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Solace from strangers

Volunteers help save home from mold infestation

By Laura Lundquist
Times-News writer

When mold is allowed to flourish within a house for a year, the only cure is to cut it out. But such drastic treatment doesn't come cheap.

Janice Bowman and her daughter, Sarah, are being treated to a week at the Best Western Hotel while part of their modular home is gutted to rid it of mold. The donated motel room and home remodel are part of a community outpouring led by contractor Daniel Thomas.

The mold problem was discovered two weeks ago, when Janice asked a handyman to fix up a back room because a friend needed a temporary place to live.

Janice, 60, uses a wheelchair most of the time and doesn't go into the back room, so it's rarely used. Sarah, 20, has a mental disability and spends most of each day with social workers at Positive Connections.

The mold apparently moved in a year ago after Janice's back bathroom pipes sprung a leak. She recalled asking a plumber to fix the leak and didn't pay much attention after that, she said.

"I knew mold was in the back but it looked dried and old," she said. "I never thought anything of it. The water was off."

When the handyman saw the mold in the room, he immediately called Thomas, his old boss. Thomas is the owner of Northwest Premier Builders, but has branched into various nonprofit, charitable projects.

Thomas called an employee, Robert Reynolds, whom he helped start Idaho Remediation, a nonprofit that does mold inspections. Reynolds said he was shocked when he saw the room.

"They didn't fix the pipe — all they did was turn the water off and plug the hole with spray foam, which you're not supposed to do," Reynolds said. "Nothing was done about the flooding."

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ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Janice Bowman holds Princess, a dog she's taking care of, at her Twin Falls home on Wednesday. Local companies, including Idaho Remediation, are donating their labor to help repair water and mold damage at her home.

Better than expected

State revenue beats projections, but challenges remain

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

State revenues for November have exceeded projections made in August, continuing a pattern of tax collections that are stronger than expected.

In four of Idaho's five revenue categories — individual income taxes, sales taxes, product taxes and miscellaneous revenue — collections were \$8.2 million more than expected, according to a state report released by the Idaho Division of Financial Management. Only one category, corporate income tax revenues, was less than predicted for November.

At the same time, revenue projections were revised downward in August, a reflection that the state's economic slump remains. State lawmakers in the legislative session that begins Jan. 10 will face a 10 percent, \$340 million shortfall when planning the next fiscal year's budget.

Overall, state revenues collected since the fiscal year started in July were \$973.2 million, or \$30.9 million — 3.3 percent — more than the August prediction.

Here are the details about November revenues:

- **Individual income taxes:** November revenue from these taxes was \$84.9 million, \$4 million more than predicted. For the fiscal year so far, all individual income tax revenues are 5.1 percent — \$21.7 million — more than the forecast of \$425.9 million.

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Not quite the 'holiday blues'

Suicides actually fall during holiday season

By Amy Huddleston
Times-News writer

It may be all the Christmas merriment and cheer that drives down the rates of suicides during the holiday season.

The longstanding idea that suicide rates increase around the holidays has been disproved by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in recent years. CDC reports from 2008 show suicide rates are lowest in December, and peak in the spring and fall.

Kathy Anderson, director of St. Luke's Canyon View Behavioral Health Services of Twin Falls, said many people "try to hold it together during the holiday season" — if not for themselves, then for family or friends.

"Generally things quiet down around the holiday season," she said. "Maybe because family members reach out more."

According to the Suicide Prevention Action Network of Idaho, the state consistently ranks among those with the highest suicide rates.

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Twin Falls library gets new paint, carpet, AC

By Nick Coltrain
Times-News writer

Drippings of white paint on the soft pink trim and empty hooks where art used to hang are the only evidence of ongoing renovation at the Twin Falls Public Library.

It'll get more evident in the new year, but for now, night-shift painters are leading the updates that include a new heating, ventilation and air conditioning system, new carpeting, and roofing work.

The \$183,400 city-funded projects, the library's first major renovation in almost 20 years, should be done by summer, though reference librarian Jennifer Hills said that timeline's not for sure yet.

While the changes aren't highly visible — no new wings or even a change to the color scheme — Hills said she thinks it will have an unconscious effect on the library's patrons.

"They may not necessarily know what's different in the library but they'll be able to feel it, hopefully," she said.

The new carpeting will be the



DREW NASH/Times-News

A sign explaining recent renovations greets patrons Wednesday afternoon at the Twin Falls Public Library. All the work is being done after business hours.

most visible change, when it happens. Hills said the area will need to be cleared of books and restocked when it's done, a task that promises to keep some library workers and volunteers after-hours for a few weeks.

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NEED HELP?
For more information or help with thoughts of suicide, visit span-idaho.org or call Canyon View at 734-6760.

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

"Moonlight and Magnolias," presented by Company of Fools, 7 p.m. at Liberty Theatre, 110 N. Main St., Hailey, \$28 for adults, \$20 for seniors (62 and older) and \$10 for students (18 and younger), 578-9122 or companyoffools.org.

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

Preschool and Kinder Art, a beginning visual arts program for children ages 3-6, 3:45 to 4:45 p.m., Twin Falls Creative Arts Center, 249 Main Ave. W., \$35 per month, 737-9111. **Fun for Youth events**, arcade games, crafts, fast-track auto racing and more, 6 to 10 p.m., Sun Valley Inn Continental Room, \$25 per child 622-2135.

LIBRARY

Rhyme Time, for toddlers and preschoolers (and their parents) invited for finger plays and singalongs, 10:30 a.m., Twin Falls Public Library, 201 Fourth Ave. E., no cost, open to public, 733-2964 ext. 110.

The "Famous, Fabulous Bookworm Book Club," for elementary children to play games, share a book, eat a snack and plan family programs, 4:30 p.m., Buhl Public Library, 215 Broadway Ave. N., no cost, 543-6500.

To have an event listed, please submit the name of the event, a brief description, time, place, cost and contact number to Mirela Sulejmanovic by e-mail at mirelas@magicvalley.com; by phone, 735-3278; by fax, 734-5538; or by mail, Times-News, P.O. Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548. Deadline is noon, four days in advance of the event.

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Revenue

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• **Sales taxes:** Sales taxes had "a strong showing in November," economist Derek Santos wrote in the report. The \$83.2 million in November revenue was \$4.4 million more than expected. That infusion has pushed the fiscal year's total to \$431.1 million, or \$300,000 more than the fiscal year-to-date amount predicted.

• **Product taxes:** These are a "model of consistency," according to the report. In November, they were \$100,000 above target, continuing a pattern each month of being \$100,000 to \$200,000 above predictions. Strong tobacco and wine tax collections helped November's numbers. For the fiscal year-to-date, product taxes are \$500,000 above predictions.

• **Miscellaneous revenues:** Miscellaneous revenues were \$200,000 above the projections of \$1.7 million in November. The mine license tax and a transfer from a settlement with a pharmaceutical company contributed to the number. Fiscal year-to-date revenue for this category is \$34.7 million, \$3.7 million more than the August forecast.

• **Corporate income tax revenues:** These were \$400,000 below the predictions for November, with lower filing revenues and refunds that were more than anticipated. But fiscal year-to-date totals are still \$4.7 million, 13.5 percent above predictions.

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Blues

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Idaho has the 12th-highest rate for suicides in the nation — 19 per 100,000 people. Lori Stewart, victim care coordinator with the Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office, said the number of suicides in the state jumped 22 percent between 2008 and 2009.

Since Idaho is one of the only states without a suicide help line, Stewart has said that it's crucial for people to know where to turn if they are suicidal or know someone who is. People are scared to ask their friends and family if they are suicidal, she said, but taking that risk may save a life. She advises people call a nation-

al suicide help line — 800-273-8255 — Canyon View or 911 if they need help.

It's also important for people experiencing the infamous "holiday blues" to get out in public and around people, rather than turning to isolation for solace.

"Do something for someone else so you think about others," Anderson said. "Anything they can do to reach out and more activity is helpful as well, even if it is just walking laps around the mall."

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No more T.F. council meetings this year

Times-News

The Twin Falls City Council canceled its last meeting of the year but will resume on the first Monday of 2011.

Its first meeting includes the swearing in of the council's newest member, Rebecca Mills Sojka, who will replace state Sen. Lee Heider.

The council typically meets every Monday at 5 p.m. at the Twin Falls City Council Chamber, 305 Third Ave. E., Twin Falls.

SNOWPACK LEVEL



Seasonal percentages as of Dec. 26

Watershed	% of Avg.	peak
Salmon	102	37
Big Wood	114	41
Little Wood	129	46
Big Lost	129	46
Little Lost	119	45
Henry's Fork/Teton	126	46
Upper Snake	130	50
Goose Creek	104	35
Salmon Falls	127	45

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By luck, vet reunited with pet beagles

By Chelsea Bannach
The Spokesman-Review

SPOKANE, Wash. — A reunion between a former soldier and his two long-lost friends beagles named Bullet and Trigger was not short on slobbery kisses, wagging tails and treats Thursday.

Since they parted in 2004, Raymond Behrens, 24, served as a Navy Seabee in Japan, Iraq and twice in Afghanistan. When he enlisted, he begrudgingly gave up the two dogs, which he got when he was 16.

Six years later, he has his dogs back. The reunion came about because earlier this week Behrens looked at some animal adoption ads online. He was done with his military service and thought it was a good time to get another four-legged friend.

On one site, he saw a couple of dogs that looked just like his old dogs.

His first reaction: "There's no way those could be my dogs!"

But they looked the same. The names were the same. The town they were located in was the same. And the dogs were brother and sister, just like his.

So he got out the photos he had saved



Bullet, foreground, and Trigger, the two beagles Ray Behrens gave up several years ago when he went into the military, await a ride home in Hayden on Thursday.

AP photo

of Bullet and Trigger.

"I started comparing pictures I had with what was on there," he said.

And he was stunned. He could tell by the markings they were the same dogs he had given up for adoption in 2004.

"It was too much coincidence for them not to be my dogs," he said.

His next reaction: "I gotta get these guys before someone else gets them."

He immediately contacted the agency that had the dogs and eagerly waited while the adoption process was completed.

"I could hardly sleep for two and a half days," he said. "I just wanted to bring them home now!"

An anonymous donor heard the story and paid the \$180 adoption fee, in appreciation of Behrens' military service.

He said he was heartbroken when he had to give the dogs up, but he didn't see any other options.

"I was really sad," he said. "I didn't want to get rid of my dogs. It felt like they knew I was getting rid of them. They weren't just pets."

Ex-ISU professor collects \$72K for legal fight

By Jessie L. Bonner
Associated Press

BOISE — A former Idaho State University professor challenging the dismissal of his lawsuit against the school has collected more than \$70,000 from education groups to continue his legal fight.

Former civil engineering professor Habib Sadid filed the lawsuit two years ago, saying his right to free speech was violated. Sadid also claims he suffered breach of contract, defamation and the school retaliated against him for his public comments criticizing administration policies.

Sixth District Judge David Nye dismissed the lawsuit in December 2009, saying that Sadid's speech wasn't protected because he was an employee and it amounted to airing personal grievances.

Sadid, who was at ISU for 22 years, is appealing his case to the Idaho Supreme Court.

Education groups had kicked in \$72,400 for Sadid's defense as of late December, said Idaho Federation of Teachers President Nick Gier, whose organization has contributed a third of the total amount.

"We just thought it was absolutely essential to protect his right to speak out," Gier said.

The national arm of his organization, The American Federation of Teachers, has donated nearly \$40,000 so far and pledged to pay half of Sadid's legal fees until a final judgment is rendered, Gier said.

Sadid was suspended with pay in August 2009 for what administrators called unprofessional and insubordinate behavior. At the time of his suspension, Sadid argued that his history of speaking his mind about problems at the eastern Idaho school led to the disciplinary action.

Idaho State officials countered that free speech rights did not allow him to make slanderous statements awhile engaging in official university duties and call others "liars," "corrupt" and "incompetent."

Sadid's employment was terminated in October 2009 by Idaho State University President Arthur Vailas, who said his decision was in the best interests of the institution.

A university faculty appeals board previously said there wasn't enough evidence to fire Sadid, but Vailas was not obligated to follow that recommendation.



Photo courtesy Amy Mortensen/Twin Falls Public Library

Painters with Third Generation Painting paint the ceiling of the Twin Falls Public Library on Dec. 20 in Twin Falls.

Library

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It'll be a particular challenge because the library doesn't want to close and wants to minimize the inconvenience to its patrons, she said.

"None of us are really looking forward to it," she half-joked. "Not just for the physical labor but because we won't be able to find things for a while."

Twin Falls City Councilman Trip Craig, the council's liaison to the library, referred to the building as "basic infrastructure" and one of the things that separates a community from just a place you live. As such, it needs to be maintained, he said.

"Just like you want to have a great hospital, great schools, (you want to have) a great library," Craig said. "These are things that make a city, make a great city. You can have a city without a sense of identity, you know, but a library can help make those things for the city."

He also spoke at length about the important documents held at the building, such as the original Perrine Bridge blueprints and Clarence Bisbee photographs that document the city's beginnings. Imagine, he said, a child in 2050 finding those blueprints and those photos.

Before the new HVAC system was installed, the

library was heated and cooled with three separate systems from the 1970s. Craig said the setup was so old that HVAC companies wouldn't guarantee new parts, and in one instance a \$2,000 repair fell apart in about a week.

"It's a big deal to have the original Bisbee photos and that sort of thing. I think it is incumbent upon us not to harm those or damage those in any way," he said.

"If something happened to those things and it was preventable, and we didn't do anything about it, that would be a heartbreaker to me because you can't do anything to replace that. You just can't."

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5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

BLAINE COUNTY CIVIL DISPOSITIONS

Citibank vs. Barbara Patterson also known as Barbara Brummett also known as Barbara Zolman for money owed on credit card, default judgment for \$8,564.17.
 Citibank vs. Herberth D. Cortez for money owed on credit card, default judgment for \$1,308.38.
 Green & Son's Agency dba Outsource Receivables Management vs. Steve R. Fischman and Julianne Fischman for money owed Zions Bank, default judgment for \$571.66.
 Wells Fargo Bank vs. Charles Erwin and Cathy Erwin for default on loan, summary judgment against defendant for \$239,613.58.
 Idaho Department of Health and Welfare vs. Crystal Lorraine Robinson-Bass for reimbursement for child care costs, judgment against defendant for \$447.76.
 Bill Flanagan Plumbing vs. Jean Dickenson for money owed, money judgment of \$4,623.00 awarded to plaintiff.

DIVORCES GRANTED

Maria Refugio Ramirez vs. Jose Ramirez.
 Cecilia S. Vega-Vargas vs. Maro Vargas-Vergara.

JEROME COUNTY ARRAIGNMENTS

Brynn M. Bean; resisting/obstructing officers.
 Karissa Jean Bowen; driving without privileges.
 James S. Christensen; battery-domestic violence with no traumatic injury.
 Sheila Jaynes; battery.
 David S. Newey; inattentive/careless driving.
 Chase C. Oliver; reckless driving.
 Nemoris Reynaldo Pascual-Pascual; driving without privileges.
 Douglas Kent Pederson; inattentive/careless driving.
 Omar Ramirez-Garcia; driving without privileges, exceed the max speed limit.
 Chelsea A. Carpenter; driving under the influence.
 Cutberto Garcia Carrillo; driving under the influence, injury to child (2 counts).
 Brittney M. D'ambra; driving under the influence, driving without privileges.
 Kathleen Schweikert; driving under the influence, open container, resisting/obstructing officers, evidence-destruction, alteration or concealment.
 Florencio Garcia; driving under the influence (felony), open container.

