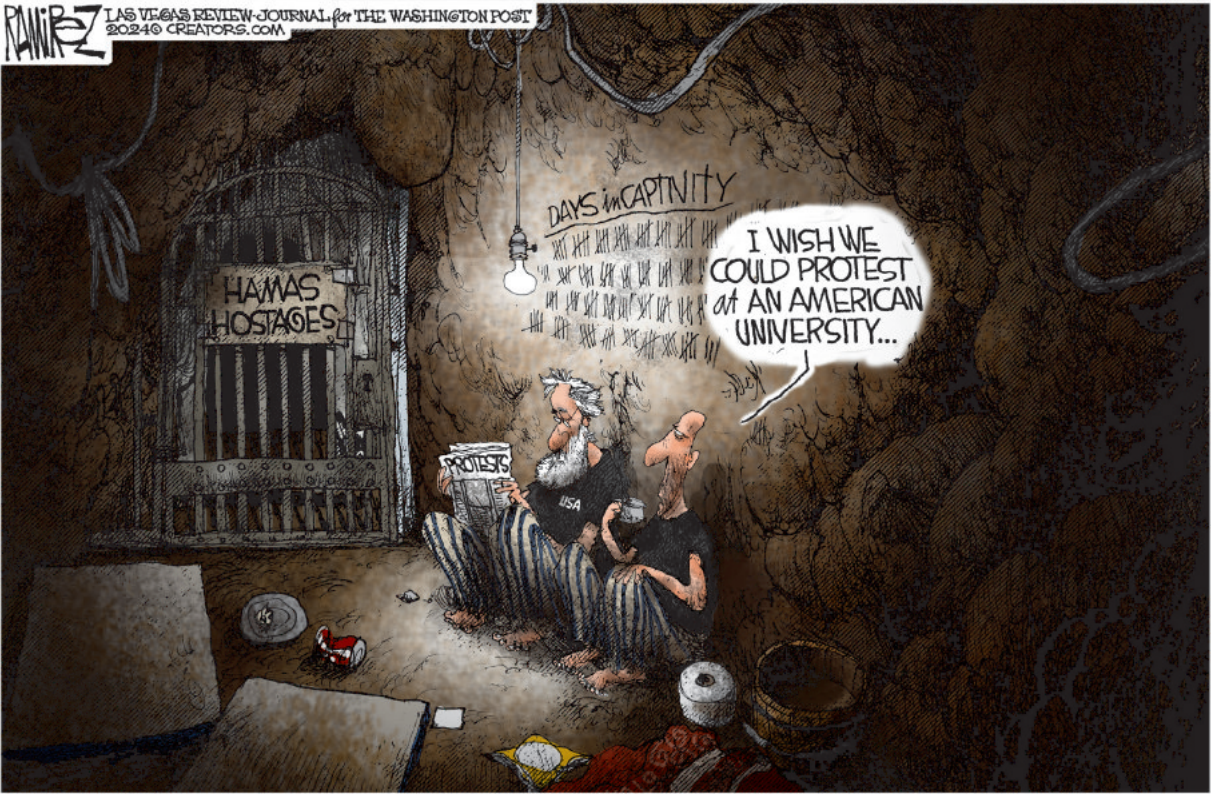
In 2012, Bosnian Serb Gen. Ratko Mladic (RAHT’-koh MLAH’-dich) went on trial at the Yugoslav war crimes tribunal in the Netherlands, accused of genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes. (Mladic would be convicted on 10 counts and sentenced to life in prison.)

In 2013, “The Office” aired its final episode after nine seasons on the air on NBC.

In 2016, President Barack Obama called on the nation to support law enforcement officers as he bestowed the Medal of Valor on 13 who risked their lives.

In 2018, officials at Michigan State University said they had agreed to pay \$500 million to settle claims from more than 300 women and girls who said they were assaulted by sports doctor Larry Nassar.

In 2022, the U.S. death toll from COVID-19 hit 1 million.



A rose helps quiet the noise inside

My father, Richard, 91, was missing his departed friends and folk, so I suggested planting a memory garden.

Close to his heart was Leon Rosenberg, his friend from Randall School to the University of Wisconsin and medical school. They knew each other from ages 10 to 89, when Leon died. They were born weeks apart: my father on Jan. 22, 1933, Leon on March 3.

“A rose for the Rose,” Richard said, recalling his friend’s nickname. So roses went into the ground first: peach, yellow and pink. In California sunlight, pastels look perfectly at home.

These two grew up as boys from Madison who later went east and west to become distinguished in their fields. Leon, the West High valedictorian, became dean of Yale Medical School and later chief science officer at Bristol Myers Squibb.

My father, a pediatric immunologist at the University of California, Los Angeles, shared classes (even a cadaver up in the science building) and a basketball league with his pal, the son of immigrants. Once Leon took half an hour, deep in conversation with the record clerk, before buying “Pictures at an Exhibition.”

Richard’s mother, Marie, a widowed nurse, predicted Leon would go far. She was right. I heard many stories about this mythical friend who urged my father to join him at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center as medical residents.

The brilliant blue eyes, the disarming smile, the way with words that expressed exactly what he meant: I came to share what my father loved about Leon. He showed up by surprise to my father’s 80th birthday party, and they embraced, Richard shedding his WASP reserve.

A sheer joy to witness.

My father and I wept on the phone when he told me Leon was close to dying. He had a chance to tell him how much his friendship meant. I represented our family at Leon’s funeral in Princeton in July 2022.

It hit me hard: a friend like that, with a mountain of shared memories, including his daughter’s wedding and my birthday party in Washington, is gone and never coming back.

A memory garden makes loss more bearable.

Richard added ideas and other names to the plaque he envisioned. The white wall would hold a dedication and pictures: his wedding, beloved Aunt Aden and namesake uncle — a legendary Midwestern athlete and football coach.

Catching a wave of inspiration, I placed cosmos around the roses for the wide universe where our loved ones’ spirits may dwell. They are not dainty but smaller than the roses and make the roses look more showy. Cosmos lend a floating feeling to a garden.

The garden greeted Richard

when he came home from breaking his hip and getting a replacement. The surgeon said it was an honor to operate on him. All told, he was in the hospital and rehabilitation center for two weeks. I went back home to Washington.

Would the garden I planted for my father give him solace? Hopefully. But it did something else, unexpectedly. It gave me peace of mind.

If you’re feeling fraught, if the seamy trial of former President Donald Trump is wearing you down, if you witness road rage, if the 2024 election and wars in Ukraine and Gaza cause you — and me — high anxiety, we are not alone.

Campus protests of Israel’s bombardment of Gaza may reflect a general churn and angst.

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A new book reviewed in The New York Times, Clayton Page Aldern’s “The Weight of Nature,” connects our collective state of mind to climate change. Stated simply, rising heat doesn’t only cause drought, wildfires and other extreme weather events.

In this transformation, hotter climes affect human moods and behavior, leading to more depression, anger and violence. A trend of strangers punching women on the streets of New York City fits this pattern.

Aldern gives evidence that sea creatures also act differently as oceans and lakes warm and glaciers melt.

In a striking passage, Nataniel Rich’s review states, “Dolphins appear to be getting Alzheimer’s disease. Mountaintop removal makes Appalachians depressed. ... Climate change isn’t only here, writes Aldern. It is inside us.” A slow burn of our brains — really?

Clearing room for roses and remembrance flowers helps.

As wise French philosopher Voltaire once wrote amid social uproar, “We must cultivate our garden.”

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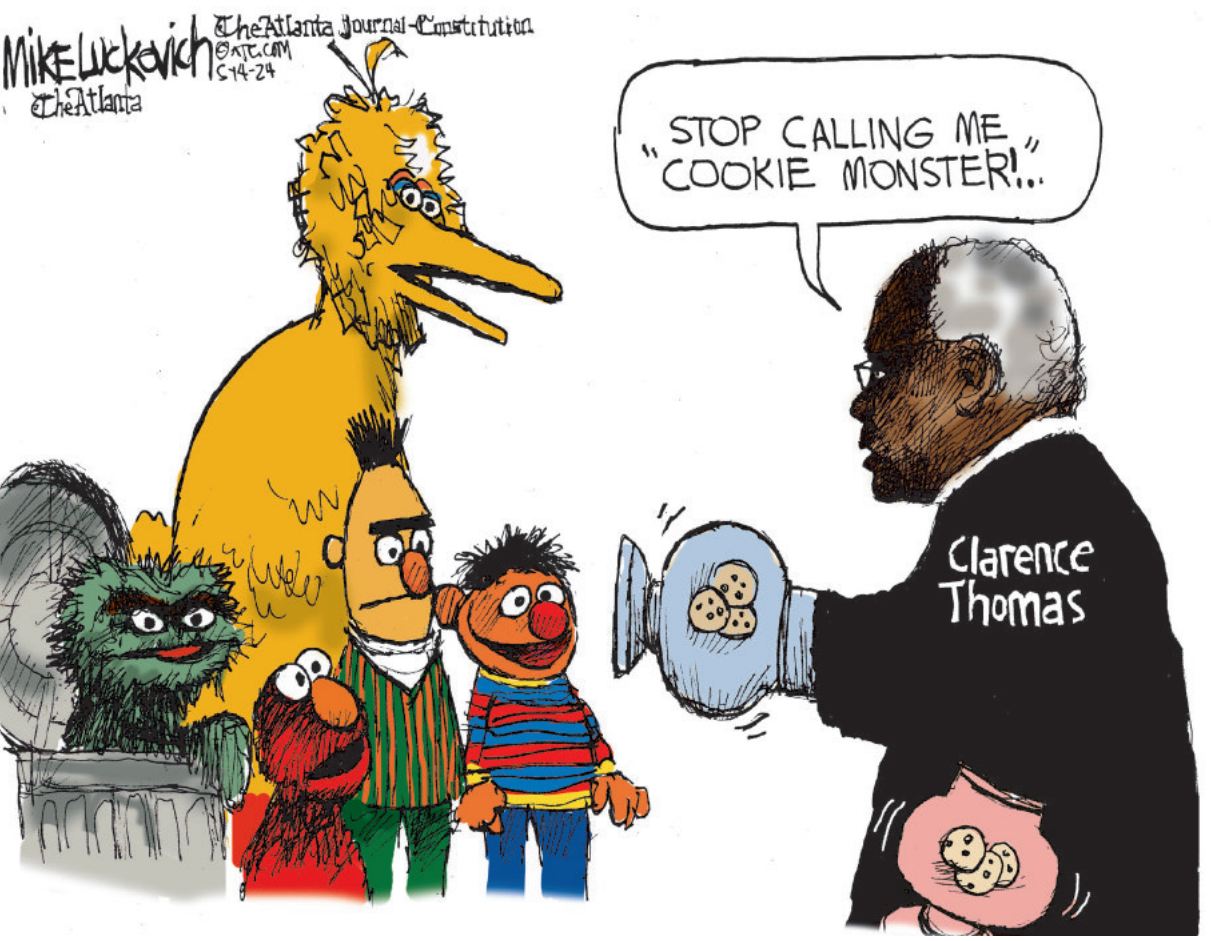
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Utah sues Biden admin over rules for transgender students

Four states — Utah, Kansas, Alaska and Wyoming — among growing number of GOP states fighting Title IX rule change

BY KATIE MCKELLAR
Utah News Dispatch

Utah has joined a lawsuit in which four more GOP-led states are suing President Joe Biden’s administration over new Title IX rules to protect transgender students in schools.