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCINGS

Celerino Cortes Barragan; driving under the influence, 180 days jail, 178 days suspended, credit for one day served, one day to serve-eligible for sheriff work program, oen year supervised probation, \$482.50 fine.
 Mario Felipe Costa; driving under the influence, 180 days jail, 148 days suspended, credit for one day served, 30 discretionary days, one day to serve-eligible for sheriff work program, one year supervised probation, \$482.50 fine; drug paraphernalia, dismissed.
 Eduardo Gomez; driving under the influence, improper left turn, 180 days jail, 178 days suspended, credit for one day served, one day to serve-eligible for sheriff work program, one year supervised probation, \$567.50 fine; failure to purchase a driver's license, dismissed.

TWIN FALLS COUNTY FELONY DISMISSALS

Richard A. Adams, III, 36, Fort Collins, Colo.; kidnapping-custodial interference, dismissed without prejudice.
 Daniel M. Garcia, 23, Twin Falls; lewd conduct with minor under 16, dismissed due to insufficient evidence to prove charge beyond reasonable doubt.



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Justin R. Hill, 32, Buhl; trafficking in methamphetamine or amphetamine, dismissed per plea negotiations.

DIVORCES FILED

Megan R. Soto vs. Joshua K. Soto.
 Angela J. Krehmeyer vs. Randy J. Krehmeyer.
 Sarah Gomez. vs. Emanuel Gomez.
 Catherine Copeland vs. Walter Copeland.

CITY OF TWIN FALLS DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCINGS

Nathan J. Mills, 39, Meridian; driving under the influence (second offense), \$1,000 fine, \$500 suspended, \$90.50 costs, 365 days jail, 355 suspended, two credited, five days house arrest, driving privileges suspended 365 days, 12 months probation.
 Karen J. Fullmer, 60, Twin Falls; driving under the influence (excessive), \$900 fine, \$400 suspended, \$182.50 costs, 365 days jail, 355 suspended, one credited, driving privileges suspended 365 days, 12 months probation.
 Cheyenne E. Chavez, 28, Twin Falls; driving under the influence, withheld judgment, \$800 fine, \$400 suspended, \$182.50 costs, \$75 public defender fee, 90 days jail, 88 suspended, two days credited, driving privileges suspended 180 days, 12 months probation.
 Ryan P. Murphey, 24, Winnemucca, Nev.; driving under the influence (second offense), \$1,000 fine, \$500 suspended, \$182.50 costs, 365 days jail, 355 suspended, one credited, five days house arrest, driving privileges suspended 365 days, 12 months probation, \$100 restitution.
 Richard D. Erickson, 38, Filer; driving under the influence, amended to second offense, \$1,000 fine suspended, \$132.50 costs, 180 days jail, 174 suspended, one credited, three days work detail, driving privileges suspended 365 days, 24 months probation, no alcohol.
 James W. Homer, 44, Twin Falls; driving under the influence, amended to second offense, \$1,000 fine, \$500 suspended, \$182.50 costs, \$75 public defender fee, 365 days jail, 355 suspended, two credited, driving privileges suspended 365 days, 12 months probation.

Mold

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The water had soaked the thick bedroom carpet. The room remained dark and warm, so the mold spread under the carpet, feeding on the particle board underneath. It had crept into the heating duct and halfway up the walls, pitting the wood molding. Working its way behind the bathroom tile, it oozed through the wall to the adjacent hallway.

Reynolds sealed the rooms with plastic, ripped out the carpet, attacked the mold with bleach and had an air purifier running. By Wednesday he'd killed most of it, but spores can remain.

"This was the worst I've seen in Idaho; in New York City, they'd call this a Class 3 mold infestation," Reynolds said. "We're going to have to gut these rooms and clean out the heating system."

Mold can cause health problems, especially for people with mold allergies like Thomas, who became sick after being in the house for just an hour.

While most people experience only coughing, nasal congestion or eye irritation, severe reactions may include fever and shortness of breath, according to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Some people with chronic lung illnesses may develop mold infections in their lungs.

Work was delayed until today because Janice wanted to celebrate Christmas at home. She and her daughter haven't experienced any severe effects, she said, but Sarah reported having headaches, nose bleeds and was chronically tired. Both have an appointment to see an allergist after the first of the year.

Thomas said Janice's



Photos by ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Robert Reynolds of Idaho Remediation walks through an area of Janice Bowman's house where mold grew after a flood.



Mold under a vanity grew up to two inches high after a flood in Janice Bowman's bathroom.

homeowner's insurance will only pay \$2,200 for the bathroom, after initially denying the claim. But that's far from the \$15,000 to \$20,000 the remodel will cost, he said.

"So we're making sure she doesn't have to pay a dime," he said.

Thomas will provide the labor and has secured donations from local businesses,

including Beams Flooring America, Evans Plumbing and Plew's Heating and Air Conditioning. He said he's still in search of building supplies, including sheetrock, insulation and wood for framing.

"The response has been inspiring," Thomas said.

"Even with the poor economy, people have answered the call."

"It just blows my mind," Janice said. "I hear people say, 'Who cares; nobody in this town cares!' But look at this — these people are wonderful."

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In next Congress, a harder line on illegal immigrants

By Suzanne Gamboa
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The end of the year means a turnover of House control from Democratic to Republican and, with it, Congress' approach to immigration.

In a matter of weeks, Congress will go from trying to help young, illegal immigrants become legal to debating whether children born to parents who are in the country illegally should continue to enjoy automatic U.S. citizenship.

Such a hardened approach — and the rhetoric certain to accompany it — should resonate with the GOP faithful who helped swing the House in Republicans' favor. But it also could further hurt the GOP in its endeavor to grab a large enough share of the growing Latino vote to win the White House and the Senate majority in 2012.

Legislation to test interpretations of the 14th Amendment as granting citizenship to children of illegal immigrants will emerge early next session. That is likely to be followed by attempts to force employers to use a still-developing web system, dubbed E-Verify, to check that all of their employees are in the U.S. legally.

There could be proposed curbs on federal spending in cities that don't do enough to identify people who are in the country illegally and attempts to reduce the numbers of legal immigrants. Democrats ended the year failing for a second

time to win passage of the Dream Act, which would have given hundreds of thousands of young illegal immigrants a chance at legal status.

House Republicans will try to fill the immigration reform vacuum left by Democrats with legislation designed to send illegal immigrants packing and deter others from trying to come to the U.S.

Democrats, who will still control the Senate, will be playing defense against harsh immigration enforcement measures, mindful of their need to keep on good footing with Hispanic voters. But a slimmer majority and an eye on 2012 may prevent Senate Democrats from bringing to the floor any sweeping immigration bill, or even a limited one that hints at providing legal status to illegal immigrants.

President Obama could be a wild card.

He'll have at his disposal his veto power should a bill denying citizenship to children of illegal immigrants make it to his desk. But Obama also has made cracking down on employers a key part of his administration's immigration enforcement tactics.

Hispanic voters and their allies will look for Obama to broker a deal on immigration as he did on tax cuts and health care. After the Dream Act failed in the Senate this month, Obama said his administration would not give up on the measure. "At a minimum we should be able to get Dream done. So I'm going to go back at it," he said.

Cheap concert seats due after a cruel 2010

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Concertgoers sick of ballooning ticket prices should have some extra pocket change to rattle with their rock 'n' roll in the new year.

2010 was tough for the concert business as high prices kept many fans at home. Promoters now say they plan to make shows more affordable in 2011. But they'll also try to sell more T-shirts and other merchandise to make up for lost revenue.

Heading into last summer, usually the busiest time of the year, prices were set too high despite the sluggish economy. Managers and promoters believed fans would keep paying for the one or two concerts they see on aver-

age each year.

Instead, many stayed home and dozens of shows were canceled. Lots of venues filled seats with fire-sale prices.

Now, rather than charge lots early and offer discounts later, some promoters say they'll offer cheaper tickets from the start, partly because they know fans will spend as much as usual on beer and tchotchkes when they arrive.

ZZ Top, for one, expects to set prices below the 2010 average of \$55. Some tickets will go for as little as \$10.

"It's time to give the value back," said Carl Stubner, manager of the long-bearded rock band from Texas. "We'll find other ways to make money."

David Lee Hollon

David Lee Hollon, 65, of Twin Falls, passed away Saturday, Dec. 18, 2010, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center.

David was born in Twin Falls on Borah Avenue on Sept. 11, 1945, to James and Inez Hollon. He grew up around the Magic Valley, attending Lincoln Elementary, Hansen, Valley and Filer High schools. He participated in wrestling while in school. He worked in the agricultural industry, truck driving and in a warehouse. He also worked in farming and apple orchards in Washington. His last job was with Triple E Transport in Twin Falls. David's love for hunting, fishing and camping cannot be put into words. He also enjoyed collecting coins and automotive work. He was a



hard worker and had electrical and carpentry skills.

He is survived by his two daughters, Tonya (Lee Hurst) Hollon and Tanya (Jeff) Skeen, both of Twin Falls; three brothers, Jim Hollon of Hansen, Terry White of Utah and Larry Hollon of Glenns Ferry; and four grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents; two sisters, Patricia Parker and Carol Colfack; and a brother, Billy Ellis.

A memorial service will be held in David's honor at 2 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 30, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

Those wishing to share memories or sign the guest-book may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneral-home.com.

DEATH NOTICES

Calvin C. Crane

BURLEY — Calvin Cottrell Crane, 83, of Burley, died Saturday, Dec. 25, 2010, at his home.

The funeral will be at 11 a.m. Friday, Dec. 31, at Unity LDS Church, 275 S. 250 E., of Burley, with Bishop Mark Mabey officiating. Burial will be in the Pleasant View Cemetery.

Friends may call from 6 until 8 p.m. Thursday at Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St., in Burley, and from 10 until 10:45 a.m. Friday at the church.

Rena Stevenson Franklin

RUPERT — Rena Stevenson Franklin, 96, of Rexburg, formerly of Portland, Ore., and Rupert, died Saturday, Dec. 25, 2010, at her home. The funeral will

be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 29, at Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St., in Burley.

Burial will be at Paul Cemetery. Friends may call from noon until 1:45 p.m. Wednesday at Rasmussen Funeral Home.

Jack Curtiss

FILER — Jack Curtiss, 82, of Filer, and formerly of Jerome, died Sunday, Dec. 26, 2010, at his home. Funeral arrangements are pending and will be announced by Farnsworth Mortuary of Jerome.

Albert Avery

Albert Avery, 89, of Twin Falls, and formerly of Buhl, passed away, Dec. 25, 2010, at his home in Twin Falls. Funeral services will be announced by Farmer Funeral Chapel of Buhl.

SERVICES

Betty Aileen Carpenter of Twin Falls, celebration of life at 10 a.m. today at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

Carol Adrian Tadlock Biggers of Twin Falls, funeral at 1 p.m. today at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

Leland "J" Muir of South Jordan, Utah, funeral at 1 p.m. today at the River LDS 10th Ward, 1570 W. 11400 S. in South Jordan, Utah (Goff Mortuary in South Jordan, Utah).

Marilyn Carole Sheppard of Twin Falls, funeral Mass at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, 161 Sixth Ave. E. in Twin Falls; visitation from 5:30 to 6:45 p.m., with rosary at 7 p.m., today at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

Irma Baxter Patterson of Twin Falls, graveside service at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the West End Cemetery in Buhl (Rosenau Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Dorothy Joan "Dot" Swarner of Twin Falls, funeral Mass at 11 a.m. Wednesday at St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, 161 Sixth Ave. E. in Twin Falls; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m., with rosary at 7 p.m. Tuesday, at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

William J. "Bill" Morgan of Burley, memorial service at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Burley First Presbyterian Church, 2100 Burton Ave. (Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley).

George David Reardon of Burley, celebration of life at 1 p.m. Wednesday at

Hansen-Payne Mortuary, 321 E. Main in Burley.

Arland J. Olson of Rupert, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Rupert LDS 2nd Ward Chapel, 26 S. 100 W.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the Morrison Funeral Home, 188 S. Highway 24 in Rupert, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Monday at the church.

Janet Scott Hunt of Heyburn, funeral at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Emerson LDS Church, 127 S. 950 W. of Paul; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and noon to 12:45 p.m. Wednesday at the church.

Kim Duane Maddox of Shoshone, memorial service at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Farnsworth Mortuary, 1343 S. Lincoln in Jerome.

Willard Dale Allen of Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Unity LDS Church, 275 S. 250 E. of Burley; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Thursday at the church.

Jane Ellen Cunningham Shew of Twin Falls, musical celebration at 2 p.m. Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church, 209 Fifth Ave. N. in Twin Falls.

Thomas "Tom" Andrew Gibson of Twin Falls, celebration of life at 2 p.m. Thursday at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

For obituary rates and information, call 735-3266 Monday through Saturday. Deadline is 3 p.m. for next-day publication. The e-mail address for obituaries is obits@magicvalley.com. Death notices are free and can be placed until 4 p.m. daily.

Teena Marie, 'Ivory Queen of Soul,' dies

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Teena Marie, the "Ivory Queen of Soul" who developed a lasting legacy with her silky soul pipes and with hits like "Lovergirl," "Square Biz," and "Fire and Desire" with mentor Rick James, has died. She was 54.

The confirmation came from a publicist, Jasmine Vega, who worked with Teena Marie on her last album, 2009's "Congo Square." Her manager, Mike Gardner, also confirmed her death to CNN.

The singer continued performing in recent years after overcoming an addiction to prescription drugs. It was unclear late Sunday where

and how she died.

Marie certainly wasn't the first white act to sing soul music, but she was arguably among the most gifted and respected, and was thoroughly embraced by the black audience.

Even before she started her musical career, she had a strong bond with the black community, which she credited to her godmother. She gravitated to soul music and in her youth decided to make it her career.

Marie made her debut on the legendary Motown label back in 1979, becoming one of the very few white acts to break the race barrier of the groundbreaking black-

owned record label that had been a haven for black artists like Stevie Wonder, the Jackson Five, the Supremes and Marvin Gaye.

Marie was the protege of the masterful funk wizard James, with whom she would have long, turbulent but musically magical relationship.

The cover of her debut album, "Wild and Peaceful," did not feature her image, with Motown apparently fearing black audiences might not buy it if they found out the songstress with the dynamic, gospel-inflected voice was white.

But Marie notched her first hit, "I'm A Sucker for Your Love," and was on her way to becoming one of R&B's most revered queens.



Teena Marie

Olympic filmmaker Bud Greenspan dies at 84

By Jim Litke
Associated Press

Oh, to catch Bud Greenspan's eye and then turn up in one of his Olympic documentaries. For many athletes, from the famous to the obscure, the honor ranked just behind winning a medal.

The filmmaker, whose riveting tales soared as triumphantly as the men and women he chronicled for more than six decades, died Saturday at his home in New York City of complications from Parkinson's disease, companion Nancy Beffa said. He was 84.

"Bud was a storyteller first and foremost. He never lost his sense of wonder and he never wavered in the stories he wanted to tell, nor how he told them," she said through a family friend. "No schmaltzy music, no fog machines, none of that. He wanted to show why athletes endured what they did and how they accomplished what so few people ever do."

As a 21-year-old radio reporter, Greenspan filed his first Olympic story from a phone booth at Wembley

stadium at the 1948 London Games. He cut a distinct figure at nearly every Summer and Winter Games afterward, his eyeglasses familiarly perched atop a bald dome, even in a swirling blizzard. His most recent work, about the 2010 Vancouver Winter Games — which Greenspan attended — will be ready for release in the coming weeks.

Yet even as controversies over politics, performance-enhancing drugs and commercialism increasingly vied for attention on the planet's grandest sporting stage, he remained uncompromising about his focus on the most inspirational stories.