Utah joined Kansas, Alaska and Wyoming and the conservative groups Moms for Liberty, Young America’s Foundation and Female Athletes United filing a lawsuit in a federal court in Kansas, Utah Attorney General Sean Reyes announced Tuesday.

“This is the very definition of improper and illegal federal coercion,” Reyes said in a prepared statement about the Biden administration’s Title IX rules. “Holding a sword over school districts, without Supreme Court or other legal precedent and in the absence of Congressional authority, the current administration once again bypasses America’s democratic process and threatens to defund schools that do not bend to its dictates.”

The U.S. Department of Education in April announced a rule to update Title IX, the federal law that prohibits sex-based discrimination in education, that undoes changes made un-

der former President Donald Trump’s administration and former Education Secretary Betsy DeVos.

The new rule, set to go into effect Aug. 1, will also expand Title IX to include gender identity and sexual orientation. It would codify protections for transgender students from sex discrimination and prohibit discrimination against LGBTQ+ students and employees based on their sexual orientation, gender identity and sex characteristics.

The move has angered Republicans in a growing number of GOP-led states, with legal battles spreading across the country. About two dozen states have sued the Biden administration over the rule, arguing it weakens protections for women and girls.

Utah, Kansas, Alaska and Wyoming are the latest to file a suit, which calls the rule update “unlawful.” It also accuses it of seeking to “politicize our country’s educational system to conform to the radical ideological views of the Biden administration and its allies.”

“Instead of focusing on the true mission of Title IX, which is to protect women and girls from discrimination in education and to protect and promote women’s and girls’ sports, the Defendants attempt to rewrite it entirely to (1) institutionalize the left-wing fad of transgender ideology in our K-12 system and tie school funding to it, (2) mandate that colleges and universities punish students who refuse to comply with these views through a campus grievance process that



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People wave transgender flags while attending a rally in support of transgender youth at the Utah State Capitol on Feb. 9, 2023.

is akin to ‘kangaroo courts,’ and (3) require schools to provide benefits to students and employees seeking voluntary abortions (even in states where it is outlawed) in direct conflict with Title IX’s abortion neutrality provision,” the lawsuit states.

Reyes called the policy “extreme” and said “both progressives and conservatives seem largely united in opposition to the rule as it attempts to force a redefinition of gender on schools in America.”

“In doing so, the Biden Department of Education vastly overreaches and defies common sense, rendering Title IX much less protective of women and girls in athletics and unraveling decades of gains in women’s sports.”

Marina Lowe, policy director of Equality Utah, the state’s largest LGBTQ+ advocacy organization, issued a statement on Wednesday expressing disappointment in Utah joining the lawsuit.

“The new regulations make clear that all students have equal access to educational opportunities, including LGBT students,” she said. “If protection for girls and a desire to promote equal opportunity is truly the goal, taxpayer money and state employee time would be better spent ensuring equal funding and equal access to facilities and resources for girls.”

Last week, a spokesperson for the Education Department told NBC News that the department doesn’t

comment on ongoing litigation and all federally funded schools are obligated to comply with the new rule.

Tuesday evening, House Speaker Mike Schultz, R-Hooper, posted a video on X accusing the Biden administration and Democrats of “actively trying to destroy” Title IX protections for women and girls.

“The new Title IX rule is an attempt to force schools to accommodate the wishes of biological men to enter female only spaces, like locker rooms and bathrooms,” Schultz says in the video. “It also allows them to join female only organizations, letting them play on girls sports teams.”

However, the rule change announced in April does

not establish new criteria for transgender athletes, which is a separate rule the Department of Education is still finalizing. That rule would prevent blanket bans on transgender athletes competing in sports that align with their gender identity.

In April, the national LGBTQ+ lobbying organization Human Rights Campaign applauded the rule change as one that would “help ensure LGBTQ+ students can receive the same educational experience as their peers: going to dances, safely using the restroom, and writing stories that tell the truth about their own lives.”

However, the group added it will “continue to call for urgently needed Title IX rule protections from discrimination for transgender student-athletes and other rules for access to health care broadly, including for transgender veterans.”

So far, 24 states have passed laws that ban transgender athletes from competing in sports that align with their gender identity, including Utah. Utah’s law, however, is currently held up in court. In the meantime, a commission determines student athlete eligibility to compete.

This year, Utah also approved a law restricting transgender access to certain bathrooms and locker rooms in government owned and controlled buildings, including in public schools.

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Ballots

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counties with ZIP codes beginning in 847 may see a delay in receiving ballots. In the past, those ZIP codes sent mail to the Provo facility.

Ryan Cowley, elections director for the Lieutenant Governor’s Office, explained that in Beaver County, they now have to send ballots to Salt Lake City first before they are sent to Las Vegas by the Postal Service and then are sent back to residents in the county.

“We really have no control over how the post office processes their mail; we’re kind of at their mercy,” Cowley said. “So no matter what our laws are, the post office is going to kind of do their thing, but this does give us the ability to get those ballots to the facility that will actually process them so that we get those to voters quicker.”

By adjusting the code, McKenzie said county clerks could have the ballots go directly to the processing center in Nevada, likely saving about two to three days in mailing.

McKenzie initially recommended lawmakers consider completely striking the code that requires ballots to be first mailed from Utah. But after some discussion, lawmakers agreed on considering a bill to adjust the language to allow ballots to be shipped from the nearest facility.

By opening the bill file, legislation on the matter can possibly be considered during the 2025 legislative session after the upcoming 2024 election.

Sen. Don Ipson, R-St. George, added that he believes the Legislature also needs to look into the laws regarding the last day a ballot can be postmarked due to the issue, though he did not clarify what action should be taken.

Rep. Calvin Musselman, R-West Haven, called the situation an “interesting conundrum.”

“But it is what it is. There’s no alternative for these ballots not to end up being processed out of state,” he said.

The USPS has been conducting reviews of mail processing facilities as part of the 10-year “Delivering for America” plan, with the Provo facility being one that was put under review.

That review led to the Provo facility being moved to a local processing plant, with some processing services being moved to Salt Lake or Las Vegas, which are larger regional processing centers.



PHOTOS COURTESY KIMBERLY COREY

An undated photo showing Samantha Corey, center, with members of the American Fork High School football team.

Corey

From A1

“She had the option every time it relapsed to just stop treatment and enjoy life,” Kimberly Corey told the Daily Herald. “And she always wanted to keep fighting. So every time it came back, she chose to just do more treatments, and she was miserable for most of that whole period.”

Kimberly said the goal was for Samantha to survive long enough to make it to her graduation, but the 17-year-old passed away in January less than six months shy of walking across the stage with her graduating class.

Samantha remained committed to her education and earned her diploma despite battling the affliction. The plan has been to have her siblings walk in her honor at graduation May 22. Initially, the district’s policy guidelines, which prohibit recognizing deceased students during the ceremony, wouldn’t allow Samantha’s family to walk for her. However, Wednesday afternoon, the district reversed its decision, allowing the late student to be included in the graduation.

Kimberly Corey shared the news in a social media post thanking those who have rallied around their family amid the sickness and heartbreak. “Thank you for all of you who have supported us not just this week, but for Samantha’s entire

High School experience. We feel incredibly blessed to have such wonderful family, friends, and community,” she said on Instagram.

Alpine School District Director of Communications Rich Stowell said Wednesday morning that the district’s leadership team reviewed policy guidelines and approved an exception in Samantha’s case.

A statement provided to the Daily Herald says:

“Samantha was loved by her classmates, teachers, and school staff. She will be recognized at the school’s graduation ceremony Wednesday, May 22 at the Marriott Center in Provo.”

American Fork city leaders also are showering the Corey family with their support.

Mayor Brad Frost has offered a gesture of community solidarity with plans to pay tribute to Samantha during an upcoming City Council meeting, which the Corey family, friends and those rallying around the deceased student can attend.

Kimberly Corey said she wants her daughter — who would’ve turned 18 in June — to be remembered as a beacon of light and as someone who exuded positivity even amid her own battles. Samantha, she said, was “an example of how I wish I could be going through any trial. I wish I had her positivity and outlook on life going through anything; I wish I could be like that. She was so sweet.”



An undated photo of Samantha Corey, who died in January of soft tissue cancer.

Payson softball stays alive in 4A playoffs

BY JARED LLOYD
Daily Herald

How close was the Payson softball team to seeing its season put in jeopardy in the first round of 4A bracket play on Wednesday?

About as close as it gets.

The Lions, the No. 6 seed, found themselves in a tight game against No. 3-seed Snow Canyon in the first game of the day at the Spanish Fork Softball Complex. Payson had got two outs, but the Warriors had runners in scoring position.

Then Snow Canyon hit a deep fly ball, one that had game-changing home run written all over it.

But Lion centerfielder Allie Callahan had other ideas.

She refused to be stopped by the fence, keeping her eye on the ball as she leapt to pull it out of the air before crashing down on the other side.

"It was awesome," Payson head coach Makenzie Simons said.

"She and all of our outfielders have been working on not fearing the fence, on being willing to go that extra mile. She was all in. She went for it. She saved the day on that one for sure."

That dramatic out ended the inning and allowed the Lions to keep the momentum, eventually resulting in a 3-2 win in eight innings.

"The girls came out tough," Simons said. "Defensively, we made big plays as a team and they were backing each other up. They were willing to lay it on the line and we are very proud of them for that."

Payson advanced to face No. 2-seeded Desert Hills in the second game of the day and wasn't able to stay as crisp. A couple of Lion miscues allowed the Thunder to have some big innings and eventually get the 9-1 win.

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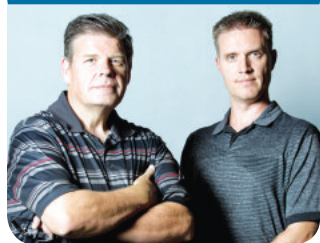


Payson third baseman Adi Duke hits the ball during the 4A playoff game against Desert Hills at the Spanish Fork Softball Complex on Wednesday.

JARED LLOYD,
DAILY HERALD

Looking toward the future

**BYU
1-ON-1**



WITH DARNELL DICKSON
AND JARED LLOYD

Daily Herald sports writers Darnell Dickson and Jared Lloyd give their opinions on the hot BYU sports topics this week:

1. Will the transfer portal and NIL be the end of college athletics or will they ultimately have a positive impact?

DICKSON: How long do you have? I feel like I could pontificate on this topic for hours.

I believe the transfer portal and NIL will end college sports as we know it. There will still be college athletics, but it will be barely recognizable. I like my professional sports and my college sports separate, and college sports seems to be doing everything it can to become pro sports junior.

I've said many times that I'm not against athletes making money. It's just this way of doing things is so out of control. And I still feel like there should be limits



LM OTERO, ASSOCIATED PRESS

BYU coach Kalani Sitake smiles before speaking during the Big 12 college football media days in Arlington, Texas, on July 12.

to how often a player can transfer.

Maybe we're headed to college athletes becoming employees, or some kind of profit sharing. Whatever it is, it won't be the college athletics I fell in love with as a kid and that makes me sad. Call me old fashioned or a dinosaur, I don't care.

LLOYD: Here is the harsh reality: College football and basketball have reaped what they sowed.

Those sports found themselves in the perfect position to capitalize on the evolution of media consumption, resulting in sky-

rocketing payouts thanks to television contracts. In an era where media companies are desperate for eyeballs on advertising, live sports programming is something people watch live.

So, flush with cash, many institutions created lavish sports shrines and paid coaches obscene amounts of money — then continued paying them after firing them while paying buyouts to get the next coach. Those same coaches would come and go almost at will.

Is it any surprise that the players looked at their

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JARED LLOYD, DAILY HERALD

BYU director of athletics Tom Holmoe talks to Cougar fans at the BIG Party celebrating BYU joining the Big 12 conference that took place in Provo on July 1.

NFL SCHEDULE

Opening week to feature 9 playoff rematches

BY JOE REEDY
Associated Press

Even though the Super Bowl rematch between the Kansas City Chiefs and San Francisco 49ers will not occur until almost the midpoint of the season, NFL fans will be treated to a pair of playoff rematches on the opening weekend.

Patrick Mahomes and the Chiefs begin their quest for an unprecedented third straight Super Bowl title when they host the Baltimore Ravens on Sept. 5 in the Kickoff Game while the Los Angeles Rams are at the Detroit Lions in the Sunday night game on Sept. 8.

The two playoff rematches on Week 1 are among nine on this year's regular schedule, which was released by the league Wednesday night.

The Ravens-Chiefs matchup is a rematch of last season's AFC championship game, won by Kansas City 17-10. Kansas City heads to San Francisco in Oct. 20, after it defeated the San Francisco 49ers 25-22 in the second overtime game in Super Bowl history. It also marks the second straight season the Chiefs will have a Super Bowl rematch after they lost to the Philadelphia Eagles in a Monday night game last season.

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4A BASEBALL

Snow Canyon eliminates Timpanogos from state tourney

BY DARNELL DICKSON
Daily Herald

WEST JORDAN — Timpanogos could never figure out the mystery that was Snow Canyon's pitching, and the T-Wolves season is over.

Timpanogos, the No. 3 seed in the 4A baseball tournament, lost twice to the second-seeded Warriors during bracket play and didn't score a run in 14 innings. Snow Canyon won 3-0 on Tuesday and eliminated the T-Wolves with a 2-0 victory on Wednesday.

"We just had too many spots in the lineup where we just weren't seeing it," Timpanogos coach Kim Nelson said. "We didn't have many good at-bats when we needed them."

Three Timpanogos pitchers — Carter Hall, Tyten Day and Canyon Clegg — limited

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the Warriors to just five hits in Wednesday's game.

"They were amazing to be able to hold a team like Snow Canyon to two runs," Nelson

said. "A couple of them were just scratch hits over the infield. Our pitchers were great but we just needed to score more runs."

The T-Wolves, which got runners on base in five of the seven innings, didn't advance anyone past second base. Snow Canyon starter Jackson Kirby struck out nine and scattered five singles in earning the compete-game victory to send his team into the 4A championship series on Friday.

Kayden Harding and Brighton Tate singled in the first to get two runners on but Kirby struck out a pair of hitters to end the inning. In the fifth, a single from Cache McCann and a Snow Canyon error got two runners on with one out, But Luke Livingston and Tate both flied out to end that threat.

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DARNELL DICKSON, DAILY HERALD

Carter Hall of Timpanogos delivers a pitch against Snow Canyon in a 4A baseball state playoff game at SLCC's Cate Field on Wednesday.

NATIONAL SCOREBOARD

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

BASEBALL
4A Bracket Play at Cate Field, SLCC
No. 3 Timpanogos 9, No. 6 Park City 7 (Park City eliminated)
No. 3 Timpanogos vs. No. 2 Snow Canyon, 4:30 p.m.

SOFTBALL
4A Bracket Play at Spanish Fork
No. 6 Payson 3, No. 3 Snow Canyon 2
No. 2 Desert Hills 9, No. 6 Payson 1

THURSDAY'S SCHEDULE

BASEBALL
6A Super Regionals, Game 1, 4 p.m.
No. 16 Weber at No. 1 American Fork
No. 12 Layton at No. 5 Lehi
No. 10 Corner Canyon at No. 7 Skyridge
No. 11 Pleasant Grove at No. 6 Fremont
No. 14 Lone Peak at No. 3 Mountain Ridge

5A Super Regionals [Best of 3] at home sites, 4 p.m.
No. 12 Alta at No. 5 Orem
No. 13 Jordan at No. 4 Springville
No. 15 Clearfield at No. 2 Maple Mountain
No. 11 Spanish Fork at No. 6 Salem Hills

4A Bracket play at Cate Field, SLCC

SOFTBALL
6A Super Regionals, Game 1, 4 p.m.
No. 16 American Fork at No. 1 Riverton
No. 9 Westlake at No. 8 Mountain Ridge
No. 13 Farmington at No. 4 Pleasant Grove
No. 11 Copper Hills at No. 6 Lehi
No. 14 Bingham at No. 3 Bingham

5A Super Regionals, Game 1, 4 p.m.
No. 16 Viewmont at No. 1 Spanish Fork

No. 13 Cedar Valley at No. 4 Box Elder
No. 15 Hunter at No. 2 Springville
No. 11 Maple Mountain at No. 6 Salem Hills
No. 19 Wasatch at No. 3 Bountiful

BOYS SOCCER
6A Quarterfinals, 4 p.m.
No. 8 Skyridge at No. 1 Farmington
No. 12 Davis at No. 4 Pleasant Grove
No. 10 Weber at No. 2 American Fork
No. 6 Bingham at No. 3 Lone Peak

BOYS LACROSSE
6A Second Round, 4 p.m.
No. 9 Skyridge at No. 8 Bingham
No. 12 Pleasant Grove at No. 5 Lone Peak
No. 10 Riverton at No. 7 American Fork
No. 14 Lehi at No. 3 Davis
No. 11 Weber at No. 6 Westlake

5A Second Round, 4 p.m.
No. 17 Salem Hills at No. 1 Brighton
No. 9 Box Elder at No. 8 Wasatch
No. 18 Timpvie at No. 2 Olympus
No. 11 Maple Mountain at No. 6 East

4A Second Round, 4 p.m.
No. 9 Timpanogos at No. 1 Judge Memorial
No. 5 Green Canyon at No. 4 Payson

GIRLS LACROSSE
6A Second Round, 4 p.m.
No. 13 Westlake at No. 4 Mountain Ridge
No. 15 Lehi at No. 2 Fremont
No. 18 Skyridge at No. 7 Pleasant Grove
No. 11 Syracuse at No. 6 Lone Peak

5A Second Round, 4 p.m.
No. 13 Salem Hills at No. 4 West Jordan
No. 14 Wasatch at No. 3 Woods Cross
No. 11 Cedar Valley at No. 6 Maple Mountain

4A Second Round, 4 p.m.
No. 9 Provo at No. 8 Mountain Crest
No. 13 Orem at No. 4 Waterford
No. 15 Hillcrest at No. 2 Payson
No. 14 Mountain View at No. 3 Timpanogos

ON THE AIR

AUSTRALIAN RULES FOOTBALL (MEN'S)
AFL: Carlton at Sydney 3:35 a.m. (Friday) FS2

COLLEGE BASEBALL		
Michigan at Indiana	3 p.m.	BTN
North Carolina at Duke	5 p.m.	ACC
Seton Hall at Creighton	5 p.m.	FS1
Mississippi at LSU	5 p.m.	SEC
Illinois at Purdue	6 p.m.	BTN
Arkansas at Texas A&M	6 p.m.	ESPN2
Oregon St. at Arizona	7 p.m.	PAC-12

COLLEGE LACROSSE (WOMEN'S) NCAA Tournament: Quarterfinals		
Florida at Maryland	10 a.m.	ESPNU
Yale at Syracuse	12:30 p.m.	ESPNU
Michigan at Boston College	3 p.m.	ESPNU
Penn at Northwestern	5:30 p.m.	ESPNU

GOLF PGA Tour: The PGA Championship		
First Round (ESPN BET)	9 a.m.	ESPN2
First Round	10 a.m.	ESPN
First Round (No Laying Up)	11 a.m.	ESPN2

LPGA Tour		
The Mizuho Americas Open	1 p.m.	GOLF
Ladies European Tour		
The Amundi German Masters	3 a.m. (Friday)	GOLF

HORSE RACING		
NYRA: America's Day at the Races	11 a.m.	FS2

IIHF HOCKEY (MEN'S) World Championship Group Stage		
Finland vs. Austria, Group A	8 a.m.	NHL
U.S. vs. France, Group B	Noon	NHL

MLB BASEBALL		
NY Yankees at Minnesota	11 a.m.	MLB
Regional Coverage	4:30 p.m.	MLB
Cincinnati at LA Dodgers	8:10 p.m.	MLB

NBA BASKETBALL Western Conference Semifinal		
Denver at Minnesota, Game 6	6:35 p.m.	ESPN

NHL HOCKEY Eastern Conference Semifinal		
NY Rangers at Carolina, Game 6	5 p.m.	TNT
NY Rangers at Carolina (BetCast)	5 p.m.	TRUTV

Western Conference Semifinal		
Edmonton at Vancouver, Game 5	8 p.m.	TNT
Edmonton at Vancouver (BetCast)	8 p.m.	TRUTV

TENNIS Italian Open		
WTA Semifinal; ATP Quarterfinal	5 a.m.	TENNIS
WTA Semifinal; ATP Quarterfinal	11 a.m.	TENNIS

WNBA BASKETBALL		
New York at Indiana	5 p.m.	PRIME VIDEO

LOCAL SPORTS SCHEDULE

BYU SPORTS

THURSDAY BASEBALL
at Kansas State 5 p.m.
TV: ESPN+ (online)
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at Kansas State 5 p.m.
TV: ESPN+ (online)
Radio: BYUradio 107.9

SATURDAY BASEBALL
at Kansas State 3 p.m.
TV: ESPN+ (online)
Radio: BYUradio 107.9

WEDNESDAY MEN'S AND WOMEN TRACK & FIELD NCAA Regionals
at West Preliminary 3 p.m.