"I spend my time on about the 99 percent of what's good about the Olympics and most people spend 100 percent of their time on the 1 percent that's negative. I've been criticized for seeing things through rose-colored glasses, but the percentages are with me," he said in an interview with ESPN.com nearly a decade ago.

Greenspan received life-

time achievement awards from the Directors Guild of America and the National

Academy of Television Arts and Sciences, as well as a Peabody and the Olympic Order award. His best-known work was "The Olympiad," the culmination of 10 years of research, more than 3 million feet of rare, archival film, hundreds of interviews and visits to more than 30 nations. The 10-part series he produced was aired in more than 80 countries.

Greenspan got his first break while working as an extra at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York. The young opera buff met an aspiring baritone named John Davis, who was not only a singer but the U.S. Olympic weightlifting gold medalist at the London Games.

Greenspan wrote a story about Davis, then followed him to Helsinki, where Davis won a second gold and subsequently became the subject of Greenspan's first film, "The Strongest Man in the World." He made the short



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Vikings-Eagles snowed out; moved to Tuesday night

By Rob Maaddi
Associated Press writer

PHILADELPHIA — Are you ready for some Tuesday Night Football?

The NFL moved the Vikings at Eagles game from Sunday night to Tuesday because of an expected blizzard that could dump more than a foot of snow on Philadelphia.

The game — the first on a Tuesday since 1946 — will be played at 8 p.m. EST., and televised nationally by NBC.

Philadelphia Mayor Michael Nutter declared a snow emergency as of 2 p.m. EST Sunday.

“We are urging all Philadelphians, please be careful, please be safe,” the mayor told reporters in a news conference at City Hall on Sunday morning.

The decision to postpone the game came shortly after noon — before there was any snow accumulation in Philadelphia.

In announcing the postponement, NFL spokesman Greg Aiello said:

“Due to public safety concerns in light of today’s snow emergency in Philadelphia, tonight’s Vikings-Eagles game has been postponed. Because of the uncertainty of the extent of tonight’s

storm and its aftermath, the game will be played on Tuesday night at 8 p.m. This will allow sufficient time to ensure that roads, parking lots and the stadium are fully cleared.”

The postponement did not sit well with Gov. Ed Rendell, who told KYW-TV he did “not at all” agree with the decision.

“This is football; football’s played in bad weather,” Rendell said. “I think the fans would have gotten there, the subways work and the major arteries are still open, and other fans would have stayed

home — but you play football regardless of the weather.”

The governor, who does football commentaries after Eagles games, also said the decision would be a “serious handicap” for the Eagles and was unfair to the team.

“I, for one, was looking forward to sitting in the stands throughout the snow and seeing an old-time football game,” Rendell said.

Eagles coach Andy Reid agreed with the league’s decision.

“We’re OK with it,” he said. “We’re organized and pre-

pared for this, and we completely support what the league did from a safety standpoint for everybody. We got the guys out of the hotel and home, and they’ll come back for a walkthrough tomorrow and then to the hotel, and it will be just like a Saturday night before a Sunday game, just a normal Saturday night-Sunday schedule.”

The Vikings already have had two home games affected by the weather this season. Their game against the Giants on Dec. 12 was postponed a day after Minneapolis got 15 inches of snow. It was then moved to Detroit when the Metrodome roof collapsed.

Their game against Chicago the following week was played at the University of Minnesota’s outdoor stadium because of the damaged roof.

“What else can you say? Just add this to the list for the 2010 season,” Vikings defensive end Jared Allen said. “But you know what, we have to remain together as a team and keep a positive mind frame. It’s important to be a professional and be ready to play on Tuesday night.”

The Eagles went to their practice facility for workouts and film study and then went home. They’ll now have just four days off before playing Dallas (5-10) next Sunday.



SEAHAWKS PLUNDERED



Tampa Bay Buccaneers wide receiver Mike Williams (19) dives past Seattle Seahawks cornerback Marcus Trufant (23) to score a touchdown during the second quarter of an NFL football game Sunday.

Bucs rout Seahawks to stay in playoff hunt

By Fred Goodall
Associated Press writer

TAMPA, Fla. — Josh Freeman kept Tampa Bay’s playoff hopes alive with a near flawless performance.

The second-year pro threw for 237 yards and a career-best five touchdowns Sunday, helping the Bucs stay in the hunt with a 38-15 rout of the struggling Seattle Seahawks.

Kellen Winslow and rookie Mike Williams each had a pair of TD receptions for the Bucs (9-6), who guaranteed themselves a winning record after going 3-13 a year ago in their first season under coach Raheem Morris.

Seattle (6-9) played most of the game without injured

quarterback Matt Hasselbeck and lost for the seventh time in nine games.

Amazingly, the Seahawks can still win the NFC West — thus earning a playoff spot with a losing record — by beating the first-place St. Louis Rams (7-8) at home next Sunday.

The Bucs remain in contention with the Saints, Giants and Packers for two NFC wild-card berths. They close the regular season at New Orleans, and will need to defeat the defending Super Bowl champions as well as get outside help to grab a postseason spot.

LeGarrette Blount had his fourth 100-yard game rushing, finishing with 164 yards that included highlight-reel

bursts of 48 yards in which the 250-pound rookie hurdled would-be tackler Lawyer Milloy and a 53-yarder that set up Tampa Bay’s last touchdown.

Freeman completed 21 of 26 passes with no interceptions. His five TD passes — giving him 23 vs. just six interceptions this season — tied a franchise record set by Steve DeBerg in 1987 and matched by Brad Johnson in 2002.

Winslow caught TD passes of 10 and 21 yards, the latter capping a 10-play, 98-yard drive that matched another team record. Williams scored on catches of 7 and 20 yards, giving him a club rookie-record 10 touchdowns.

Freeman left the game after tossing his final TD pass, a 2-yarder to Maurice Stovall midway through the fourth quarter.

With St. Louis (7-8) defeating San Francisco 25-17 to take sole possession of first place in the NFC West earlier Sunday, the Seahawks took the field knowing that a win or a loss against the Bucs would not affect their chances of making the playoffs.

Seattle will host the Rams in next week’s regular season finale, with the winner claiming the division title.

The Seahawks lost Hasselbeck to hip injury suffered while the 35-year-old

See **SEAHAWKS**, Main 6

Rams beat 49ers 25-17

By R.B. Fallstrom
Associated Press writer

ST. LOUIS — While Mike Singletary and Troy Smith squabbled on the sideline, rookie Sam Bradford stayed veteran calm.

The No. 1 overall draft pick helped keep the St. Louis Rams’ playoff drive motoring along, also breaking Peyton Manning’s NFL rookie record for completions in a 25-17 victory over the San Francisco 49ers on Sunday.

Eclipsing Manning’s 12-year-old record was nice. Helping the Rams (7-8) stay on track to end a five-year playoff drought in a winner-take-all game for the NFC West title next week is a much bigger deal. “I guess it’s pretty cool,” Bradford said of the record. “I’m all fired up about the win. If you don’t get excited for a game like this, you’re probably in the wrong business.”

The Rams’ defense kept both of the Smiths on the run, sacking Troy Smith and Alex Smith two times apiece. Singletary gave Troy Smith one more series after a heated exchange late in the third quarter, then benched him after the 49ers (5-10) went three-and-out on their first possession of the fourth quarter.

The 49ers were eliminated from playoff consideration, and haven’t made it to the postseason since 2002.

“Troy’s a passionate guy and the way he responded, that’s fine,” Singletary said. “He’s frustrated, I’m frustrated.”

“We’re both trying to get



AP photo

St. Louis Rams quarterback Sam Bradford sets to pass during the first quarter of an NFL football game against the San Francisco 49ers Sunday.

something to happen on the field. That’s all it was.”

The 49ers’ locker room was closed for about 20 minutes after the game before Singletary emerged, saying he had no regrets about his quarterback choice.

“As the head coach, the most important quality for me is to be able to make a decision and be able to live or die with it,” Singletary said. “And not to turn around and blame it on somebody else.”

Singletary is 18-22 with two years to go on a four-year contract and wasn’t sure if he’d be back, saying “I don’t know, that’s not my decision.”

The Rams finished 5-3 at home, the franchise’s first winning record since 2004. They were 2-22 combined the previous three seasons.

FIU stuns Toledo 34-32 with last-second kick

By Noah Trister
Associated Press writer

DETROIT — Jack Griffin’s 34-yard field goal on the game’s final play gave Florida International a stunning 34-32 win over Toledo on Sunday night in the Little Caesars Pizza Bowl.

The Golden Panthers, playing in their first bowl, faced fourth-and-17 on their final drive before picking up the first down on a hook-and-lateral to T.Y. Hilton. Replays showed he might have stepped out of bounds short along the sideline, but the play stood after a review, putting the ball at the Toledo 42-yard line.

Moments later, Wes Carroll found Greg Ellingson across the middle to the Toledo 22, helping set up the final kick for the Golden Panthers (7-6).

Toledo (8-5) had taken the lead with 1:14 remaining on a touchdown run by Terrance Owens and a 2-point con-

version pass to Eric Page, but that was only part of a delirious finish.

FIU, in only its ninth season of football, trailed 24-7 in the third quarter before Hilton returned a kickoff 89 yards for a touchdown. The Panthers went on to score 24 straight points, taking a 28-24 lead on Hilton’s 10-yard touchdown catch and adding a field goal with 3:18 remaining.

Owens, who had thrown three interceptions in the second half, patiently led Toledo on a 62-yard drive that ended when he kept the ball himself for a 14-yard touchdown run, then found Page on a slant pattern to put the Rockets ahead.

FIU wasn’t done, though. The Panthers took over near midfield after Toledo went with a squib kick to keep the ball away from Hilton. Although a sack knocked FIU back, the Panthers still

See **BOWL**, Main 6



Florida International running back Darriet Perry (28) breaks downfield during the second quarter of the Little Caesars Pizza Bowl NCAA college football game against Toledo in Detroit.

Ga. Tech, Air Force face off in option showdown

By David Brandt
Associated Press writer

SHREVEPORT, La. — Georgia Tech and Air Force often have the advantage of sneaking up on opponents, thanks to their run-first, triple-option offenses that seem like dinosaurs in today’s college football world.

There will be no ambushes in Monday’s Independence Bowl, though. The Yellow Jackets and Falcons instead might feel like they’re looking into a mirror.

Georgia Tech (6-6) is the nation’s top rushing team, averaging 327 yards per game, while Air Force (8-4) is right behind at more than 317 yards per game. There are some subtle differences to each team’s scheme — both coaches agree that Air Force likes to take a zone-read approach

— but there’s no doubt that there will be very few surprises.

“There’s probably more similarities than there are differences,” Georgia Tech coach Paul Johnson said. “The bottom line is it doesn’t really matter what you do, it really comes down to execution.”

Air Force coach Troy Calhoun agreed, but said with both teams so familiar with each other, it might come down to which team is able to strike through the air at the perfect moment.

“The key part is what happens in the passing game,” Calhoun said. “How efficient are you going to be when you do end up throwing the football? And then defensively, how well do you defend the big play?”

In that regard, it appears

See **SHOWDOWN**, Main 6

Patriots top Bills 34-3, gain AFC top playoff seed

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — The New England Patriots clinched the top seed in the AFC playoffs Sunday thanks to Tom Brady's three touchdown passes in a 34-3 rout over a familiar pushover, the Buffalo Bills.

The Patriots (13-2) rolled to their seventh straight victory in winning the AFC East division and beating the Bills (4-11) for the 15th game in a row dating to 2003. New England is 20-1 in its past 21 meetings against Buffalo.

Two of Brady's TD passes went to rookie tight end Rob Gronkowski. Alge Crumpler and Danny Woodhead also scored for the Patriots, who forced seven turnovers.

BEARS 38, JETS 34

CHICAGO — Jay Cutler threw three touchdown passes, Matt Forte ran for 113 yards and Chicago closed in on a first-round bye.

The Jets (10-5) lost for third time in four games, but clinched their second straight postseason trip under coach Rex Ryan when Jacksonville lost 20-17 in overtime to Washington.

RAVENS 20, BROWNS 10

CLEVELAND — Joe Flacco threw two touchdown passes, Baltimore's defense bottled up Cleveland's Peyton Hillis, and the Ravens clinched their third straight playoff appearance.

Ed Reed intercepted rookie Colt McCoy twice as the Ravens (11-4) stayed in contention for the AFC North title. They remain tied with Pittsburgh for the division lead with one game left.

Ravens linebacker Ray Lewis promised Hillis would not repeat his 144-yard performance against Baltimore in Week 3, and the big back didn't, rushing for 35 yards on 12 carries.

CHIEFS 34, TITANS 14

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Matt Cassel threw three touchdown passes and Eric Berry returned an interception 54 yards for another score for Kansas City, which clinched the AFC West title after San Diego lost to Cincinnati.

Cassel hit 12 of his first 13 passes for the Chiefs (10-5), including touchdown tosses to Jamaal Charles on their first two possessions. The Titans (6-9) spent much of the game dropping passes, missing arm tackles and piling up penalties while losing for the seventh time in eight games.

BENGALS 34, CHARGERS 20

CINCINNATI — Carson Palmer threw four touchdown passes during a near-perfect performance in the swirling snow, ending the Chargers' run of four straight AFC West titles.

The Chargers (8-7) froze up in their coldest game in nearly three years, repeat-

edly self-destructing on a raw, windy evening. The loss gave the division title to Kansas City, which beat Tennessee 34-14 earlier in the day.

PACKERS 45, GIANTS 17

GREEN BAY, Wis. — Aaron Rodgers threw for 404 yards and four touchdowns in his return from a concussion to lead Green Bay.

The loss leaves the Giants (9-6) clinging to fading playoff hopes and wondering if there was a hangover effect from the previous week's collapse against Philadelphia. New York's turnover issues continued, as the Giants lost two fumbles and Eli Manning threw four interceptions.

COLTS 31, RAIDERS 26

OAKLAND, Calif. — Peyton Manning threw three touchdown passes and iced the game with a 27-yard keeper in a game that turned out to have little playoff meaning.

The Colts (9-6) allowed Jacoby Ford to return the opening kick for a TD, overcame a pair of interceptions by Manning in the second half and survived four field goals from Sebastian Janikowski, including two from more than 50 yards, to move within a win of clinching the AFC South title for their ninth straight playoff berth.

REDSKINS 20, JAGUARS 17, OT

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Kevin Barnes intercepted David Garrard's second pass in overtime, setting up Graham Gano's 31-yard field goal.

Rex Grossman had a touchdown pass early, and Ryan Torain added a 1-yard plunge on fourth down late as the Redskins (6-9) ended a four-game losing streak.

LIONS 34, DOLPHINS 27

MIAMI — Detroit took advantage of two interceptions to score 17 points in the final 4:37. With the comeback, the Lions (5-10) have won three consecutive games for the first time since 2007. The Dolphins (7-8), eliminated from the playoff race last week, finished 1-7 at home to match a franchise low.

BRONCOS 24, TEXANS 23

DENVER — Tim Tebow scored on a 6-yard scramble with three minutes left in his first home start to cap Denver's comeback from a 17-0 halftime deficit.

Matt Schaub was driving the Texans for a go-ahead score when Syd'Quan Thompson picked off a pass deflected by Justin Bannan at the Broncos 27 with just over a minute remaining.

Tebow threw for 308 yards but when it mattered most, he used his legs to give the Broncos their first win since Nov. 14.