TV: ESPN+ (online)
UVU SPORTS

THURSDAY BASEBALL
vs. Grand Canyon 6:05 p.m.
TV: ESPN+ (online)
Radio: GoUVU (online)

FRIDAY BASEBALL
vs. Grand Canyon 6:05 p.m.
TV: ESPN+ (online)
Radio: GoUVU (online)

SATURDAY BASEBALL
vs. Grand Canyon 12:05 p.m.
TV: ESPN+ (online)
Radio: GoUVU (online)

TUESDAY BASEBALL
at WAC Tournament

WEDNESDAY

NBA PLAYOFFS

Tatum scores 25 to lead Celtics past Cavaliers

BY KYLE HIGHTOWER
Associated Press

BOSTON — Al Horford wanted to savor the moment.

With play stopped and the Celtics' victory no longer in doubt, Horford turned in the direction of the sideline, walked a few paces, stopped and extended his hands overhead, bringing an already raucous TD Garden crowd to its feet in applause.

The task was done. Jayson Tatum had 25 points and 10 rebounds, and Boston beat the Cleveland Cavaliers 113-98 on Wednesday night to advance to the Eastern Conference finals for the third straight season.

Horford added 22 points, 15 rebounds, five assists and six of Boston's 19 3-pointers to help the Celtics post their third consecutive win and wrap up the series in five games.

"We had a great opportunity at home to handle this, and I knew it was going to take a lot more than handling it normally," said Horford, who joined LeBron James and Kareem Abdul-Jabbar as the only players 37 years or older to record a 20-point, 15-rebound, five-assist play-off game in NBA history. "It's special. It's something that's hard to do. ... This is another positive step of where we want to get to."

The Celtics will now await the winner of the matchup between the New York Knicks and Indiana Pacers. New York

leads that series 3-2.

This will be Jaylen Brown's sixth conference finals appearance and the fifth for Tatum. Tatum said it's proof that the team culture is strong.

"It just shows the character of the team, the organization. People might think it's a given we're supposed to be here," Tatum said. "We're all in this together. ... We're doing something right."

The Cavaliers played extremely short-handed without All-Star Donovan Mitchell (calf), center Jarrett Allen (rib) and key reserve Caris LeVert (knee).

Cleveland stayed close through the first three quarters and pulled within 88-85 early in the fourth. Boston then went on a 13-2 run to take a 101-87 lead with 6:44 to play.

Evan Mobley scored a playoff career-high 33 points and had seven rebounds. Marcus Morris Sr. had five 3-pointers and finished with 25 points.

"I was proud of their effort," Cavaliers coach J.B. Bickerstaff said. "This has been a difficult year for us, for a bunch of different reasons. They never found the time to fold on each other. All they did was find ways to compete."

Cleveland now enters a summer of uncertainty with the futures of Mitchell and Bickerstaff squarely in the spotlight.

Mitchell did everything for the Cavs in his second postseason for Cleveland. He averaged 29.6 points but didn't play in



DARNELL DICKSON, DAILY HERALD

Timpanogos pitcher Carter Hall, left, celebrates a play at the plate where Talen Kelley of Snow Canyon was thrown out in a 4A baseball state playoff game at SLCC's Cate Field on Wednesday.

in the first action of the day.

The Miners didn't go down without a fight, though, scoring six runs in the final two innings against Timpanogos relief pitching and loading the bases with two outs in the top of the seventh. Finally, Clegg induced a ground ball out from Park City leadoff hitter Griffen Rogers to end the game.

McCann drove in three runs with a double, Tate plated two with a double and Harding had an RBI single as Timpanogos sent 12 batters to the plate

in the third. The big inning turned a 1-1 tied into a 9-1 lead.

"Cache McCann totally just broke that game open for us," Nelson said. "That was a huge hit."

Hall went five innings on the mound to get the win for the T-Wolves, giving up one unearned run and allowing only two hits.

"We're playing two today with a chance to move on," Nelson said. "We're at a point where your pitching staff becomes really important. Not

just the top two or three guys but going down to five, six and seven, guys who have pitched during the year but probably not that many innings. That's who you're really counting on to really help you get to the next day."

McCann was 3 for 4 at the plate and Collin Morgan was 2 for 3 for Timpanogos.

It was the second victory in the tournament for the T-Wolves over Park City (21-10) after winning 3-2 on Monday.

NFL schedule

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Kansas City will then travel to Buffalo on Nov. 17 in what is becoming a yearly matchup. This will be the fifth straight year the two teams have faced off in the regular season. The Bills have won three straight in the regular season but the Chiefs have won all three in the playoffs.

The Rams' Matthew Stafford and Detroit's Jared Goff will face their former teams for the third time, including the playoffs. The Lions won their first playoff game in 32 years when they defeated the Rams 24-23 in an NFC wild-card round game.

Goff recently agreed to a four-year, \$212 million contract extension.

The rematch of the NFC championship game between the 49ers and Lions won't happen until Dec. 30 in San Francisco, which is the last Monday night game of the season.

After the Rams game, the Lions host Tampa Bay on Sept. 15 in a rematch of a divisional round game won by Detroit.

The other playoff rematches are Baltimore at Houston on Christmas Day, Philadelphia at Tampa Bay on Sept. 29 and San Francisco at Green Bay on Nov. 24.

The NFL released the full slate for its 105th season after revealing four international

games and both of its Christmas Day matchups earlier Wednesday. The schedule has been released the past couple of years on the second Thursday in May, but was slightly delayed this year.

Even though a memo was sent to teams late last week saying the schedule would be released Wednesday night, it wasn't until Monday morning that it was finalized.

Hans Schroeder, the executive vice president of NFL Media, said there were meetings over the weekend to tweak things.

Five quarterbacks going in the first round of the draft impacted some of the final decisions.

"We were getting really close at the end of last week and had something we were really happy with Friday," he said. "We had a four-hour zoom on Sunday night and had the final winner. It was very similar to Friday but a couple things we liked better. We used every minute to continue to refine it."

Among other highlights:

NOTABLE DEBUTS

Kirk Cousins' first game with the Atlanta Falcons will be at home on Sept. 8 when they host Russell Wilson and the Pittsburgh Steelers. Cousins signed a four-year, \$180 million deal with the Falcons during the offseason.

Wilson is making his Steelers' debut after being released by Denver. It will also mark the return of Arthur Smith, who is the Steelers offensive coordinator after being fired as

Falcons coach.

Caleb Williams, the top overall pick by Chicago in last month's draft, will make his Bears debut against Tennessee. Chicago then goes to Houston for a Sunday night game on Sept. 15 against the Texans and reigning AP Offensive Rookie of the Year C.J. Stroud.

The top two picks in the draft could meet on Oct. 27 in Washington when the Bears face the Commanders and Jayden Daniels.

MULTIPLE SHORT WEEKS

Including the Kickoff Game, "Thursday Night Football" and Thanksgiving, 14 teams will be playing multiple Thursday games.

The league amended its policy last season where teams could make more than one appearance on Thursday nights.

Six teams — the Jaguars, Titans, Colts, Cardinals, Panthers and Chargers — will not have the short Sunday to Thursday turnaround.

CHRISTMAS DAY GAMES

Netflix has reached a three-year deal with the league to carry games on Christmas Day.

The streaming giant will carry two games this year and at least one game in 2025 and '26. Kansas City travels to Pittsburgh in the first game before the Ravens and Texans meet in the late afternoon.

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From B1

scholarships (not an insignificant sum but certainly not the astronomical amounts being tossed around elsewhere) and said, “I want my share.” They looked at coaches moving almost without penalty and said, “I should be able to do that too.”

So while I agree with Darnell that many of the best things in college sports are being lost to the ravenous demands of greed, that ship sailed many years ago. It’s just that thanks to NIL and the transfer portal, now the reality is more obvious.

2. What do you think of the roster Kevin Young is putting together for BYU men’s basketball?

LLOYD: I’m trying to figure out just exactly what he’s going to do with it.

You have some experienced veterans in Trevin Knell, Fousseyini Traore, Dallin Hall, and Richie Saunders who are accustomed to the style Mark Pope employed the last couple of years. Then you add in some intriguing pieces like Dawson Baker and Keba Keita but most likely lose Jaxson Robinson and Noah Waterman.

Does Young want to run? Does he want a 3-point shooting team? Is he looking to be strong inside? Will defense be the focus? Will he emphasize NBA-style pick-and-rolls?

I don’t look at this roster and see an obvious answer. He has a variety of ways he could go, plus more holes to fill. I like the flexibility but I’m still looking for the identity.

DICKSON: The best part of the roster is still the returning players. In a college basketball world where athletes are transferring at an incredible rate, the Cougars have a very strong core of returning players and that’s a really good thing. Just like it was last season, BYU’s continuity and experience will be a big reason for their success.

Young still has four scholarships to fill and this is where things get really interesting. How big of an impact can a big-time transfer have on the group that’s returning? Could that be the difference in having a good season or a great season?

Young is still after some intriguing prospects, including several foreign-born players. Keba Keita is a terrific addition as well. The next few months are going to continue to be very interesting for BYU basketball.

Lions

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“It was hot and we got tired,” Simons said. “It takes a big push to go another seven innings.”

She felt like her young squad was getting used to the setting, which hopefully will help when they take the field again on Thursday.

“This is the furthest in state that we’ve been in a lot of years and so I think this is a new environment that we haven’t been in for a long time,” Simons said. “I think the biggest thing is we’re coming back stronger tomorrow. We’ll be rested and come back with a whole new attitude.”

Being one of the last six teams left in the 4A state tournament is a big deal for the Lions, one that is the product of Payson having an excellent season overall.

Simons credited her four seniors for fight through some hard times and setting the stage for the team’s success.

“They’ve have worked to build this program and to make it better than they found it,” Simons said. “We’ve talked a lot about this year on working as a team and working as a family. Whether your role is on the field or your role is off the field, we’re all going in it together and we’re all going to get a win together.”

“They sat down at the beginning of the year and made goals, and they’ve just been checking them off through-



COURTESY BYU PHOTO

New BYU men’s basketball coach Kevin Young addresses an audience at his introductory news conference at the Marriott Center on April 17.

3. What do you think of men’s basketball starter Noah Waterman entering the transfer portal?

DICKSON: I just can’t get used to the suddenness of the transfer portal. One minute a guy seems perfectly happy where he is and then “Bam!” he’s in the portal.

Now it’s not uncommon for a player to have been to three or four different schools by the time he’s a senior. Marcus Adams Jr. recently transferred to Cal Northridge. That’s his fourth school and he is still a redshirt freshman. That’s crazy to me but it’s the new normal in college sports.

What I end up telling myself is that a college athlete has to explore his options in the current climate to find his best situation. I suppose the way things work now if he transfers and it’s not the best situation, he can just jump back into the portal. That leaves me a bit unsettled, to say the least.

As for Waterman, he is a very skilled four-man who should be pretty attractive to a lot of schools. BYU is still in the mix and Waterman would have a big impact if he stays.

LLOYD: To wait as long as he did tells me this isn’t a situation like Dallin Hall and Richie Saunders who were trying to keep their options open with the coaching change. Waterman had the opportunity to get a taste of what Kevin Young wants to do and decided it might not

be right for him.

Or he got a big NIL offer elsewhere. Or both.

There were things I really liked about Waterman and he particularly impressed me with his improvement on defense and rebounding this past year. But I felt there was more there. I hope wherever he goes he develops even more.

Will it hurt BYU? Maybe. But maybe not.

The bottom line is Young needs guys who want to play for him as Cougars and if that’s not Waterman, he needs to move on.

4. We’re coming toward the end of BYU’s first year in the Big 12. What are your thoughts about the Cougars and a look ahead to Year 2?

LLOYD: It’s ironic to me that while most of the BYU programs did basically what I expected them to, the most high-profile were the two outliers.

It was a fun year for Cougar men’s basketball. Any year you are ranked for most of the season and get a win at Kansas is one to be appreciated. Sure, the ending was disappointing, but that happens. BYU was a force to be reckoned with in the league.

On the other side was the disappointment of Cougar football. Their league performance featured two good games (Cincinnati and Texas Tech), four solid performances in losses (Kan-

sas, Texas, Oklahoma and Oklahoma State) and three complete disasters (TCU, West Virginia and Iowa State). That’s not enough good games and too many bad games.

The bottom line to me, though, is that BYU fits here. They are capable of competing in most sports, and bring fans and ratings with them. The move has brought and will continue to bring the opportunity to compete at the elite level, which is what the Cougars deserve.

DICKSON: I think it was a pretty successful start for the Cougars in the Big 12.

The Olympic sports were strong and men’s basketball certainly overachieved. It was a disappointing football season but I think it helped the coaches identify some places they needed to be better to compete. It was a big learning opportunity for every BYU program to evaluate where they are, where they want to be and what they can

do to accomplish their goals.

The interesting thing about the Big 12 is that Year 2 will bring even more change with Texas and Oklahoma leaving and Utah, Colorado, Arizona and Arizona State becoming members. The newness of the league will continue and will require more adjustments.

5. Utah football fans are pretty confident the Utes will own the Big 12. Who do you think will win the league in 2024?

DICKSON: With Texas and Oklahoma leaving, it’s going to be wide open. I think there are probably five or six teams in this league (Utah included) that could rise up and win the thing. It’ll likely come down to a fortunate bounce or two, the Big 12 is that competitive.

BYU’s position in all of this is interesting, to say the

least. I think the defense will be better this season because the Cougars have more depth and are in the second year of Jay Hill’s scheme. The offense has question marks at quarterback and on the line but I think it will be better as well. That doesn’t necessarily automatically translate into more wins, though. You have to come to play every week in the Big 12.

Who will win it all? Best guess right now: Iowa State wins the regular-season title but is beaten by Kansas State in the Big 12 Championship Game. But I reserve the right to change my mind a dozen times before the season starts.

LLOYD: I love the bravado of all fans, particularly when the facts aren’t exactly in their favor (although to be fair Utah does have some prominent national observers who seem to ignore the same realities).

Look, the Utes were 8-5 last fall in a top-heavy league that has a history of mediocrity in recent years. They played one Big 12 opponent and yes, they managed to rally late for a 20-13 win on the road against a Baylor team that ended up 3-9. Not exactly something to get too excited about.

They also played the other three teams that will be making the move to the Big 12 from the Pac 12, smashing Arizona State (3-9), barely beating Colorado (4-8) and getting crushed by Arizona (10-3).

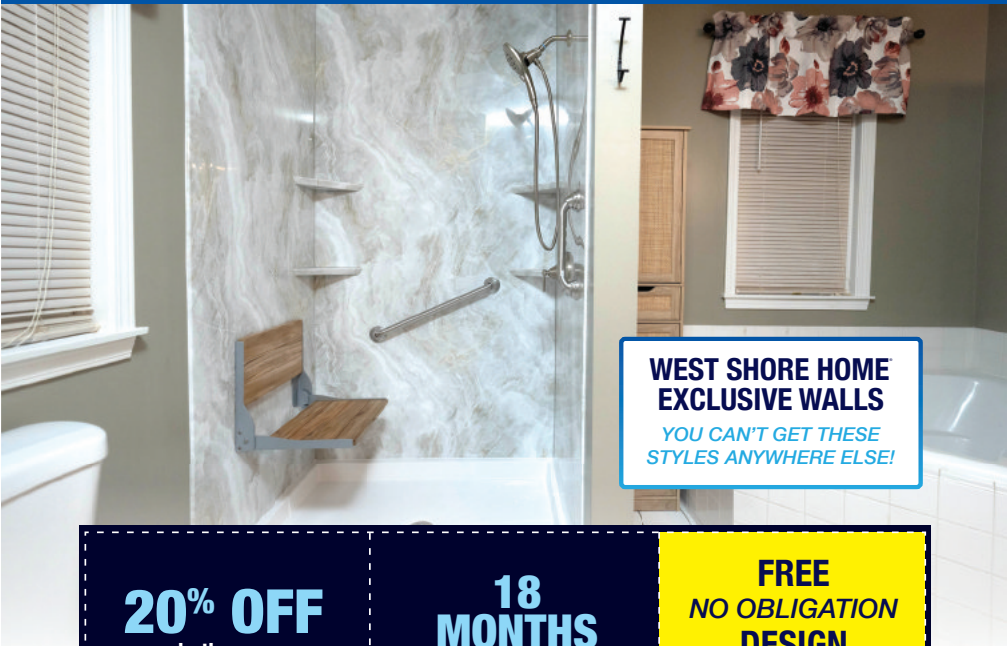
Could any of those four teams win the league? Maybe.

Could they all struggle in a conference that has had more parity than the Pac-12 in recent seasons? Maybe.

The Big 12 is great because it’s wide open. Frankly I think just about any team could get hot and make a run at the title.

I’ll make my way-too-early pick and take an Oklahoma State team that reached the Big 12 title game, but I don’t give them better than a 25% chance of doing so.

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“The thing I wanna be most when I grow up is taller.”

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DENNIS THE MENACE

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“I’M NOT TOO SURE, BUT I’LL LET YOU KNOW WHEN I COME UP WITH A GOOD EXCUSE.”

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“I’M NOT SAYING IT’S SPYING ON US, BUT IT’S ASKING ME TO “SELECT ALL THE IMAGES OF YOURSELF SELECTING ALL THE IMAGES OF YOURSELF.”

FREE RANGE

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“I TOLD YOU THAT STUFFING THE CASH IN OUR CARGO PANTS WOULD SLOW US DOWN!”

BABY BLUES

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“I CAN’T WAIT FOR SUMMER VACATION SO THE KIDS CAN START TELLING ME HOW BORING IT IS AROUND HERE.”

“WELL, THERE’S STILL TIME TO TRY TO BECOME MORE ENTERTAINING!”

“PERHAPS I’LL JUST HEAD OFF TO WORK NOW...”

“IF YOU’RE LUCKY, THE LOCKS WON’T BE CHANGED WHEN YOU GET HOME.”

PEARLS BEFORE SWINE

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“HEY STEPH. I THOUGHT I’D MAKE YOU FEEL A LITTLE BIT BETTER TODAY. SO I WENT OUT AND FOUND YOUR BIGGEST FAN.”

“THAT’S GREAT. IT’S TOUGH TO BE AN ARTIST SOMETIMES, AND SOMETHING LIKE THAT CAN BE A REAL EGO BOOST.”

“YOU’RE NOT HELPFUL.”

BLONDIE

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“WE’D LIKE TO THROW A SHINDIG TO CELEBRATE OUR 30TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!”

“AW, THAT’S WONDERFUL!”

“MAYBE YOU CAN MAKE A CAKE THAT SAYS ‘I CAN’T BELIEVE WE MADE IT A WHOLE 30 YEARS!’”

“KEEP THAT UP AND WE WON’T MAKE IT TO 31!”

WIZARD OF ID

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“WIZ! WE NEED YOUR HELP! HUNS ARE AT THE SOUTH WALL!”

“COME HERE, WAND!”

“WHIP SMACK”

“SORRY, STILL LEARNING HOW TO USE THE FORCE”

LUANN

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“(YOU FAINTED, MRS. HORNER. HELP IS ON THE WAY

“...LUANN...? WHAT--”

“OH, DEAR. DID I ALARM EVERYONE?”

“IT’S OK. WE’RE TAKING CARE OF YOU”

“I PUT MY JACKET UNDER YOUR HEAD”

“JUST REST A SECOND. WAIT FOR THE EMTS”

“I SHOULD GET UP...”

“LISTEN TO HER, SHE’S LIKE A DOCTOR”

MOTHER GOOSE & GRIMM

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“SANDMAN? NO, I SOLD OUT TO BIG PHARMA 4 YEARS AGO... CARE FOR AN AMBIEN?”

BIG NATE

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“I THINK IT’S SWEET THAT WE NOMINATED OURSELVES FOR BEST COUPLE!”

“ME, TOO! BUT I DON’T CARE IF WE WIN!”

“NEITHER DO I!”

“AH! I HEAR YOU TWO ARE UP FOR BEST COUPLE! GOOD LUCK!”

“TESSA AND I ARE THE COUPLE TO BEAT! YOU TWO DON’T HAVE A CHANCE!”

“I CARE IF WE WIN.”

“SO DO I.”

ZITS

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“CLAPTON, WE NEED TO PULL AN ALL-NIGHTER.”

“I’M COUNTING ON YOU TO HELP KEEP ME ALERT AND FOCUSED AT ALL TIMES.”

“CATS SUCK AS TEAM PLAYERS.”

HI & LOIS

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“BIRDS ARE RELATED TO DINOSAURS.”

“WHAT IF THERE WERE STILL PTERODACTYLS?”

“WE’D BE BIRD FOOD.”

MUTTS

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“MARY HAD A LITTLE LAMB, ITS FLEECE WAS WHITE AS SNOW—AND EVERYWHERE THAT MARY WENT, THE LAMB WAS SURE TO GO.”

“IT FOLLOWED HER TO SCHOOL ONE DAY—WHICH WAS AGAINST THE RULES—IT MADE THE CHILDREN LAUGH AND PLAY TO SEE A LAMB AT SCHOOL.”

“HA! HA! THAT WOULD BE FUNNY!”

DUSTIN

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“BRAKE LIGHTS! BRAKE LIGHTS!”

“WATCH OUT-- THIS GUY IS GOING STRAIGHT.”