—The Associated Press

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x-Baltimore	11	4	0	.733	344	263	6-1	5-3	8-3	3-1	3-2
Cleveland	5	10	0	.333	262	291	3-4	2-6	3-8	0	1-4
Cincinnati	4	11	0	.267	315	382	3-5	1-6	3-8	1-3	2-3
WEST	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
y-Kansas City	10	5	0	.667	356	295	7-0	3-5	6-5	4-0	2-3
San Diego	8	7	0	.533	408	294	6-2	2-5	6-5	2-2	2-3
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Dallas	5	10	0	.333	380	423	2-6	4-4	3-8	2-2	2-3
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Carolina	2	13	0	.133	186	377	2-6	0-7	2-9	0-4	0-5
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y-Chicago	11	4	0	.733	331	276	5-3	6-1	8-3	3-1	5-0
Green Bay	9	6	0	.600	378	337	6-1	3-5	7-4	2-2	3-2
Minnesota	5	9	0	.357	244	314	4-4	1-5	4-6	1-3	1-4
Detroit	5	10	0	.333	342	356	3-4	2-6	4-7	1-3	1-4
WEST	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	NFC	AFC	Div
St. Louis	7	8	0	.467	283	312	5-3	2-5	5-6	2-2	3-2
Seattle	6	9	0	.400	294	401	4-3	2-6	5-6	1-3	3-2
San Francisco	5	10	0	.333	267	339	4-3	1-7	3-8	2-2	3-2
Arizona	5	10	0	.333	282	396	4-4	1-6	3-8	2-2	1-4

x-clinched playoff spot

Thursday's Game										
Pittsburgh 27, Carolina 3										
Saturday's Game										
Arizona 27, Dallas 10										
Sunday's Games										
Kansas City 34, Tennessee 14										
St. Louis 25, San Francisco 17										
Chicago 38, N.Y. Jets 34										
Baltimore 20, Cleveland 10										
New England 34, Buffalo 3										
Detroit 34, Miami 27										
Washington 20, Jacksonville 17										
Indianapolis 31, Oakland 26										
Denver 24, Houston 23										
Cincinnati 34, San Diego 20										
Green Bay 45, N.Y. Giants 17										
Tampa Bay 38, Seattle 17										
Detroit 31, Philadelphia 17										
Minnesota at Philadelphia, ppd., snow										
Monday's Game										
New Orleans at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.										

Rams 25, 49ers 17											
San Francisco	0	14	0	3	-	17					
St. Louis	9	4	0	3	10	-	25				
First Quarter											
StL—Jackson 1 run (Jo.Brown kick), 11:21.											
StL—Hall safety, 2:47.											
Second Quarter											
SF—Ginn Jr. 78 punt return (Reed kick), 9:26.											
StL—FG Jo.Brown 43, 5:42.											
SF—Crabtree 60 pass from T.Smith (Reed kick), 2:32.											
Third Quarter											
StL—FG Jo.Brown 30, 9:39.											
Fourth Quarter											
StL—Robinson 3 pass from Bradford (Jo.Brown kick), 9:36.											
SF—CG Reed 47, 5:41.											
StL—FG Jo.Brown 28, 3:51.											
A—52,820.											

Ind											
First downs	27	16									
Total Net Yards	370	290									
Rushes-yards	39-191	20-80									
Passing	179	210									
Punt Returns	3-15	1-12									
Kickoff Returns	5-123	5-188									
Interceptions Ret.	0-0	2-0									
Comp-Att-Int	16-30-2	29-42-0									
Sacked-Yards Lost	0-0	3-21									
Fumbles-Lost	6-42.8	6-46.8									
Penalties-Yards	0-0	0-0									
Time of Possession	44:42	10:16									
Time of Possession	29:59	30:01									

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS										
RUSHING—San Francisco, Westbrook 10-40, T.Smith 5-28, Dixon 6-17, St. Louis, Jackson 24-48, B.Gibson 2-15, Karney 1-2, Robinson 1-3.										
PASSING—San Francisco, T.Smith 7-19-1153, A.Smith 10-15-0-120, St. Louis, Bradford 28-37-0-292.										
RECEIVING—San Francisco, Crabtree 6-122, V.Davis 3-70, Walker 3-17, Morgan 2-39, Westbrook 2-3, Ginn Jr. 1-22, St. Louis, Amendola 8-53, Alexander 6-99, B.Gibson 3-49, Fells 3-28, Robinson 3-25, Jackson 3-19, Darby 2-11.										
MISSED FIELD GOALS—San Francisco, Reed 34 (WL).										

BENGALS 34, CHARGERS 20										
San Diego	0	3	7	10	-	20				
Cincinnati	7	6	0	21	-	34				
First Quarter										
Cin—Gresham 3 pass from C.Palmer (Stitzer kick), 10:19.										
Second Quarter										
Cin—Simpson 10 pass from C.Palmer (kick failed), 12:54.										
SF—FG Kaeding 20, 1:15.										
Third Quarter										
SD—Mathews 23 run (Kaeding kick), 5:45.										
Fourth Quarter										
Cin—Shipley 3 pass from C.Palmer (Stitzer kick), 13:00.										
SD—FG Kaeding 28, 7:18.										
Cin—Scott 10 run (Stitzer kick), 3:54.										
SD—Washington 5 pass from Rivers (Kaeding kick), 1:27.										
A—54,194.										

SD											
First downs	23	17									
Total Net Yards	313	381									
Rushes-yards	22-64	38-102									
Passing	249	269									
Punt Returns	1-12	0-0									
Kickoff Returns	6-127	4-84									
Interceptions Ret.	0-0	1-47									
Comp-Att-Int	27-40-1	16-21-0									
Sacked-Yards Lost	1-7	0-0									
Fumbles-Lost	4-31.8	4-32.3									
Penalties-Yards	2-1	1-1									
Time of Possession	1:5	6:57									
Time of Possession	29:51	30:09									

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS										
RUSHING—San Diego, Mathews 12-55, Sproles 3-8, Rivers 1-2, Hester 2-1, Tolbert 4-(-2), Cincinnati, Benson 2-20, Scott 11-50, Peermann 1-1, Palmer 2-(-1).										
PASSING—San Diego, Rivers 27-40-1-256, Cincinnati, C.Palmer 16-21-0-269.										
RECEIVING—San Diego, Sproles 8-55, Washington 5-40, Nanaee 4-59, Jackson 4-54, Mathews 3-28, McMichael 2-13, Kr.Wilson 1-7, Cincinnati, Simpson 1-124, Caldwell 4-87, Gresham 4-56, Shipley 1-3, Scott 1-(-1).										
MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.										

COLTS 31, RAIDERS 26										
Indianapolis	7	10	7	7	-	31				
Oakland	7	6	3	10	-	26				
First Quarter										
Oak—Ford 99 kickoff return (Janikowski kick), 14:48.										
Ind—Addai 6 run (Vinatieri kick), 6:00.										
Second Quarter										

TUESDAY'S GAME										
Minnesota at Philadelphia, 6 p.m.										
Chicago at Green Bay, 11 a.m.										
Oakland at Kansas City, 11 a.m.										
Jacksonville at Houston, 11 a.m.										
Tampa Bay at New Orleans, 11 a.m.										
Minnesota at Detroit, 11 a.m.										
Carolina at Atlanta, 11 a.m.										
N.Y. Giants at Washington, 11 a.m.										
Pittsburgh at Cleveland, 11 a.m.										
Buffalo at N.Y. Jets, 11 a.m.										
Dallas at Philadelphia, 11 a.m.										
Tennessee at Baltimore, 11 a.m.										
Tennessee at Indianapolis, 11 a.m.										
Arizona at Philadelphia, 2:15 p.m.										
St. Louis at Seattle, 2:15 p.m.										
San Diego at Denver, 2:15 p.m.										

N.Y. GIANTS										
Green Bay	14	7	10	14	-	45				
First Quarter										
GB—Nelson 80 pass from Rodgers (Crosby kick), 7:53.										
GB—Jones 3 pass from Rodgers (Crosby kick), 1:47.										
Second Quarter										
NYG—Nicks 36 pass from Manning (Tynes kick), 11:40.										
NYG—Manning 85 pass from Manning (Tynes kick), 5:13.										
GB—Kuhn 8 run (Crosby kick), 1:54.										
Third Quarter										

Carlos Boozer leads Bulls past Pistons in overtime

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. — Carlos Boozer had 31 points and 11 rebounds, and Derrick Rose added 23 points and a career-high 12 rebounds to help the Chicago Bulls beat the Detroit Pistons 95-92 in overtime Sunday night.

Detroit sent the game to overtime when Charlie Villanueva tipped home a missed shot with 0.6 seconds left. The Pistons missed three shots on the possession, but grabbed all three offensive rebounds.

Detroit led briefly in the extra session, but the Bulls took advantage of Prince's three straight turnovers to take a 91-88 lead with 1:33 left.

Rodney Stuckey got

Detroit within one, but Boozer beat Prince for a layup with 41 seconds to go. Villanueva got it back to one, and Rose missed a 3-pointer, giving Detroit a chance to win.

Stuckey missed an off-balance jumper with 6 seconds left, and Kyle Korver hit a pair of free throws. Villanueva then took a contested 27-footer at the buzzer, and missed badly.

SPURS 94, WIZARDS 80

SAN ANTONIO — Tony Parker had 20 points, 14 assists and six assists, and the NBA-leading San Antonio Spurs beat the short-handed Washington Wizards 94-80 on Sunday night.

The Spurs improved to 24-6, rebounding from a 123-101 loss to Orlando on Thursday night that snapped their winning streak at 11.

Rashard Lewis, acquired last week from Orlando, had 21 points for Washington, playing without suspended forwards Andray Blatche and JaVale McGee.

CLIPPERS 108, SUNS 103

LOS ANGELES — Rookie Blake Griffin had 28 points and 12 rebounds for his 18th straight double-double and Los Angeles beat Phoenix for the first time in 10 games.

The victory was the Clippers' first against their Pacific Division rivals since Jan. 15, 2008, and only their fourth in 19 meetings since losing Game 7 of the 2006 Western Conference semifinals at Phoenix.

TIMBERWOLVES 98, CAVALIERS 97

CLEVELAND — Michael Beasley scored on a driving layup with 5.9 seconds left and finished with 28 points to help Minnesota snap its losing streak at seven.

HORNETS 93, HAWKS 86

NEW ORLEANS — Chris Paul scored 22 points, 13 in the

pivotal third quarter, to lead New Orleans.

Paul was 10 of 17 from the field and also had eight assists. David West scored 18 points, Emeka Okafor had 14 points and 15 rebounds, Trevor Ariza added 12 points and 10 rebounds, and Jarrett Jack had 10 points.

GRIZZLIES 104, PACERS 90

INDIANAPOLIS — Rudy Gay scored 30 points, Zach Randolph had 18 points and 16 rebounds and Memphis beat Indiana to snap a three-game losing streak.

O.J. Mayo and Marc Gasol added 17 points each for Memphis. The Grizzlies improved to 5-11 on the road and 13-17 overall. Danny

Granger led the Pacers with 29 points and five rebounds.

76ERS 95, NUGGETS 89

DENVER — Jrue Holiday had 22 points, Thaddeus Young added 20 and the Philadelphia 76ers rallied in the fourth quarter to beat the Denver Nuggets 95-89 on Sunday night.

Elton Brand had 16 points and 17 rebounds and Jodie Meeks scored 17 points for the 76ers.

Chauncey Billups had 24 points and Arron Afflalo and Ty Lawson added 14 each for the Nuggets, who lost their third straight since Carmelo Anthony left the team Wednesday following the death of his sister.

—The Associated Press

SCOREBOARD

BASKETBALL

NBA All Times MST EASTERN				
ATLANTIC	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	23	5	.821	—
New York	18	12	.600	6
Philadelphia	12	18	.400	12
Toronto	10	19	.345	13½
New Jersey	9	21	.300	15
SOUTHEAST	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	23	9	.719	—
Orlando	18	12	.600	4
Atlanta	19	13	.594	4
Charlotte	9	19	.321	12
Washington	7	21	.250	14
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	19	10	.655	—
Indiana	13	15	.464	5½
Milwaukee	12	16	.429	6½
Detroit	10	20	.333	9½
Cleveland	8	22	.267	11½
SOUTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	26	4	.867	—
Dallas	23	5	.821	2
New Orleans	18	12	.600	8
Houston	14	15	.483	11½
Memphis	13	17	.433	13
NORTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Utah	21	9	.700	—
Oklahoma City	21	10	.677	½
Denver	16	13	.552	4½
Portland	7	25	.220	16
Minnesota	7	24	.236	14½
PACIFIC	W	L	Pct	GB
L.A. Lakers	21	9	.700	—
Phoenix	13	16	.448	7½
Golden State	11	18	.379	9½
L.A. Clippers	9	22	.290	12½
Sacramento	5	22	.185	14½

Saturday's Games					
New York 103, Chicago 95	Orlando 86, Boston 95	Miami 96, L.A. Lakers 80	Oklahoma City 114, Denver 106	Golden State 109, Portland 102	
Sunday's Games					
L.A. Clippers 108, Phoenix 103	Minnesota 98, Cleveland 97	Chicago 95, Detroit 92	New Orleans 93, Atlanta 86	San Antonio 94, Washington 80	
Memphis 104, Indiana 90	Philadelphia 95, Denver 89	Monday's Games			
Detroit at Charlotte, 5 p.m.	Orlando at New Jersey, 5 p.m.	Toronto at Memphis, 6 p.m.	Atlanta at Milwaukee, 6 p.m.	Dallas at Oklahoma City, 6 p.m.	
Washington at Houston, 6:30 p.m.	Portland at Utah, 7 p.m.	L.A. Clippers at Sacramento, 8 p.m.	Philadelphia at Golden State, 8:30 p.m.	Tuesday's Games	
Orlando at Cleveland, 5 p.m.	New York at Indiana, 5 p.m.	Boston at Miami, 5:30 p.m.	Milwaukee at Chicago, 6 p.m.	Orlando at Dallas, 6:30 p.m.	L.A. Lakers at San Antonio, 6:30 p.m.
Portland at Denver, 7 p.m.					

NBA Boxes					
76ERS 95, NUGGETS 89					
PHILADELPHIA (95)	Iguodala 3-12 3-10 9, Brand 7-16 2-16, Hawes 1-5 1-2 3, Holiday 8-12 5-22, Meeks 3-12 0-10 17, Nocioni 0-4 0-0 0, Turner 4-11 0-8, Young 10-18 0-0 20, Battle 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 36-91 20-32 95.	DENVER (89)	Smith 4-14 0-0 9, Martin 0-6 0-0 0, Nene 4-6 5-5 13, Billups 6-10 8-8 24, Afflalo 6-11 2-2 14, Harrington 1-2 0-0 3, Lawson 4-12 5-6 14, Andersen 1-2 1-3, Williams 0-5 0-0 0, Forbes 4-7 0-0 9, Totals 30-75 21-23 89.		
HORNETS 93, HAWKS 86					
ATLANTA (86)	Williams 5-11 7-7 18, JoSmith 3-10 4-4 10, Horford 4-10 0-0 8, Bibby 2-8 1-2 7, Johnson 8-16 4-5 23, JaCrawford 4-9 1-10, Pachulia 1-2 1-3, Powell 0-3 0-0 0, Evans 2-3 0-0 6, Collins 0-1 1-2 1, Totals 29-73 19-24 86.	NEW ORLEANS (93)	Ariza 5-11 0-12, West 8-14 2-4 18, Okafor 6-9 2-5 14, Paul 10-17 2-22, Belinelli 0-6 0-0 0, Thornton 3-8 0-0 6, JaSmith 2-4 0-0 4, Mbenga 1-1 0-0 2, Jack 4-11 2-2 10, Penderexter 2-2 1-5, Andersen 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 48-84 19-15 93.		
BULLS 95, PISTONS 92					
CHICAGO (95)	Deng 4-15 1-10, Boozer 12-20 7-9 31, Thomas 1-4 1-1 3, Rose 9-23 5-23, Bogans 2-4 0-0 6, Brewer 3-7 2-8 8, Gibson 2-8 1-2 5, Ask 2-0 0-4, Watson 1-5 0-3, Korver 0-3 2-2, Scalabrine 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 36-91 19-24 95.	Detroit within one, but Boozer beat Prince for a layup with 41 seconds to go. Villanueva got it back to one, and Rose missed a 3-pointer, giving Detroit a chance to win.	Stuckey missed an off-balance jumper with 6 seconds left, and Kyle Korver hit a pair of free throws. Villanueva then took a contested 27-footer at the buzzer, and missed badly.	SPURS 94, WIZARDS 80	SAN ANTONIO — Tony Parker had 20 points, 14 assists and six assists, and the NBA-leading San Antonio Spurs beat the short-handed Washington Wizards 94-80 on Sunday night.