“THIS CAR IS EQUIPPED WITH A SAFETY FEATURE NO ONE WANTS...”

“YOU’RE FOLLOWING TOO CLOSE. REMEMBER THE TWO-SECOND RULE.”

“A PASSENGER-SIDE WINDBAG.”

B.C.

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SALLY FORTH

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“SO YOU WANT ME TO SPEND MY SUMMER LOOKING AFTER YOUR STORE SO YOU CAN HAVE A SUMMER OFF?”

“UM, OKAY, THAT’S ONE WAY TO PHRASE IT.”

“I’LL DO IT... BUT ONLY IF MY FRIENDS DEB AND PAT CAN HELP ME.”

“OKAY, BUT I CAN’T AFFORD TO PAY THREE PEOPLE, MOM.”

“THEN JUST INCREASE MY SALARY AND I’LL SHARE IT WITH THEM.”

“YOU’RE GOING TO NEED A SIGNED, NOTARIZED CONTRACT FOR THIS, AREN’T YOU?”

DADDY’S HOME

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“HA! MY FRIEND JUST SENT ME THIS JOKE. WANNA HEAR IT?”

“SHOULDN’T YOU BE LOOKING FOR A JOB SO YOU CAN PAY SOME RENT?”

“SO THIS GUY WALKS INTO A BAR...”

“I HOPE IT’S ME.”

THE BARN

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“SLIP”

“ALL RIGHT! WHO DID THAT?”

“SPRINGTIME IN THE PASTURE!”

FLO & FRIENDS

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“THE PROBLEM WITH LIVING THIS LONG IS THAT EVERYONE WANTS TO KNOW THE SECRET TO IT!”

“SO, WHAT DO YOU TELL THEM?”

“SIMPLE. THE SECRET TO A LONG LIFE IS DEEP BREATHING.”

“REALLY? THAT’S IT?”

“SURE!”

“...AS LONG AS YOU CAN KEEP IT UP FOR 80 OR 90 YEARS!”

ANDY CAPP

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“THEY HAD A NICE LIVING ROOM. I REALLY LIKED THAT HDTV OF THEIRS”

“WHAT WAS SO SPECIAL ABOUT IT?”

“IT HADN’T BEEN REPOSSESSED!”

SHERMAN’S LAGOON

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“HOW ARE YOU FEELING?”

“WOOLZY.”

“THE DEATH TOAD VENOM IS MAKING ITS WAY THROUGH MY BODY.”

“OH, DEAR.”

“WHAT CAN I DO?”

“A SANDWICH COULDN’T HURT.”

“UH-HUH.”

DOONESBURY

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“ARE YOU GOING TO COME SEE DADDY, GRAMS?”

“I’M AFRAID I CAN’T, HONEY. I HAVE TO CATCH A PLANE HOME.”

“RICK DOESN’T DO WELL ON HIS OWN. IF I’M GONE FOR TOO LONG, HE COMPLETELY FALLS APART.”

“WOW...”

“NOW THAT SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD MARRIAGE.”

“YES, I’M VERY LUCKY.”

MALLARD FILLMORE

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“ACCORDING TO A RECENT STUDY, MOST PEOPLE NOW THINK THAT “OLD AGE” BEGINS AT 75...”

“...WHICH IS SIGNIFICANTLY LATER IN LIFE THAN PEOPLE USED TO THINK.”

“SO, FOR THOSE OF YOU KEEPING TRACK, THAT MAKES 75 THE NEW 55, 85 THE NEW 65, AND 95 THE NEW “PRESIDENTIAL.”

HOROSCOPES

Mercury sings cha-ching!

What was commonplace in an era gone by is now considered offensive, and that has been the way for every trip around the sun since the dawn of society. To fully embrace this moment in history is to make constant updates. Mercury in the early degrees of Taurus refreshes the page of commerce and encourages the service of today's market.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Instead of rushing to conclusions, you'll take time to gather information and consider multiple perspectives. Instead of seeking validation, you'll focus on self-assurance and inner confidence.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You are the free-spirit who ignites the untamed essence of others. You expand boundaries by just being you. You'll effortlessly draw out aspects of people that might typically be restrained by convention.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). There's no benefit to dwelling on past mistakes, but you'll definitely get some insight from a quick visit with that data. A course correction may be in order before you can focus on present actions and future possibilities.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Some feel smarter because they notice what's wrong in the situation. It's a good start, though complaining is only the entry level. The real intelligence is honed by those who brainstorm solutions and take proactive steps.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). It is natural to compete with people who are on your team. It happens to a stronger degree when the outside competition is not prevalent enough. When a common enemy shows up to the court, the team bands together.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). It doesn't take much to shake up the routine today. New shoes will do it. Being 15 minutes early will do it, as will being 15 minutes late. These small tweaks will alter your adventure significantly.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). In theory, you're always up for a challenge, though the reality is that were you to

take them all on, you would have no energy left for some of the best things in life. And besides, shouldn't some things be sweet and easy?

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). When you like someone, you seek ways to keep the connection going, for instance a shared goal, ritual or cause. Even though such things can be purposefully arranged to good effect, it's nice when they come up organically like they will today.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). There will be little room for anonymity today; you're always under the spotlight, but your unique presence allows you to influence situations positively and leave a mark that resonates long after you've moved on.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). In your fantasy travel, the scenery is natural, gorgeous and accommodating to your physical being. On real vacations, it's often too hot, too cold, too crowded and almost always too expensive. You'll consider carefully what trip would be worth the trouble?

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Delving into intellectual pursuits can be enriching, but it's not for every day or every cycle. Some realms of knowledge lead to existential questioning, disillusionment or even a sense of nihilism. For today, stick to the creature comforts.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). There is no universally applicable or guaranteed method of providing lasting comfort or reassurance to everyone. Acknowledge individual differences, preferences and needs when exploring ways to cope with uncertainty.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (May 16). Down the winding path you go, seeking your heart's desire and finding pearls of intellect, enlightenment and skill along the way. The prize will challenge you more than anticipated, and attaining it will compound your joy. More highlights: You'll enjoy new social circles. Your team does a job better than ever and all prosper. Gemini and Cancer adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 7, 17, 5, 30 and 10.

JANRIC CLASSIC SUDOKU

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and 3x3 block. Use logic and process elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from Bronze (easiest) to Silver to Gold (hardest).

Solution to 5/15/24

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Rating: BRONZE

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Page 1 tabloid line
- 5 Hold true
- 9 Abacus slider
- 13 Certain quiz options
- 15 Subcompact
- 16 Crucifix letters
- 17 Artist Kahlo
- 18 Sluggish, as traffic
- 20 Raptor's weapons
- 22 Analogous
- 23 Cow's mouthful
- 24 "Something's missing" message
- 27 Sovereignty in India
- 30 Sun, in São Paulo
- 31 High-pitched bird sound
- 32 Alaskan native
- 34 Witness' phrase
- 37 Decision-making deadline
- 40 "Something's missing" message
- 43 Doing mess hall prep
- 44 Sweat (over)
- 45 Urban abbr. line
- 46 Bit of moisture
- 48 Off-rd. vehicle
- 50 Attach a patch
- 51 "Something's missing" message
- 56 Eggs, in Latin
- 57 Thing to spring
- 58 Bleach brand
- 62 One preparing a formula
- 65 Valentine card excerpt

- 66 Surveyor's stat
- 67 Another: Sp.
- 68 Out to lunch, say
- 69 Hand-held harp
- 70 Royal mandate
- 71 What may have one of the messages
- DOWN**
- 1 Senseless
- 2 Incantation starter
- 3 Hard labor
- 4 Urgent care pro
- 5 Early hrs.
- 6 Curriculum __ (résumé)
- 7 Mushroom in many sushi bars

- 8 Shred into halves
- 9 Sort of storage space
- 10 List with the cast
- 11 Lock horns (with)
- 12 Simple semiconductor
- 14 It's played with 108 cards
- 19 Once again
- 21 Airport near OAK
- 25 Fire starter
- 26 Out of patience
- 27 Wealthy, in Juárez
- 28 Poetic time
- 29 Sort of storage space
- 33 Tech support whiz
- 35 Compass letters
- 36 Sadat of Egypt

- 38 Dermatological concern
- 39 Comics scream
- 41 Belongs to
- 42 Decathlon event
- 47 Half hexadeca-
- 49 Quirky habit
- 51 Divided into districts
- 52 All possible
- 53 Christine of *Chicago* *Hope*
- 54 With 55-Down, arias
- 55 See 54-Down
- 59 Prefix for tiller
- 60 Ancient Roman poet
- 61 TV "Warrior Princess"
- 63 Fannie __ mortgage
- 64 Nonsense

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Thursday Evening Television

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM
KUTV	2 News at 6pm (N) (Live)	Entertainment Tonight (N)	Young Sheldon "Part 1" (N) (TVPG)	Young Sheldon "Part 2" (N) (F)	So Help Me Todd: The Tooth Is Out There" (N) (F) (TV14)		Elisbeth (TVPG)		2 News at 10pm (N) (Live)	(35) The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (N) (TVPG)		(40) After Midnight (N) (TV14)	
KTVX	ABC4 News at 6pm (N)		9-1-1 "Step Nine" (N) (TV14)		Grey's Anatomy "Blood, Sweat and Tears" (N) (TV14)		Station 19 "Ushers of the New World" (N) (TV14)		ABC4 News at 10pm (N)	(35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (N) (TV14)	(35) Nightline (N)	(05) Access Hollywood (N) (TVPG)	
KSL	KSL 5 News at 6p (N)	KSL 5 News at 6:30p (N)	Law & Order "In Harm's Way" (N) (SF) (TV14)		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Duty to Hope" (N) (SF) (TV14)		Law & Order: Organized Crime "Stabler's Lament" (N) (SF) (TV14)		KSL 5 News at 10 (N)	(35) The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon (N) (TV14)	(35) Late Night With Seth Meyers (N) (TV14)		
KUED	PBS NewsHour (N)		This Is Utah (TVG)	Through Our Eyes "Shelter" (TVPG)	The Brokenwood Mysteries "Blood and Tears" (N) (TV14)	Blood and Tears" (N) (TV14)	Outside: Beyond the Lens (TV14)	May to December "Baby Love" (TV14)	Rick Steves' Europe "Lisbon" (TVPG)	Lucy Worsley Investigates "Madness of King George" (TVPG)		The Boleyns: A "The Fall" (TVPG)	
KUEN	Cycling-Japan (TVG)	Plan Stronger TV	DW News	NHK Newsline	Energy Switch "Sea Level Rise" (TVPG)	Unadopted (TVPG)	Possible Selves: Overcoming the Odds in Foster Care (TVPG)	Laura Flanders "Making Progress" (TVPG)	Roadtrip "Making Progress" (TVPG)	Global Us (TVG)	Fly Brother With Ernest White II	Songs at the Center	
KUEB2	America ReFramed "Far East Deep South"		POV Shorts		PBS NewsHour (N)		Amanpour and Company (N)		America ReFramed "Far East Deep South"		POV Shorts		Movie
KSTU	Simpsons "Pixelated and Afraid"	Modern Fam. I Can See Your Voice (N)			Farmer Wants a Wife "The Reunion" (N) (SF) (TVPG)		FOX13 News at Nine (N) (Live)	(05) Modern Family	(35) Seinfeld "The Nose Job" (TVPG)	(05) Seinfeld "The Raincoats"	(05) The Simpsons "Gone Boy"	(05) Friends	
KJZZ	Wheel (N)	Jeopardy! (N)	News (N)	News (N)	48 Hours "Dead Ringer" (N)		2 News (N)	Extra (N)	Family Guy	Family Guy	Burgers	Burgers	Dateline
KUCW	Big Bang	Big Bang	ABC 4 News	Inside Ed. (N)	Patti Stanger (N)		Lovers and Liars (N)		Big Bang	Two Half Men	Mom	Mom	Two Half Men
KUPX	Hot Bench	Hot Bench	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	"Movie"		FOX13 News at Nine		FOX13 News at Nine	Main & Wall	Main & Wall	Main & Wall	Pensacola
KPNZ	TCT Today	Joyce Meyer	Perry Stone	Robison	Jeffress	Jewish Jesus	A. Womack	Ask the Pastor	Today God	TCT Today	Vindication	Stem Cell	
KTMW	La casa de los famosos (N) (TVPG)						El Señor de los (N) (TV14)		Noticiero	(35) Noticias	Acércate a Rocio	Caso cerrado	
PREMIUM CABLE CHANNELS													
HBO	(55) ★★ "The A-Team" (10) Liam Neeson. (PG13)		Sympathy "All for One"		The Jinx	(50) ★★ "Predators" (10) Adrien Brody. (R)			(40) Jerrod Car	(10) John E.			
HBO2	Movie	(55) ★ "Paranormal Activity: Marked Ones"	(20) Last Week To. (TVMA)		Jerrold Car	(25) We're Here	(25) ★★ ★★ "T. Tonya"	(17) Margot Robbie. (R)					
HBO3	(25) ★★ ★★ "Sleepless in Seattle" (93) (PG)		(10) ★★ ★★ "Forgetting Sarah Marshall" (08) (R)		★ ★ ★ ★ "Good Time" (17) (R)		★ ★ ★ ★ "Office Space" (99) (R)		Movie				
MAX	(5:45) ★ "Lucie" (19) Naomi Watts. (R)	(35) ★★ ★★ "Obvious Child" (14) (R)	★ ★ ★ ★ "Baby Mama" (08) Tina Fey. (PG13)	(40) ★ ★ ★ "Office Space" (99) (R)					Movie				
PLEX	Movie	(45) ★ "A Mermaid's Tale" (17) (G)	(20) ★★ ★★ "Race to Space"	(01) James Woods. (PG)	(05) ★ "Red Dog: True Blue" (16)		(35) ★ "Saving Sloane"						
TMC	(5:30) ★ "A Thousand Little C...	★ ★ ★ ★ "American Gigolo" (80) Richard Gere. (R)	★ ★ ★ ★ "Terms of Endearment" (83) (PG)		(10) ★ ★ ★ ★ "Stand by Me" (86) (P) (R)								
PARSHO-E	(5:00) ★ ★ ★ ★ "The Hatful Eight" (15) (R)	The Chi "The Aftermath"	★ ★ ★ ★ "Talk to Me" (22) (R)	(35) Gentleman, Moscow	★ ★ ★ ★ "The Machinist" (R)								
PARSHO-F	(5:35) ★ ★ ★ ★ "13 Hours: The Secret Soldiers of Benghazi"	★ ★ ★ ★ "The Hatful Eight" (15) Kurt Russell, Samuel L. Jackson. (R)	The Chi "The Aftermath"		Movie								
STARZ	Movie	(25) ★ ★ ★ ★ "I Beale Street Could Talk" (18) (R)	(25) ★ ★ ★ ★ "Road to Paloma" (14) (R)	★ ★ ★ ★ "Just Getting Started" (17) (PG13)	★ "There's Something About ..."								
STZENC	(05) ★ "The Gateway" (21) (R)	(40) ★ ★ ★ "Ambulance" (22) Jake Gyllenhaal. (R)		★ ★ ★ "The 355" (22) Jessica Chastain. (PG13)									
OTHER CABLE CHANNELS													
A&E	First "Ringside Seat" (N)	Accused: Guilty (N)	Interrogation Raw (N)	(05) The First 48	(05) First "Ringside Seat"	(05) Accused: Guilty	(05) Raw						
AMC	(5:30) ★ ★ ★ "The Hitman's Bodyguard" (17) (R)	(15) ★ ★ "The Hitman's Wife's Bodyguard" (21) Ryan Reynolds. (R)	★ ★ ★ ★ "True Grit" (10) Jeff Bridges. (PG13)										
ANIMAL	Catch "Falling Down"	Deadliest Catch "Lost at Sea"	Deadliest Catch	Catch "Cornelia Marie Blue"	Catch "Falling Down"	Catch "Falling Down"	Catch "Falling Down"						
BET	(4:30) ★ "Men in Black II"	★ ★ ★ "Men in Black 3" (12) Tommy Lee Jones, Josh Brolin, Will Smith. (PG13)		Martin	Martin	Martin	Martin						
BYU	All-Round Arcathlon	★ ★ ★ "Touchback" (11) Brian Presley. (PG13)	Survivalists	Heartland	(4:45) Heartland "Fearless"	(25) Heartland	(10) Hway.						
CARTOON	Burgers	Burgers	American	American	American	Rick	Smiling	Crackers	Aqua/ Aqua TV	Golden Girls	American		
CBSN	PGA Championship Clu (N)	Cornhole		PGA Championship Clu	2024 PokerGo Cup	2024 PokerGo Cup	2024 Poker						
CMTV	Mama's	Mama's	Mama's	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls		
CNBC	Shark Tank (TVPG)	Shark Tank (TVPG)	Shark Tank (TVPG)	Shark Tank (TVPG)	Shark Tank (TVPG)	Shark Tank (TVPG)	Shark Tank (TVPG)	Shark Tank (TVPG)	Listing Impossible	Dateline	OnFront		
CNN	Cooper 360 (N) (Live)	The Source With (N) (Live)	CNN NewsNight (N) (Live)	Laura Coates Live (N) (Live)	Anderson Cooper 360	The Source With	United Flight Alliance	United Flight Alliance	United Flight Alliance	United Flight Alliance	United Flight Alliance		
COMEDY	Seinfeld	The Office	(35) Office	(45) Office	(20) The Office (TV14)	(55) Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	Daily Show		
CSPAN	(1:30) U.S. House (N) (Live)	Public Affairs Events (TVG)											
DISC	Caught!	Caught!	Caught!	Caught!	Caught!	Caught!	Caught!	Caught!	Expedition From Hell (N)	Expedition			
DISN	Bluey	Bluey	Bluey	Big City	Hailey	Hailey	Hailey	Hailey	Miraculous World	(05) Jessie			
DLC	Stories ER "Face Off"	Stories ER "Oh, Deer!"	Sex "Hitting the Hay"	Sex Sent Me "Dirty Laundry"	Stories ER "Face Off"	Stories ER "Oh, Deer!"	Sex Sent Me "Dirty Laundry"	Sex Sent Me "Dirty Laundry"	Sex Sent Me "Dirty Laundry"	Sex Sent Me "Dirty Laundry"	Sex Sent Me "Dirty Laundry"		
E!	Movie	★ ★ ★ "Couples Retreat" (09) Jason Bateman, Vince Vaughn. (PG13)	E! News (N)	Sex-City	Sex-City	Sex-City	Sex-City	Sex-City	Sex-City	Sex-City	Sex-City		
ESPN	NBA (N)	NBA Basketball Denver Nuggets at Minnesota Timberwolves (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)		
ESPN2	College Baseball Arkansas at Texas A&M (N) (Live)	NFL Live	NFL Live	NFL Live	NFL Live	NFL Live	NFL Live	NFL Live	NFL Live	NFL Live	NFL Live		
FOOD	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby		
FREE	★ ★ ★ "Despicable Me 3" (17) Steve Carell. (PG)	★ ★ ★ "Pocahontas" (95) Irene Bedard. (G)	★ ★ ★ ★ "Up" (09) Ed Asner. (PG)										
FX	(4:00) ★ "X-Men: First Class"	★ ★ ★ ★ "Avengers: Endgame" (19) Chris Evans, Mark Ruffalo, Robert Downey Jr.. (PG13)											
GALA	Una familia de diez (TV14)	Nosotros los guapos (TV14)	Vecinos (TV14)	40 y 20	40 y 20	Renta	Renta	Renta	Alma de	Alma de	Alma de	Alma de	Alma de
HALL	(5:00) ★ "The 27-Hour Day"	★ "A Whitewater Romance" (24) Cindy Busby.		Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls		
HIST	American Pickers	Pickers "Kiddie Car Heaven"	Swamp "Relentless Pursuit"	Swamp People "All In"	Swamp "Gator Gauntlet" (N)	(05) Swamp "Swamp Jaws"	(05) Swamp "Swamp Jaws"	(05) Swamp "Swamp Jaws"					
HGTV	Ugliest	Ugliest	Ugliest	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters		
KTLA	KTLA 5 News at 5 (N)	News at 6 (N)	KTLA News	Unscripted	Two Men	Patti Stanger (N)	Lovers and Liars (N)	News (N)	(45) Sports	News (N)			
LIFE	Theresa Caputo (N)	Theresa Caputo (N)	(05) Theresa Caputo	(05) Theresa Caputo	Theresa Caputo	Theresa Caputo	Theresa Caputo	Theresa Caputo	Theresa Caputo	Theresa Caputo	(05) T. Caputo		
MSNBC	All In With (N) (Live)	Wagner (N) (Live)	Last Word (N) (Live)	11th Hour (N) (Live)	The Beat With Ari Melber	Last Word With Lawrence	11th Hour	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore		
MTV	Catfish: The TV Show	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore		
NIC	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends		
NWSN	Cuomo (N) (Live)	Dan Abrams Live (N) (Live)	Banfield (N) (Live)	Cuomo	Dan Abrams Live	Banfield	Cuomo	Dan Abrams Live	Banfield	Cuomo	Dan Abrams Live		
PARMT	★ ★ ★ "Just Go With It" (11) Jennifer Aniston, Nicole Kidman, Adam Sandler. (PG13)	World Poker Tour: Alpha	World Poker Tour	World Poker Tour	World Poker Tour	World Poker Tour	World Poker Tour	World Poker Tour	United Fight Alliance	United Fight Alliance	United Fight Alliance		
ROOT	(5:10) ★ ★ ★ "The Da Vinci Code" (06) (PG13)	(15) ★ ★ ★ ★ "The Truman Show" (98) Jim Carrey. (P) (PG)	(35) ★ ★ "Push" (09) Chris Evans. (PG13)										
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	★ ★ ★ "Welcome Home Roscoe Jenkins" (08) (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Focus" (15) Will Smith. (R)						
TELEM	(5:00) La casa de los famosos (N) (TVPG)	El Señor de los (N) (TV14)	Noticias	(35) Noticias	Acércate a Rocio	Caso cerrado							
TLC	600-Lb. Life "Supersized: Julian and Cindy" (N) (TV14)	600-Lb. Life "Nathan and Amber" (TV14)	NHL Hockey Second Round: Teams TBA (N) (Live)	600-Lb. Life "Supersized: Julian and Cindy" (TV14)	Post-Game "Edge of Tomorrow"								
TNT	(5:30) NHL Hockey Second Round: Teams TBA (N) (Live)	★ ★ ★ ★ "Three Comrades" (38) Robert Taylor.	★ ★ ★ "Flight Command" (40) Robert Taylor.										
TCM	★ ★ ★ "The Mortal Storm" (40) Margaret Sullivan.	Mystery at Blind Fog Ranch	Paranormal Caper on Cam.	Beyond the Unknown									
TRUTV	(5:30) NHL Hockey	NHL Hockey Edmonton Oilers at Vancouver Canucks (N) (Live)	NHL on TNT	House of (N)	Imp. Jokers								
USA	★ ★ ★ "Fast & Furious 6" (13) Paul Walker, Dwayne Johnson, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)	★ ★ ★ "Fast Five" (11) Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel. (PG13)
VH1	★ ★ ★ "Dead Presidents" (95) Keith David, Chris Tucker, Larenz Tate. (R) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)	★ ★ ★ "Dutch" (21) Jeremy Meeks, Macy Gray, Lance Gross. (P) (TV14)
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INVITATION FOR BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO WEST DESERT AIRPARK (UT9) RELOCATE RWY 17/35 FAIRFIELD, UTAH UDOT NO. XXXXXX