28 95. DETROIT (92)				
Chicago 108, Suns 103	Los Angeles 86, Hornets 93	Grizzlies 104, Pacers 90	Wizards 80, Bulls 95	Clippers 108, Cavaliers 97

CLIPPERS 108, SUNS 103				
PHOENIX (103)	Hill 7-14 5-5 19, Frye 5-12 1-1 12, Lopez 1-3 0-0 2, Nash 8-19 3-3 21, Dudley 1-5 4-5 6, Gortat 5-10 1-2 11, Parker 9-14 2-2 25, Dragic 2-6 0-0 5, Childress 1-3 0-0 2, Warwick 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 39-87 16-18 103.	L.A. CLIPPERS (108)	Gomes 2-5 0-0 4, Griffin 8-11 12-16 28, Jordan 3-3 3-10 9, Davis 7-12 0-0 15, Gordon 10-21 0-0 24, Bledsoe 1-3 0-0 2, Aminu 4-7 1-2 9, Collins 0-0 1-2 1, Diogu 3-8 0-0 6, Foye 2-5 4-4 10, Totals 40-75 21-34 108.	

TIMBERWOLVES 98, CAVALIERS 97				
MINNESOTA (98)	Beasley 10-25 6-6 28, Love 4-9 6-6 16, Millicic 2-4 0-0 4, Rindour 7-12 4-23, Johnson 1-5 0-0 3, Koutfos 1-3 0-0 2, Ellington 0-1 1-21, Flynn 4-11 2-2 11, Webster 3-12 1-2 8, Brewer 1-3 0-0 2, Totals 33-85 20-22 98.	CLEVELAND (97)	Meeks 2-8 0-4, Jamison 10-21 2-4 24, Varejao 3-6 0-2 6, M.Williams 6-14 2-2 15, Monroe 1-6 2-2 4, Maxiell 0-1 2-4 2, Bynum 2-6 0-0 4, Totals 38-89 13-16 92.	

SPURS 94, WIZARDS 80				
WASHINGTON (80)	Beasley 10-25 6-6 28, Love 4-9 6-6 16, Millicic 2-4 0-0 4, Rindour 7-12 4-23, Johnson 1-5 0-0 3, Koutfos 1-3 0-0 2, Ellington 0-1 1-21, Flynn 4-11 2-2 11, Webster 3-12 1-2 8, Brewer 1-3 0-0 2, Totals 33-85 20-22 98.	MINNESOTA (98)	Beasley 10-25 6-6 28, Love 4-9 6-6 16, Millicic 2-4 0-0 4, Rindour 7-12 4-23, Johnson 1-5 0-0 3, Koutfos 1-3 0-0 2, Ellington 0-1 1-21, Flynn 4-11 2-2 11, Webster 3-12 1-2 8, Brewer 1-3 0-0 2, Totals 33-85 20-22 98.	

GRIZZLIES 104, PACERS 90				
MEMPHIS (104)	Gay 11-25 5-5 30, Randolph 7-16 4-7 18, Gasol 7-11 3-5 17, Conley 2-7 0-1 4, Henry 2-6 1-2 5, Mayo 5-14 5-5 17, Thabeet 1-2 0-2 2, Vasquez 0-3 2-2 2, Allen 3-4 1-7 7, Arthur 1-4 0-0 2, Young 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 39-88 21-30 104.	INDIANA (90)	Granger 8-20 10-12 29, McRoberts 0-1 0-0 0, Hibbert 5-17 4-14, Collin 3-0 0-0 6, Dunleavy 4-12 0-10, Rush 2-6 1-2 7, Posey 0-4 0-0 0, S.Jones 4-6 0-0 8, Ford 2-6 0-0 4, Foster 2-5 2-6 6, Hansbrough 2-5 2-4 6, Totals 32-90 19-27 90.	

Saturday's Late NBA Box				
WARRIORS 109, TRAIL BLAZERS 102				
PORTLAND (102)	Batum 8-14 0-0 18, Aldridge 7-21 1-2 15, Camby 3-4 1-1 7, Miller 4-5 4-6 12, Matthews 9-19 6-9 26, Young 1-4 2-5 8, R.Williams 4-9 0-9 9, Carmel 1-2 2-5 10, 2-3 0-0 4, Law 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 40-83 19-21 109.	GOLDEN STATE (109)	D.Wright 6-9 0-0 16, Lee 8-11 5-6 21, Amundson 3-5 0-0 6, Curry 2-15 0-4 8, Ellis 13-26 10-11 39, Radmanovic 1-4 2-5 8, R.Williams 4-9 0-9 9, Carmel 1-2 2-5 10, 2-3 0-0 4, Law 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 40-83 19-21 109.	

49ers fire head coach Mike Singletary

SAN FRANCISCO — The San Francisco 49ers' eighth consecutive season without a playoff appearance has cost Mike Singletary his job as the team's head coach.

The 49ers announced the firing Sunday night after the team returned to its headquarters following a 25-17 defeat to the St. Louis Rams earlier in the day.

The defeat eliminated the 49ers from playoff contention, marking their eighth consecutive year without a postseason appearance. Defensive line coach Jim Tomsula will coach the team's game against Arizona in at Candlestick Park in Week 17.

Singletary, 52, went 5-10 this season and 8-8 in 2009, his first as head coach in full. He posted a 5-4 record as interim coach after the team fired Mike Nolan during the 2008 season.

Team president Jed York told reporters after the 49ers' loss Sunday that the team would hire a gener-

al manager.

The team made the announcement late Sunday, several hours after San Francisco was eliminated from playoff contention with a 25-17 loss at St. Louis. Defensive line coach Jim Tomsula has been elevated to interim coach and will run the team in next Sunday's season finale at home against Arizona.

Team president Jed York addressed reporters in St. Louis after the Niners' 25-17 loss Sunday and was noncommittal about whether Singletary would coach the season finale at home next Sunday against Arizona. He said money isn't an object in this decision considering Singletary has two years remaining on his contract.

"We're going to take our time before we make any decisions like that. We don't want to make an emotional decision right now, after the game," York said hours before the firing. "Obviously, we

GAME PLAN

LOCAL

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL
Payette Holiday Tournament
6 p.m.
Filer vs. Vale, Ore.

TV SCHEDULE

COLLEGE FOOTBALL
3 p.m.
ESPN2 — Independence Bowl, Air Force vs. Georgia Tech, at Shreveport, La.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

6:30 p.m.
ESPN2 — Connecticut at Pittsburgh

6:30 p.m.
NFL FOOTBALL

6:30 p.m.
ESPN — New Orleans at Atlanta

5:30 p.m.
NHL HOCKEY

6:30 p.m.
VERSUS — Minnesota at Columbus

12:55 p.m.
SOCCER

6:30 p.m.
ESPN2 — Premier League, Arsenal vs. Chelsea, at London

SKI REPORT

Idaho

Bonus Basin — Sun 8:14 am packed powder machine groomed 36 41 base 53 of 66 trails, 27 miles 2,600 acres, 7 of 8 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4:30p Sat/Sun: 9:30a-4:30p

Brundage — Sun 5:45 am PP 36 51 base 46 of 46 trails 1500 acres, 5 of 5 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4:30p Sat/Sun: 9:30a-4:30p

Kelly Canyon — Operating, no details Tue-Thru: 12:30p-9:30p Fri: 9:30a-9:30p; Sat: 9:30a-9:30p; Sun: 9:30a-4:30p; Open Tue-Sun.

Lookout Pass — Sun 5:23 am packed powder machine groomed 39 73 base 34 of 34 trails, 540 acres, 4 of 4 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 8:30a-4p

Major Mountain — Operating, no details

Pebble Creek — Sun 7:10 am packed powder machine groomed 24 46 base 50 of 54 trails 3 of 3 lifts, 90% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9:30a-4p

Pomerelle — Sun 7:12 am packed powder machine groomed 48 67 base 24 of 24 trails, 500 acres 3 of 3 lifts, 100% open, Mon: 9a-4p, Tue-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat: 9a-9p, Sun: 9a-4p

Schweitzer Mountain — Sun 6:37 am packed powder machine groomed 30 60 base 92 of 92 trails 2,900 acres, 8 of 9 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-3:30p; Sat/Sun: 9a-3:30p

Sun Valley — Sun 5:16 am packed powder machine groomed 36 54 base 68 of 73 trails 6 of 7 lifts, 94% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-3:45p; Sat/Sun: 9a-3:45p; Dec 31: 9a-8a

Snowhaven — Sun 8:23 am PP 22 28 base 7 of 7 trails 2 of 2 lifts, 100% open, Sat: 10a-9p; Sun: 10a-4p; Dec 27-28: 10a-4p Dec 29-10: 9p; Dec 30-31: 10a-4p

Soldier Mountain — Sun 8:24 am 1 new packed powder machine groomed 29 42 base 36 of 36 trails 1,47 acres, 3 of 3 lifts, 100% open, Thu-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p Dec 27-Jan 02: 9a-4p; 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p

Tamarack — Operating, no details

SKI REPORT

Utah

Alta — Sun 5:25 am packed powder machine groomed 105 105 base 114 of 114 trails 100% open, 2,200 acres, 11 of 11 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9:15a-4:30p Sat/Sun: 9:15a-4:30p

Beaver Mountain — Sun 7:18 am packed powder groomed 63 63 base 48 of 48 trails 100% open, 5 of 6 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p

Brian Head — Sun 5:20 am packed powder machine groomed 65 66 of 65 trails 100% open, 8 of 8 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4:30p; Sat/Sun: 9:30a-4:30p

Brighton — Sun 8:00 am powder machine groomed 99 99 base 66 of 66 trails 100% open, 26 miles, 1050 acres, 7 of 7 lifts, Mon: 9a-4p; Tue-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat: 9a-9p, Sun: 9a-4p

Canyons — Sun 7:28 am packed powder machine groomed 60 64 base 153 of 182 trails 84% open, 3362 acres, 17 of 19 lifts, sm Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p

Deer Valley — Sun 5:16 am packed powder machine groomed 78 78 base 97 of 100 trails 97% open, 4 of 21 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4:15p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4:15p

Eagle Point Resort — Sun 8:07 am powder machine groomed 70 70 base 36 of 36 trails, 100% open, 400 acres, 4 of 6 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4:30p Sat/Sun: 9a-4:30p

Park City — Sun 5:04 am packed powder machine groomed 83 83 base 109 of 114 trails 98% open, 16 of 16 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p

Provo Mountain — Sun 7:24 am packed powder 71 71 base 124 of 124 trails 100% open, 7 of 7 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat/Sun: 9a-9p

Snowbasin — Sun 5:32 am packed powder machine groomed 76 76 base 67 of 113 trails 65% open, 2000 acres, 8 of 10 lifts, sm Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p

Snowbird — Sun 7:27 am powder machine groomed 97 97 base 85 of 85 trails 100% open, 12 of 12 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-5p; Sat/Sun: 9a-5p

Solitude — Sun 6:49 am packed powder machine groomed 89 89 base 64 of 65 trails, 99% open 1,200 acres, 8 of 8 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p

Utahncation — Sun 4:25 am packed powder machine groomed 63 63 base 41 of 42 trails, 62% open 450 acres, 4 of 4 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4:30p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4:30p

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OPINION

QUOTABLE

“We need to unite and integrate the many values we have in common: prayer, piety, fasting, almsgiving and ethical values.”
 — Latin Patriarch Fouad Twal in his homily during Midnight Mass in Bethlehem

EDITORIAL

Cameron's right: Leave PERSI alone

A couple of years ago, when a faction of Idaho Republicans was pushing hard to close their primary elections to Democrats and independents, state Rep. Leon Smith, R-Twin Falls, posed an interesting question:

“Why would we want to mess with success?”
 After all, Republicans make up 81 percent of the Legislature, hold all statewide elective offices, dominate the state's congressional delegation and control the county commissions in 39 of Idaho's 44 counties.

Scrapping the current system doesn't make much sense. Same goes for the Idaho Public Employee Retirement System.

“Our current system is one of the best-run pension plans in the nation,” state Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert, told the *Lewiston Tribune* last week. “It has performed very admirably in very poor markets.”

Some legislators, led by House Republican Caucus Chairman Ken Roberts of Donnelly, are talking about transforming PERSI from a defined-benefit plan to a defined-contribution plan.

A defined-benefit plan provides retirees a set pension for life based on length of service and their highest average monthly salary.

Under a defined-contribution plan, the state and other employers pay a set amount into each employee's retirement account, but the amount an employee receives depends on the stock market and investment returns.

Roberts is concerned that the \$1.1 billion fund is about \$1.4 billion short of the amount needed to cover all of the projected pension benefits owed to current members. The plan uses employer and employee contributions, and investment income, to cover payments to retirees.

Change is needed “to deal with the unfunded liability,” he said.

That would penny wise and pound foolish, Cameron believes.

“Making a change of this magnitude would be devastating to state government and to local government entities — and it wouldn't save any money.”

He said shifting new employees to a new pension plan would increase the unfunded liability.

“The unfunded liability is based on projections of new hires coming into the system and making contributions,” Cameron said. “That helps keep the system healthy. If we close it (and shift new hires to another plan), the liability will grow.”

The average Idaho state employee earns 7.5 percent less than a worker in the private sector performing the same job, according to a study by Georgia State University. Many of them are willing to work for less than they'd make elsewhere because of PERSI.

So how is Idaho supposed to attract the quality of teachers, police officers, computer programmers and highway engineers it needs if it guts the state employees' pension plan?

Long story short: PERSI works. And it the past is any indication, its deficit will shrink as the economy improves.

TIMES-NEWS

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A kinder and gentler TSA?

Over the river and through the body scanner to Grandmother's house we go!



Petula Dvorak

What a fun, new twist on traveling with the kids this year. And you thought getting them to take their shoes off and let Bunky the Bear go through the dark tunnel was hard.

For this holiday season, parents get to choose between a scanner that will generate portraits of your kids looking like nude ghosts and, according to some reports, give off questionable levels of radiation, or they can take the little ones for a rubber-glove pat down that will upend years of stranger-danger training.

After the Transportation Security Administration announced these more invasive pat downs as an alternative and sometimes in addition to the body scanners, dozens of stories of groping and humiliation have surfaced online from adults.

Upon hearing these stories, parentworld, predictably, went bananas. On playgrounds, at playdates and across e-mail groups, parents railed against the TSA, wondering aloud if its personnel are pedophiles with badges. Many even canceled their holiday travel plans with righteous indignation.

This is fertile ground for a millennial mom and dad's worst fears.

TSA backpedaled after that first wave of parental blowback. Not long after the “don't touch my junk” dude dethroned JetBlue flight attendant Steven Slater in air travel folklore, the TSA announced that children who didn't go through the body scanners would undergo “modified” pat downs. They provided limited detail



“Will ‘playing airport’ soon dethrone the old ‘playing doctor’ game among kids?”

— for security reasons — of just what that means.

Without that detail, parents were left to imagine that kids will be fondled and groped in the same way that author Dave Barry described his intimate pat down. How do you tell your kids that it's now okay for people with a blue uniform and a badge to touch them in any kind of an intimate way?

“People should refuse to be molested. And never permit your child to be molested,” one poster railed on Flyertalk. That was one of the few, fulminating comments that was clean enough to print.

Talking about touching a child and generating images that show him or her nude is radioactive, no matter how you tackle it.

The folks at child abuse prevention organizations are fielding questions about what to do, and it's making everyone queasy.

“You need to have a conversation with your child based on what is going to happen,” advised Nancy McBride, a spokeswoman for the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children in Alexandria, Va. “Tell them they have to con-

duct this examination and they have to do it to be safe. This is just something that has to be done.”

But the key here is to let the child know this kind of search can happen “only in an airport, only these people and only when I'm here with you,” McBride suggested.

Will “playing airport” soon dethrone the old “playing doctor” game among kids?

When we finally flew out of Virginia's Dulles Airport on Tuesday for a cross-country flight to see the grandparents, I was braced to experience the new procedures up close and personal.

Beat up by the traveling public, I suspect TSA is on a massive kindness campaign. One agent wished my child a happy belated birthday, another — and this is the first time in six years and several continents I've seen this happen — unfolded our stroller after it went through the X-ray, and a third directed us to a back elevator for the quickest route when he saw we were rushing.

There was nothing but the usual metal detector and neither child got a pat down. My husband, totally suspi-

cious because he's a man with a linebacker build who was wearing a “Charm City Cakes” sweatshirt, got a pat-down that was only above his waist.

All the passengers around me with kids had similar experiences.

None of the child abuse groups I spoke with has received a single call about a child being touched in a sexually inappropriate way.

“And trust me, they call us right away on anything,” McBride said.

My guess is that TSA's refusal to give details about the kid searches is fueling a needless frenzy among parents.

“So tell me this: Can TSA agents touch a child's genital area? That's really what all the fear is about, right?” I asked Greg Soule, spokesman for the agency.

“We can't go into specifics about the procedure,” Soule began. But I begged him to be more specific.

“I can say this. They will be less thorough in sensitive areas,” he said.

I think that is the kind of detail that parentworld is eager to hear. Now how to deal with the remaining six hours of the journey?

Petula Dvorak is a columnist for *The Washington Post*.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Times-News missed local wreath laying

On Monday, Dec. 13, on Page Main 2, the *Times-News* had a picture of a veteran laying a wreath at the Idaho State Veterans Cemetery in Boise. Why didn't the *Times-News* cover the wreath-laying ceremony that happened in the Magic Valley?

On Friday, Dec. 10, members the American Legion Post 41 and VFW Post 2974, along with the Wendell Middle School fifth grade and some volunteer Wendell High School students and faculty, placed more than 340 wreaths on veterans graves in the Wendell Cemetery. On Saturday, Dec. 11, at 10 am, the Ceremonial Wreath Laying was conducted at the South Central Idaho Veterans Park in Wendell.

Doug Maughan did an excellent job as the narrator for the wreath laying on Saturday as was Benito Baeza's coverage of both the Friday and Saturday events. Why couldn't the *Times-News* cover the event?

Wendell is the only town between Pocatello and

Mountain Home that participates in this worldwide event. People from Blackfoot and Pocatello attended the event, but the *Times-News* couldn't make it 20 miles to cover the story. It can't be said that you didn't know about it, you got an e-mail from the headquarters of Wreaths Across America about the event. Your community/news clerk contacted me concerning the event. I talked to her about the event, as well as your city editor. Cover what you may, but be assured that we will continue to honor our fellow veterans, with or without media coverage.

JIM BENSON
Wendell

Lessons for today from the Old Testament

What makes the news headlines?

Often they include reports of fraud, theft, murder or threats of one nation against another nation. Maybe it is corrupt politicians scamming the taxpayers. Very likely you hear about people who exalt themselves in the political, financial and entertainment

worlds. But how often do you hear about the wonderful works and promises of God? Pride and self-exaltation are the same as shaking a fist in the face of God. What happens to a nation that exalts itself against the Lord and his people?

The answer may be found in the book of Isaiah. The people of Isaiah's day were frantically trying to find solutions in their unstable world. Unfortunately, they were looking to alliances and idols instead of looking to the one true God for help. When the warnings of the prophets failed to awaken them, God sometimes removed their false security. In Isaiah's day, God used a cruel pagan nation to discipline the people and sent them into exile. You may wonder how God could use evil to accomplish his purposes. The ultimate example is the death of Jesus Christ at the hands of evil men to accomplish God's purpose of salvation for sinners.

The book of Isaiah speaks volumes about our world today. It is like reading the headlines in our newspapers. For believers there is good news. It is found at

Christmas in the quote from Isaiah we hear so often, “For unto us a child is born, to us a son is given.” To what or to whom are you looking for the future? We are looking to the Lord, our only hope!

LOIS YORTY
Twin Falls

Helmet law won't replace education, responsibility

To the mother who lost her child because he didn't have a helmet:

Lack of a helmet was not the reason, common sense and discipline were the factors.

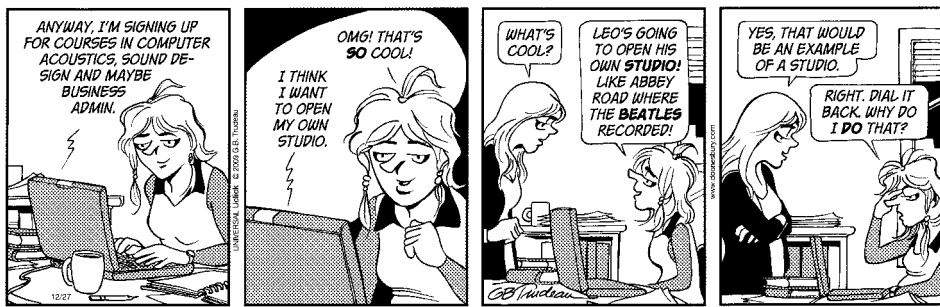
I raised three kids, not one of them had a bike before the age of 8 and even that is not old enough to be responsible in this day with all the traffic for them to be safe. Thank God that mine were raised before so much traffic.

What was a 5-year-old doing on a bike in the street anyway?

So people, helmets are not the sole causes. They will help, but education and responsibility are.

DONNA BAIRD
Twin Falls

Doonesbury



By Garry Trudeau

Mallard Fillmore

By Bruce Tinsley



Snowstorm coats East, frustrating holiday travel

By Sara Kugler Frazier
Associated Press

NEW YORK — A winter storm made travel torturous in the Northeast on Sunday, dropping a thick layer of snow that stranded thousands of airline, train and bus passengers and made motorists think twice about hitting after-Christmas sales.

More than a foot of snow was expected in some areas, including New York and Boston, where an aquarium had to protect — of all things — penguin ice sculptures from the elements. A dumping of up to 20 inches had been forecast for Philadelphia, where the Eagles-Vikings NFL game was postponed because of the storm, but by early evening meteorologists said the city would end up getting no more than a foot.

More than 1,400 flights had been canceled out of the New York City area's three major airports alone, and more cancellations were expected Monday.

For many people, however, the storm's timing was perfect: the day after Christmas, a Sunday, no school for at least a week.

"Love snowy days when I don't have to go anywhere. Staying in — just me and my cozy new socks," author Neesha Meminger wrote on Twitter from her home in the Bronx.

She told the AP she's able to savor the moment because her children, ages 6 and 9, are on holiday break: "If this was during the school week, I would be cursing!"

Colleen and Graham

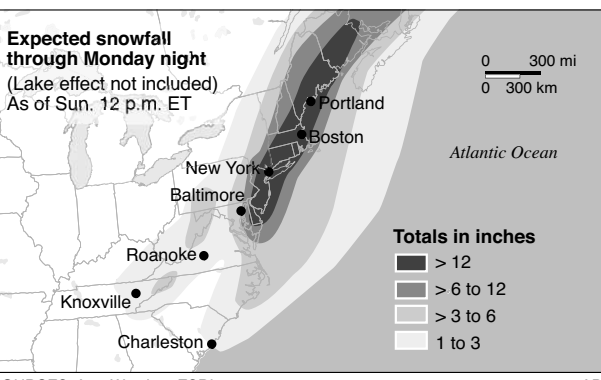


A New Jersey state trooper stops to help people after their cars collided in heavy snowfall Sunday on Route 295 near Columbus, N.J.

AP photo

Winter storm moves in along coast

Wintry weather is making its way up the East Coast, bringing a foot or more of snow to some areas.



SOURCES: AccuWeather; ESRI

James of Montclair, N.J., represented the other side of the coin. They were at Newark Airport with their two young children and their dachshund, trying to reach family in Iowa, but their

connecting flight to Chicago was delayed more than two and a half hours.

"We left the day after Christmas to avoid the Christmas craze. I guess that didn't work out so well,"

Colleen James said. Graham James was resigning himself to postponing their trip a month. "Now we're worried about just driving home because of the crazy snow," he said.

Airlines canceled flights throughout the Northeast and at airports in Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Chicago and the Carolinas. They expected more cancellations Monday, but were trying to rebook passengers and hoped to resume normal operations Tuesday.

U.S. Airways had already canceled 110 Monday flights by Sunday afternoon — spokesman Jim Olson said that was to try to keep passengers and crews from getting stranded at airports.

New York's Kennedy Airport was calm, apparently because many would-be travelers elected not to

trudge to the terminal in hopes of getting rebooked.

Andrew Brent's flight to Florida was repeatedly pushed back, and the New York mayoral spokesman thought he might have to wait until Monday to meet up with his wife and son for vacation. But he added, "I'll get down there eventually so I'm not terribly worried."

Amtrak, meanwhile, canceled train service from New York to Maine on Sunday evening, after doing the same earlier for several trains in Virginia. Bus companies canceled routes up and down the East Coast, affecting thousands of travelers.

Kate Lindquist, on her way home from New Hampshire to New York City, was greeted with a handwritten sign at a Boston bus station: "Sorry, we are closed today!"

"To have this happen on a Sunday during a holiday weekend is incredibly frustrating," she told the AP in an e-mail.

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Retailers roll out sales as snow hits East Coast

By Mae Anderson
Associated Press

ATLANTA — An East Coast snowstorm put a damper on after-Christmas shopping Sunday. But shoppers across the rest of the country searched clearance racks and spent gift cards in the afterglow of the best holiday season for retailers since 2007.

Blizzard warnings stretched from New Jersey to Maine. Forecasters expected up to 20 inches of snow in Philadelphia and Boston and up to 16 inches in New York City.

"The forecast will tend to keep (shoppers) at home. It's not the best day for shopping," said Scott A. Bernhardt, chief operating officer at weather research firm Planalytics.

The storm had malls from the Carolinas through New Jersey closing early, including MacArthur Center in Norfolk, Va., and three Tanger Outlets centers in Delaware and on Long Island, N.Y.

The timing could have been worse for retailers. Last year, a snowstorm hit the East Coast the Saturday before Christmas, costing them about \$2 billion lost sales.

"People will just wait a day to do exchanges and use their gift cards. It's no big deal," said Greg Maloney, CEO of

the retail practice of Jones Lang LaSalle, which manages malls across the country.

But some shoppers were undaunted. In Manhattan, shoppers packed Macy's flagship store in Herald Square.

Italian tourist Efisio Marci, who was traveling with Tiziana Demar, said they had gone to the store to do some shopping, but were soon ready to leave — though not because of the weather.

"There's too many people. We'll come back tomorrow," said Marci.

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TWIN CINEMA

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How Do You Know PG-13
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IVORY COAST General strike called to oust Gbagbo

ABIDJAN — Allies of the man who the international community says won Ivory Coast's disputed presidential election called Sunday for a general strike that would last until the incumbent hanging on to power concedes defeat and leaves office.

It was the latest form of pressure to try to force Laurent Gbagbo from the presidency nearly a month after the United Nations said his political rival, Alassane Ouattara, won the runoff vote. Gbagbo has refused to leave despite international calls for his ouster, and West African leaders say they now will remove him by force if he fails to go.

In an interview with Associated Press Television News on Sunday, Gbagbo said he was not concerned about world opinion, insisting he was duly elected. He said of his detractors: "Maybe they do not want me, I admit it, but I am not looking to be loved by them. I respect and abide by the Ivorians' vote."

Djedje Mady, the head of Ouattara's electoral coalition, said it called on "all Ivorians and those who live in Ivory Coast and believe in peace and justice to cease all their activities on Monday,

December 27, 2010, until Laurent Gbagbo leaves power."

The U.N. has said at least 173 people have been killed in violence over the vote, heightening fears that the country once divided in two could return to civil war. The toll is believed to be much higher, though, as the U.N. mission has been blocked from investigating other reports, including an allegation of a mass grave.

PAKISTAN Thousands fear hunger after suicide bombing ends aid

KHAR — Some 300,000 destitute villagers impoverished by fighting in Pakistan's tribal belt are scrambling to find food after a female suicide bomber killed 45 people outside a World Food Program food distribution center, triggering a district wide suspension of the relief project.

Pakistan says the attack is a sign of insurgent desperation, but the bombing and ongoing battles challenge Islamabad's claims of victory over al-Qaida and the Taliban in this part of the porous northwest border.

WFP district coordinator Shahab Khan said on Sunday that all four food relief centers run by the United Nations agency in the Bajur district had been shut indef-



AP photo

People perform rituals on the anniversary of the 2004 tsunami, Sunday on a beach in Chennai, India. The Dec. 26 tsunami killed an estimated 230,000 people in 12 nations, from Thailand to Sri Lanka.

initely since Saturday's bombing in the area's main town of Khar.

The WFP project in Bajur feeds 41,000 families — or 300,000 people — who returned to the district from camps for the displaced

elsewhere in the country, even though their livelihoods having been ruined by fighting between Pakistan troops and insurgents.

Paında Khan, a 48-year-old farmer who abandoned his crops

months ago, said his family of 11 was now desperate for their rations of rice, flour, lentils, cooking oil and high-energy biscuits that he had been going to pick up on Monday.

NIGERIA Attacks on Christians kill 38 in central and northern Nigeria

MAIDUGURI — Dozens of armed men attacked the church, dragging the pastor out of his home and shooting him to death. Two young men from the choir rehearsing for a late-night carol service also were slain.

The group of about 30 attackers armed with guns and knives even killed two people passing by Victory Baptist Church. The assailants only left after setting the church and pastor's house ablaze.

Danjuma Akawu, the church's secretary, managed to escape after he and others climbed over the church's fence.

"I cannot understand these attacks," Akawu said. "Why Christians? Why Christians? The police have failed to protect us."

At the opposite end of the city, Rev. Haskanda Jessu said that three men attacked the Church of Christ in Nigeria an hour later, killing a 60-year-old security guard.

AFGHANISTAN Petraeus lauds Pakistani efforts against militants

FORWARD OPERATING BASE SALERNO — The top U.S. and NATO commander in Afghanistan said there will be more coordinated military operations on either side of the border with Pakistan, and commended the Pakistanis on its "impressive" counterinsurgency efforts.

The Taliban in Afghanistan and other extremist groups use safe havens across the border in Pakistan, and the U.S. has been pushing Islamabad to clear the lawless tribal belt that runs along the frontier. The pressure has often strained U.S.-Pakistani relations, with Islamabad bristling at suggestions it should do more.

Gen. David Petraeus, who took over command of coalition troops in Afghanistan in July, told The Associated Press there had already been coordinated operations on both sides of the border.

"We want to do more hammer and anvil operations," Petraeus said late Saturday, in an interview aboard a military transport aircraft as he flew around Afghanistan on Christmas visits.