Online bids for improvements to the West Desert Airpark (UT9), UDOT NO. XXXXXX, will be received by the West Desert Airpark, LLC. via online bidding through Quest CDN at www.armstrongconsultants.com until June 6, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. MDT. Online bidding will begin on June 3, 2024. The work involved includes the following: SCHEDULE I RELOCATE RUNWAY 17/35 For a complete set of Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents all purchases must be made through our website at www.armstrongconsultants.com. A digital copy may be downloaded for \$60.00, this will include access to on-line bidding. There will be no refunds. Each bid must be accompanied by a Bid Bond executed by a Surety Company in an amount not less than five (5) percent of the total bid made payable to the West Desert Airpark, LLC. The Bidder must supply all the information required by the proposal forms and specifications and he/she must bid on all items of every schedule. West Desert Airpark, LLC. reserves the right to waive any informality in, or to reject any or all portions of, the various bid items. No proposal may be withdrawn for a period of one-hundred twenty (120) days from the opening thereof. A non-mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the West Desert Airpark (UT9) on May 23, 2024 at 1:00 p.m., MDT. All bidders are advised to examine the site to become familiar with all site conditions. Any questions regarding this project are to be directed to the office of Armstrong Consultants, Inc., Grand Junction, Colorado, (970) 242-0101 for interpretation. FAIRFIELD, UTAH

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Provo City Corporation
Provo, Utah

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For more information, please contact Bryan Schmutz, Project Manager, Provo Area Office at 801-379-1245 or bschmutz@usbr.gov.

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County of Utah
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Failure on the part of the claimant to file such final statement will relieve said Owner from all and any liability for such claim.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States at the time of sale, at the main entrance of the Utah County American Fork District Courthouse located at 75 East 80 North, American Fork, Utah 84003, on June 3, 2024, at 12:00 p.m. of said day, for the purpose of foreclosing a trust deed originally executed by Scott Gemmell, as Trustee, in favor of Indicate Capital REIT, LLC, covering real property located at 617 West 1475 North, Orem, Utah 84057, and more particularly described as follows:

Legal Description: LOT 1, PLAT "C", PARK VALE ESTATES, OREM, UTAH, according to the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Recorder, Utah County, Utah.

Property : 617 West 1475 North, Orem, Utah 84057

Tax Parcel No : 49-476-0001

The current beneficiary of the trust deed is Indicate Capital REIT, LLC, and the record owner of the property as of the recording of the notice of default is Scott Gemmell.

Any person wishing to place a bid at the aforementioned trustee's sale shall be required to tender to the Trustee at the time and place of sale certified funds in the amount of \$20,000.00.

Dated this 1st day of May 2024.

/s/ Russell A. Nevers
Russell A. Nevers, Esq.
Trustee

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of **Ronald Jay Nelson** and **Lani Jeanne Nelson** deceased: R. Frank Nelson, whose address is c/o HAYMOND LAW, 1526 W. Ute Blvd. Ste 203, Park City, UT 84098 is an affiant under Sec.75-3-1201, Trustee, and the prospective Personal Representative to be appointed in the above-entitled estate in the Fourth District Court of Utah County. Creditors of the estate are hereby notified to: (1) deliver or mail their written claims to HAYMOND LAW at the address above; or otherwise present their claims as required by Utah law within three months after the date of the first publication of this notice or be forever barred.

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NOTICE TO WATER USERS

The applications below were filed with the Division of Water Rights in Utah County. These are informal proceedings per Rule 655-6-2. Protests concerning an application must be legibly written or typed, contain the name and mailing address of the protesting party, STATE THE APPLICATION NUMBER PROTESTED, CITE REASONS FOR THE PROTEST, and REQUEST A HEARING, if desired. Also, A \$15 FEE MUST BE INCLUDED FOR EACH APPLICATION PROTESTED. Protests must be filed with the Division of Water Rights on or before Jun. 5, 2024 either electronically using the Division's on-line Protest of Application form, by hand delivery to a Division office, or by mail at PO Box 146300, Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6300. Please visit waterrights.utah.gov or call (801)538-7240 for additional information.

CHANGE APPLICATION(S)
51-8948 (a51574): Michael Rulon Chandler and Kayla Maurine Chandler propose(s) using 9.11 ac-ft. from groundwater (5 miles East of Utah Lake) for DOMESTIC; IRRIGATION; STOCKWATERING.
51-6897 (a51587): Steven Bruce Smart propose(s) using 1.45 ac-ft. from groundwater (Palmyra) for DOMESTIC; IRRIGATION.
51-9133 (a51597): Samuel and Jeanette Hiatt propose(s) using 1.5 ac-ft. from groundwater (1 mile east of Salem) for DOMESTIC; IRRIGATION.
51-6888 (a51622): Elk Ridge City propose(s) using 11 ac-ft. from groundwater (Service area of Elk Ridge) for MUNICIPAL: In Elk Ridge.
55-1052 (a51625): Utah County Public Works Engineer propose(s) using 9.4 ac-ft. from groundwater (Near Security Center) for MUNICIPAL: In Utah County.
51-8534 (a51630): Madson Family Trust propose(s) using 4.2 ac-ft. from the Underground Water Well (2.3 miles SE of Birdseye) for DOMESTIC; IRRIGATION; STOCKWATERING.
54-1139 (a51631): John D. Jacob, Samuel Matthias Smith propose(s) using 100 ac-ft. from groundwater (Lehi City) for COMMERCIAL EXTENSION(S)
55-12342 (a34516): Patterson Construction, Spring Ditch & South Field Irrigation Company is/are filing an extension for 51,534 ac-ft. from groundwater (Highland area) for IRRIGATION.

NONUSE APPLICATION(S)
55-13399 (): Cole Peck is/are seeking a nonuse period for 0.0026 cfs from groundwater (Lehi) for IRRIGATION; STOCKWATERING.
SEWAGE EFFLUENT NOTICE(S)
NS033: Provo City propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 80.8078 cfs OR 26880 ac-ft. from (Provo WATRR Center) for MUNICIPAL: In Provo City.
NS035: Lehi, Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 14491.2 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service District) for MUNICIPAL: In Lehi City.
NS038: American Fork, Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 19629.49 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service Dis) for MUNICIPAL: In American Fork City.
NS039: Saratoga Springs, Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 13717.6 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service Dis) for MUNICIPAL: In Saratoga Springs.

NS040: Highland City, Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 5009.01 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service Dis) for MUNICIPAL: In Highland City, American Fork City.
NS042: Alpine, Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 11530.391 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service Dis) for MUNICIPAL: In Alpine City, American Fork City.
NS036: Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 2693.35 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service Dis) for MUNICIPAL: In Timpanogos Special Service District.

NS037: Cedar Hills, Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 1936.7 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service Dis) for MUNICIPAL: In Cedar Hills or American Fork City.
NS049: Eagle Mountain, Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 8242.67 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service Dis) for MUNICIPAL: In Eagle Mountain City.
NS041: Pleasant Grove, Timpanogos Special Service District propose(s) using for sewage effluent reuse 5138.2 ac-ft. from (Timpanogos Special Service Dis) for MUNICIPAL: In Pleasant Grove City, American Fork City.

Teresa Wilhelmsen, P.E.
State Engineer

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN ACCORDANCE WITH UTAH STATE LAW, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SOUTH UTAH VALLEY SOLID WASTE DISTRICT WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER A RESOLUTION REVISING THE BUDGET FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2024. THE PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 2024, AT 5:00 PM. THE MEETING WILL BE HELD IN PERSON AT THE SOUTH UTAH VALLEY DISTRICT (DRY CREEK TRANSFER STATION) NEXA ADMIN BUILDING, 518 W. 3450 N. SPANISH FORK, UT, VIA ZOOM MEETING https://zoom.us/j/6706808828 MEETING ID: 670 680 8828 OR DIAL BY PHONE 1-669-900-6833. A COPY OF THE PROPOSED RESOLUTION IS AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW FROM 8:00 AM TO 5:00 PM MONDAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN ACCORDANCE WITH UTAH STATE LAW, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SOUTH UTAH VALLEY SOLID WASTE DISTRICT (SUWSWD) WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE TENTATIVE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 2024 TO JUNE 2025 ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 2024, AT 5:00 PM. THE BUDGET INCLUDES PROPOSED FEE INCREASES. THE MEETING WILL BE HELD IN PERSON AT THE SOUTH UTAH VALLEY DISTRICT (DRY CREEK TRANSFER STATION) NEXA ADMIN BUILDING, 518 W. 3450 N. SPANISH FORK, UTAH, VIA ZOOM MEETING https://zoom.us/j/6706808828 MEETING ID: 670 680 8828 OR DIAL BY PHONE 1-669-900-6833. A COPY OF THE PROPOSED BUDGET IS AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW FROM 8:00 AM TO 5:00 PM, MONDAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

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