— The Associated Press

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TREND 2011

Checking the apps and dancing up a sweat

What's old is new again: Some previous years' trends, like Zumba and toning shoes, are taking on new lives in 2011. And triathlons, which have been around since the 1920s, are seeing a resurgence in popularity, along with other extreme races like ultramarathons and long-distance bike racing.

Like so many aspects of our lives, fitness is seeing technological advances, too, with smartphone applications to help us count calories and keep track of exercises. And some south-central Idahoans who are seeing hard times are depending on vitamins and supplements to fend off costly illnesses.

So whether you're popping vitamins or learning salsa steps, here's to a healthy 2011.

What's ahead in Trend 2011

This week, *Times-News* reporters look ahead at what 2011 will bring to south-central Idaho.

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Kay Parker, right, leads a Zumba toning class Thursday morning at the Twin Falls YMCA on Elizabeth Boulevard. The American Council on Exercise predicts dance classes like Zumba will be big in 2011.

Immune boosters in, mangosteen out

For most healthy folks, vitamins and dietary supplements might seem like a luxury. But in many cases they're a cost-effective way to avoid the expense of doctor visits and prescriptions, say nutrition center operators in south-central Idaho.

In the past year or so, they have seen cash-strapped people rely more heavily on over-the-counter pills to keep medical costs down, and they anticipate that trend to continue through 2011.

"People have more interest in trying to maintain their health, because they have no insurance," said Linda Fitzgerald, master herbalist at The Nutrition Center in Burley. "(Or) they don't want to deal with the side effects of prescriptions. It's been on the rise for three or four years; people are starting to get that finally."

Mangosteen is out, but acai berry is expected to continue in popularity, as are green tea products for dieting and detoxification. Fitzgerald said immune system boosters and products to combat colds and flus are also hot among those who want to avoid hardcore medications.

Supplements to treat allergies are on the rise, said Roy Tinker, owner of Big Wood Nutrition in Hailey and The Natural Niche in Ketchum — particularly for allergies to diet elements like soy, dairy and gluten, diagnoses of which have increased dramatically in the past few years, he said.

However, people who don't have a specific need will be less likely to buy multiple vitamins, relying instead on a balanced diet to get their ABCs.

— Ariel Hansen



Full-time fitness shoes

Over the past two years, toning shoes have been a big hit. Previously, the shoes — designed to tone the wearer's butt and legs — have mostly been marketed to women in sneaker form. That's changing. There are now toning shoes for men and children, and the shoes come in a range of styles, including cute sandals, warm boots and clogs. Skechers, Reebok and FitFlops all offer varying styles, and Reebok has even come out with supplemental merchandise like a fitness DVD based on the shoes — called "Reebok EasyTone Workout" — and EasyTone apparel that is designed to improve posture and tone muscles.

Even Crocs — those colorful foam clogs that everyone wore a few years ago — are in on the action with a new line of CrocsTone.

But do toning shoes work? Maybe, but not by themselves, said Nikki Kober, owner of Body IQ in Twin Falls.

"They probably help contribute to toning your body and help with posture and alignment, but you also need to include a regular exercise program and nutrition program" to see major results, said Kober, who has a doctorate in exercise physiology.

And although the new shoes are cute, resist the urge to wear them 'round the clock. Like high heels, the shoes can shorten your Achilles tendon, Kober said.

— Melissa Davlin

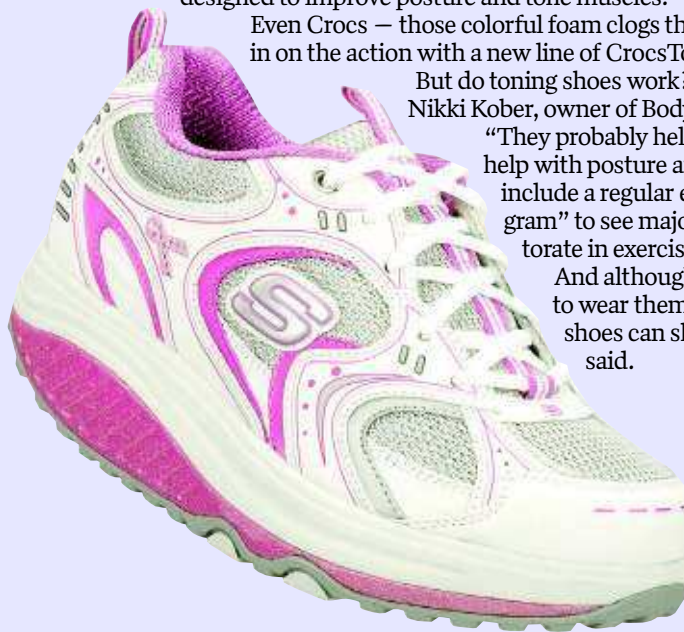


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Skechers has expanded its line of toning shoes, called Shape-Ups, to include different styles for men, women and children. This design, Shape-Ups Awareness, raises \$10 for The Breast Cancer Research Fund for every pair sold.

Triathlons taking over

Enthusiasm for extreme racing comes and goes. And in 2011, it's going to be huge, says Rock Temple, owner of Rock's Cycling & Fitness in Burley.

In the past year, Temple has seen an increased interest in triathlons, ultramarathons and super-long bike races.

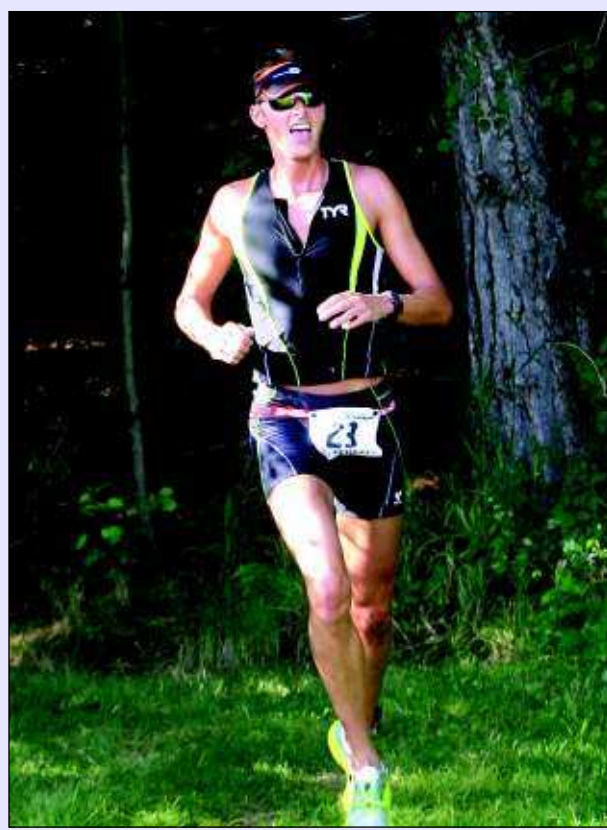
One regional bicycle race, LOTOJA, has exploded in popularity. LOTOJA participants cover the 206 miles between Logan, Utah, and Jackson Hole, Wyo., in a single day. It's the longest one-day bicycle race sanctioned by the U.S. Cycling Federation. And Temple said more south-central Idaho cyclists are asking about it than ever.

"They only accept a thousand people, and boom, it's full in like a few days," Temple said.

Also popular: Idaho's own Spudman triathlon, which includes a 1.5-kilometer swim, a 40-kilometer bike race and a 10-kilometer run in Burley in late July.

LOTOJA and Spudman registrations aren't currently open, but keep an eye on their websites for more information: lotojaclassic.com and burleylions.org/spudman.html.

— Melissa Davlin



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Former Heyburn resident B.J. Christenson was the first man across the finish line at the 2010 Spudman triathlon in Burley.

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To do for You

Infant safety and CPR

Infant safety and cardiopulmonary resuscitation, 6:30-9 p.m. Tuesday, in the lobby of St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center's downtown campus, 660 Shoshone St. E. in Twin Falls.

New parents, grandparents and caregivers learn CPR and what to do if a baby chokes.

No registration required; free; 732-3148.

CPR, first aid

Cardiopulmonary re-

suscitation class for health care providers, 2-5 p.m. Tuesday, and CPR first aid class, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. Jan 8. Class sizes are limited.

Cost is \$45 (CPR) and \$60 (CPR first aid). To register and for class location: Angie Pullin, 731-3172.

Grief support

Visions of Hope Support Group, 5-6 p.m. Thursdays, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home community room, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

Grief and loss support for those who have experienced a loss of a loved one.

Free; 735-0121.

Mental health support

Mental Health Support Group, 5-6:30 p.m. Thursdays, at Family Health Services/Behavioral Health, 1102 Eastland Drive N. in Twin Falls.

Open to individuals in Magic Valley with a mental health diagnosis. Free; 734-1281.

"To do for you" is a listing of health-related activities, events and education. Submit information by Thursday for publication in the following Monday's Healthy & Fit section: ramona@magicvalley.com.

Cooling down with an ice bath

By Lenny Bernstein
The Washington Post

Most of us are pretty conscientious about preparing for an upcoming competition, special athletic event or particularly grueling training session. We build our stamina. We hydrate. We take on extra fuel. We get a little extra rest.

But how much attention do you pay to the hours and days after you finish that century ride, alumni soccer game or 20-mile training run? Do you collapse on the couch, spent, and indulge in a double cheeseburger with fries to celebrate your achievement and the extra calories you burned?

Experts and top athletes know that the energy and focus you put into your recovery will go a long way toward determining not only how you feel for the next few days, but how well you perform the next time. (Assuming there is a next time.) And that effort helps prevent injury.

"If you don't recover, you wind up getting into overuse syndromes" and suffering injuries such as stress fractures, says Karen Merrill, a master trainer for the American Council on Exercise, who recommends at least 10 minutes of stretching after a good workout.

While this knowledge has slowly seeped down to the rest of us — Gatorade now markets "before," "during" and "after" sports drinks — it's not as ingrained as prevent regimens. And how to go about it is somewhat more confusing.

I learned this the hard way (seems like the only way for me) after I ran my first marathon in 2005. My wife and I scheduled a walking tour of New Orleans for the next morning. In theory I was doing the right thing: keeping those legs moving, gently, is the best way to recover from 26.2 miles of pounding. But I didn't know anything about post-race care and soon was having trouble walking down stairs on stiff quads and swollen feet. (I also ate a great post-race bacon cheeseburger. Which I don't regret.)

Here are a few things you might consider after your next tough outing.

Active recovery

You're exhausted, you're proud, you've earned a few hours with your feet up and the ballgame on. Don't do it. At least not right away. That burning in your legs while you were working so hard came from lactate, a byproduct of exercise. You want to keep your blood circulating well so your body can get rid of it as efficiently as possible, and you want to keep those tired muscles limber.

Distance runners, from high school on up, take cool-down runs right after competition. You should do something, too. Take a walk, do some yoga, slowly pedal an exercise bike. And by all means, stretch as much as you can as part of the cool-down.

Under no circumstances "should anyone just stop," says Lynn Millar, a professor of physical therapy at Andrews University in Berrien Springs, Mich. Although conventional wisdom calls for stretching muscles while they're warm, Millar has found that some people need an additional, gentle stretching session later.

"It may be more important to do some of that stretching three hours later," she says. "That may help better at preventing that tightness or lack of range of motion."

In a small 2008 study of women rock climbers, French and Belgian researchers found that active recovery — in this case, pedaling a stationary bike — removed lactate more quickly than other methods and led to better performance when the women went back onto the climbing wall 20 minutes later.

Ice baths

Nothing feels better on sore muscles after a tough workout than a hot shower or, if you have access to one, a steaming whirlpool. Haven't we seen pro athletes doing this for years? Unfortunately, it may be the wrong way to go. It seems wherever you go now, someone is touting the benefits of an ice bath or, more technically, cold-water immersion.

It seems intuitive that cold would reduce the inflammation in overworked legs. Distance runners swear by the practice; they've been standing in buckets of icy water after races and workouts for years. An ice bath "constricts blood vessels and decreases metabolic activity, which reduces swelling and tissue breakdown," top ultra-marathoner Nikki Kimball wrote in Runner's World in 2008. (For ultra-wusses like me, Kimball notes that she wears a down jacket, a hat and neoprene booties and drinks hot tea during her 20 minutes in a 50- to 59-degree tub.)

This idea is not universally accepted, however. Kenneth L. Knight, a professor of athletic training at Brigham Young University who has spent his career studying cryotherapy for athletes, says there is no research to support or refute the effect of ice baths on inflammation, even if so many say it feels so good.

"There's no evidence that it's not good, but there's no evidence to support it,

either," Knight says. "It's just out there."

In that 2008 study of rock climbers, cold-water immersion was the other method that researchers found helped maintain performance. (Passive recovery and electric stimulation were the ones that didn't pan out as well.)

Chocolate milk?

I don't have the space here to help you navigate the river of commercial post-workout beverages or foods that make similar claims about aiding recovery. I did check into one of the latest fads, chocolate milk, because so many people seem to be drinking it after workouts. Turns out it makes sense.

Nancy Clark, a registered dietitian and author of "Nancy Clark's Sports Nutrition Guidebook," says chocolate milk provides fluid, carbohydrates (sugar) to replenish your body's supply, protein to promote muscle healing and the sodium that you've sweated away. Plus, it gives you that sated feeling that other products may not. A small University of Connecticut study found that fat-free chocolate milk seems to protect muscles better than a carbohydrate recovery drink.



JONATHAN NEWTON/Washington Post
Washington Redskin Santana Moss cools down with an ice bath.

For noncompetitive athletes, Clark says, there are myriad ways to take in the same essentials in the 24 to 48 hours after a workout, from protein shakes to the small, low-fat meals you should be eating anyway.

In most instances, "the body will take care of it on its own" by signaling what it needs, she says. "Your job is to make sure there's food around."

Jigglin' in Jerome

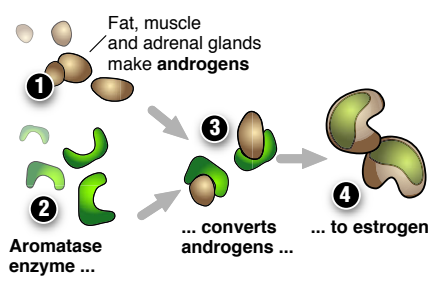
A fitness challenge for Magic Valley's North Side. Next Monday in Healthy & Fit

Health Matters

Breast cancer and estrogen

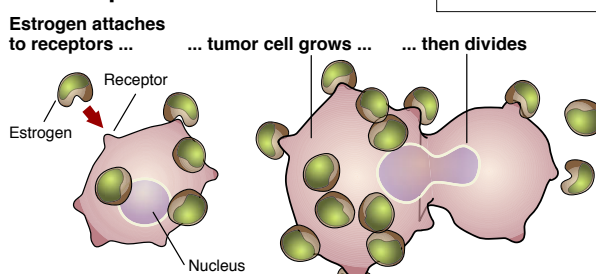
Hormone-dependent breast cancers need the hormone estrogen to grow. How drugs can stop this growth in post-menopausal women.

Estrogen production in older women



In older women, ovarian estrogen production shifts to fat cells

Hormone-dependent tumor



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Nutrition quiz: On choline

By Sam McManis
McClatchy Newspapers

Dietitians tell us choline is an "essential nutrient," which we have no reason to doubt. But why is it that not many of us know about choline? Take our quiz to learn more.

1. Choline is found in specialized fat molecules called phospholipids, which are important, in part, for doing what?

- a) Inhibiting excess serotonin
- b) Stimulating nerve impulse transmission
- c) Enabling the clotting of blood

2. What is considered the most severe symptom of a lack of choline?

- a) A buildup of fat and cholesterol leading to "fatty liver"
- b) A higher incidence of tissue inflammation and arthritis
- c) Dangerously low enzyme levels that lead to kidney failure

3. What is the "adequate intake" for choline for an

adult, according to the Food and Nutrition Board of the Institute of Medicine?

- a) 100 milligrams a day for men, 75 mg for women
- b) 300 mg for men, 250 mg for women
- c) 550 for men, 425 mg for women

4. Which food provides the highest level of choline?

- a) Red meat
- b) Whole eggs
- c) Mashed yeast

5. If you're a vegan and do not ingest animal products, what's the best choline-rich food for you at 172 mg per serving?

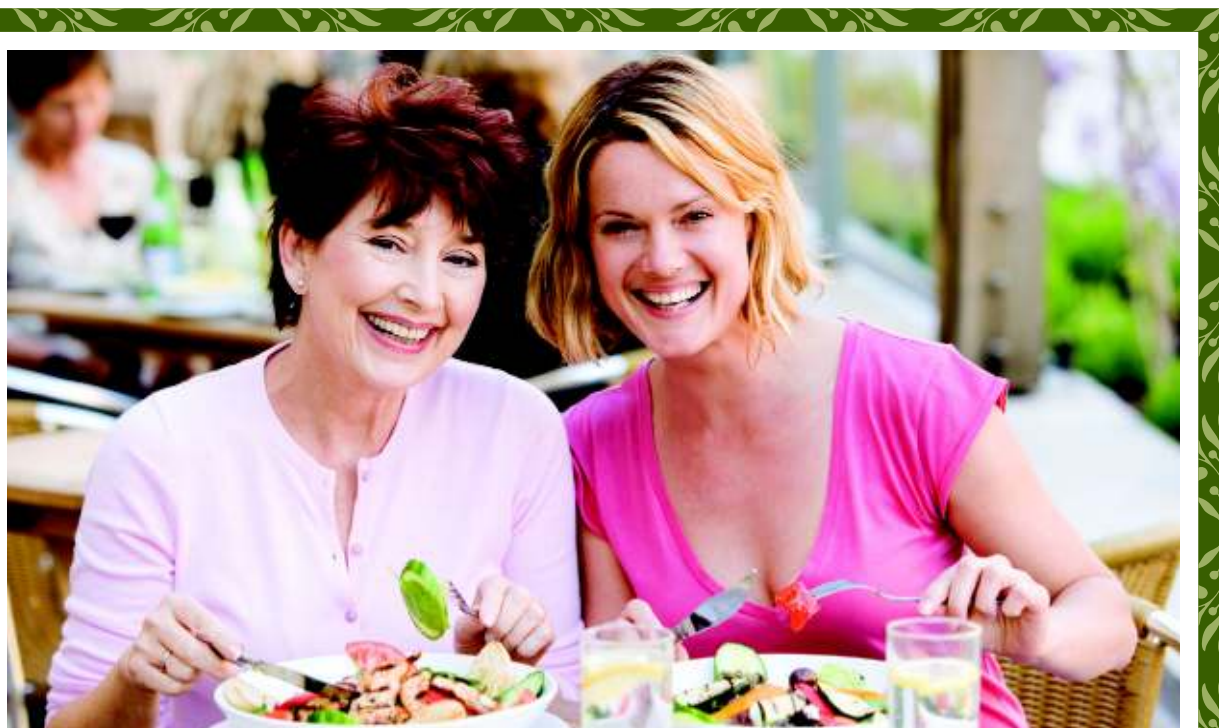
- a) Toasted wheat germ
- b) Braised tofu
- c) Green beans

6. Too much choline (10 to 16 grams per day) can result in what condition?

- a) Fishy body odor
- b) Increased salivation
- c) Both

ANSWERS: 1: b; 2: a; 3: c; 4: b; 5: a; 6: c

Sources: Linus Pauling Institute at Oregon State University (lpi.oregon-state.edu); www.nutrition-data.com



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Fitness apps for smartphones



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The SparkPeople loading screen, on an HTC Hero. The app is a food and fitness tracker.

The next time you're at the gym, don't be surprised if the person on the treadmill next to you pulls out a phone mid-workout.

Calorie counters, workout trackers and smart eating applications are flooding the app markets for Blackberries, iPhones and Androids. Here are some to try:

• **The "Eat This, Not That"** iPhone app gives people an on-the-go guide to healthy restaurant food. Track calories, create a diet plan, make grocery lists and find healthy swaps for fast food.

The application is currently unavailable, but watch the market for its relaunch.

• **Mapmyrun.com** has apps for Blackberry, Android and iPhone that let users map routes in their cities, log calories and track their progress. Magic Valley and Wood River Valley have dozens of routes already programmed in from users like Sawtooth Interagency Hotshot Crew members, who use Mapmyrun.com for training. "We kind of implemented it as a training guide for upcoming crew members," said Andrew Addey in

a March interview. Also available: Mapmyride.com for cyclists. Free.

• **Sparkpeople.com's** apps connect SparkPeople's profiles with your phone. Track meals and enter in activities to see calories burned. Free.

• **"Lose It!"** for iPhone is another calorie and workout tracker. The scrolling dials make tracking food and exercise fun. (But be warned: Don't download the scam "Lose It" app in the Android market. Instead of the weight-loss program, you'll get a single picture of four



DREW NASH/Times-News
The 'Lose It!' food and fitness app, on an iPhone 4.

obese women.) Free.

— Melissa Davlin



Times-News file photo
Fernando Valdez instructs a Zumba class in July 2009 at the YMCA in Ketchum.

Dancing to burn calories

Get ready to shake your booty to banish extra pounds.

The American Council on Exercise predicts dance classes like Zumba will be big in 2011.

And judging by what's hot in south-central Idaho, that's on track. Gold's Gym in Twin Falls offers salsa, Body IQ has YogaGroovin', YMCA of Twin Falls has Hip Hop Boot Camp, and nearly every gym in south-central Idaho has the Latin-inspired Zumba — including Impact Athletic in Burley, which

offers nine Zumba classes a week, and Planet Zumba in Burley, which is a dedicated Zumba studio.

Jazzercise is also making a comeback, with five classes a week in Twin Falls and 10 a week in Gooding. And dance classes for kids are big, too, with Zumbatomic at Planet Zumba and Movers and Shakers at YMCA of Twin Falls dedicated solely to the young 'uns.

Anna Lee Elquist, owner of

Burley's Planet Zumba and Main Motion, Studio of Dance in Oakley, said she had to move her Zumba classes to a larger warehouse earlier this year after more than 60 people showed up to each class.

Elquist acknowledges that fitness fads come and go, but she doesn't think Zumba is going anywhere.

"I think it will evolve, but I don't think it's going to die."

— Melissa Davlin

Firm stance: Jane Fonda on workout DVDs for seniors

By Vicky Hallett
The Washington Post

Even at 72, Jane Fonda has a better body than you. But she didn't come out of retirement to brag. Instead, "Walk Out" and "Fit & Strong" — the first two titles in her new "Primetime" series of exercise DVDs — target seniors who need a push to stay active in order to stave off physical and mental problems. "The worst thing that can happen is people thinking, 'I can't do bicep curls with the weight I used to, so why do it?'" she says. "I don't have to be extreme," says Fonda, who's scaled back but has no intention of giving up.

Q: Can you tell me about the heart-to-heart you have with viewers at the beginning of each DVD?

A: This is the kind of thing I wasn't aware of back in the day. There are many women — and men — who become disembodied. They move out and take up residence next door, even if they work out. They just don't like their bodies. It can get worse when you get older. So, I want people to take the time to relax and breathe intentionally, and think about their bodies. They might not be perfect, but they've gotten us this far. It can't be about trying to look how you did when you were in your 20s. It's about being the healthiest, not the most ripped.

Q: Why target the senior demographic?

A: It's great if younger people work out. But if they don't, young bodies are forgiving. As we age, it's imperative that we keep moving. Even if you've never done it before, it will transform your third act. I realized I'm an older

person. I speak to older people — I've got a replaced hip and a replaced knee. I was the right person. I never ever thought I'd go back to this, but no one else wants to admit that they're old.

Q: How different is it to create a routine for seniors?

A: You have to be very careful. I talk about my hip and knee, and I'm not going to do anything to hurt myself. You do a draft choreography and get doctors to vet it. But we also got 18 people to try it out with me. Instead of weights, we started out with rubber bands, but they kept snapping, so we took them out. It had to be something they could do and not scare them. So, we're not lying down, and when we're standing, we're with a chair.

Q: Do you have a favorite exercise these days?

A: I like to do an isometric squat against a wall. I put a ball behind my back and stay in the squat for a minute. You can do a squat anywhere.

Q: What else do you normally do to work out?

A: It depends on where I am. If I'm in New Mexico, I hike for an hour on a mountain. In the summer, I swim. And I always walk. I also have a gym, and that's where I do everything I write about. I get on an exercise bike for 15 minutes, do elliptical for 15 minutes and lift weights. I haven't done yoga recently because of my knee, but I want to do more of that again, too.

Q: What about exercise DVDs?

A: I have a lot of yoga DVDs. I had one I wore out because I used to have everyone do it with me. It's fun to make it a social thing.

Q: What's it like to know that you spawned this whole fitness video industry?

A: It's just wild. It used to take us months to shoot one, and now directors can do them in a day. For young mothers, it's been a godsend. For people who are self-conscious, it's great. For people who don't have a lot of time, it's great. I didn't think about that at the time. But when I discover something that makes a huge difference for me, I want to share it.



At 72, Jane Fonda has released 'Walk Out' and 'Fit & Strong' — the first two titles in her new 'Primetime' series of exercise DVDs that target seniors who need a push to stay active in order to stave off physical and mental problems. Lionsgate

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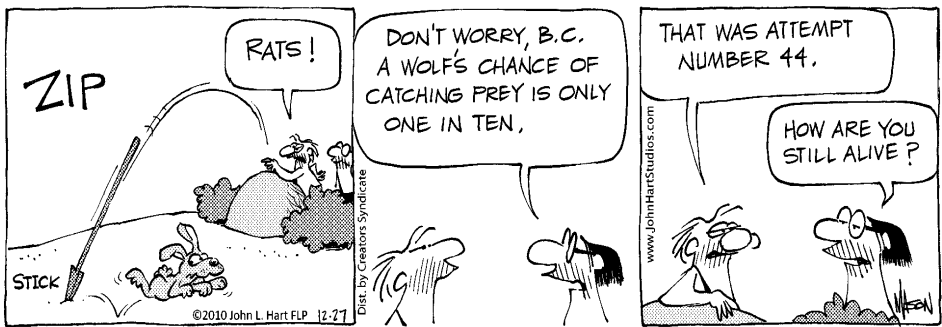
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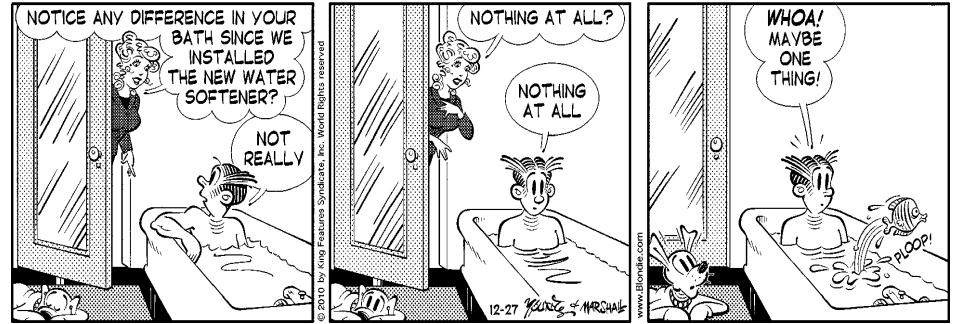
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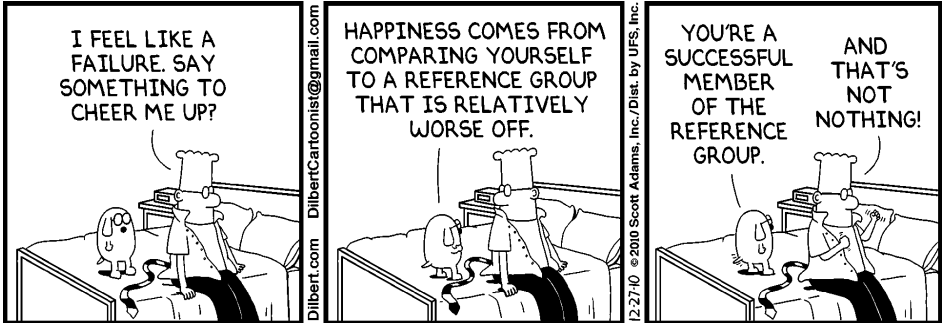
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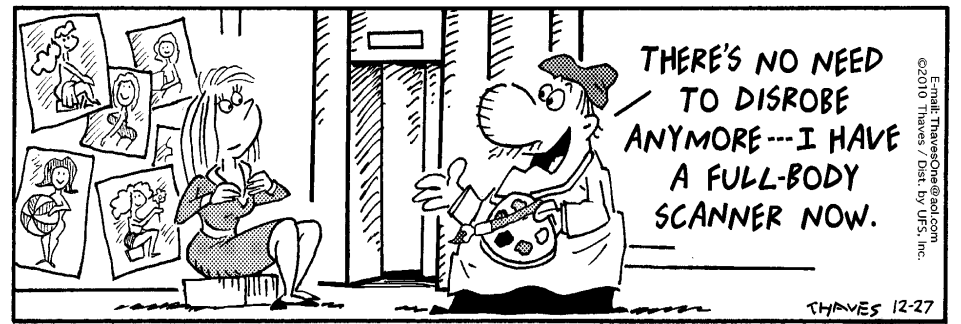
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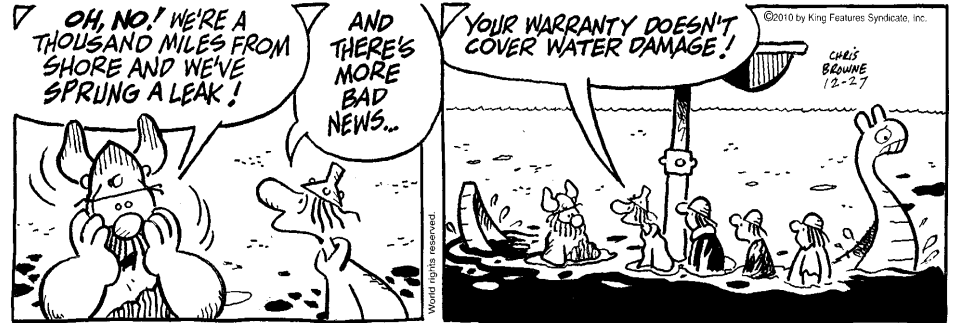
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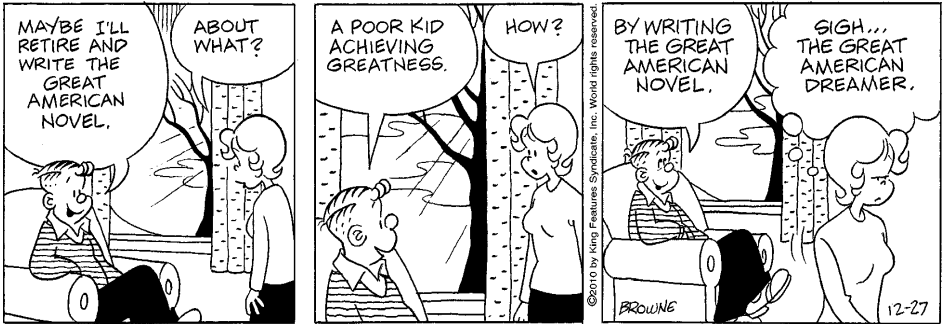
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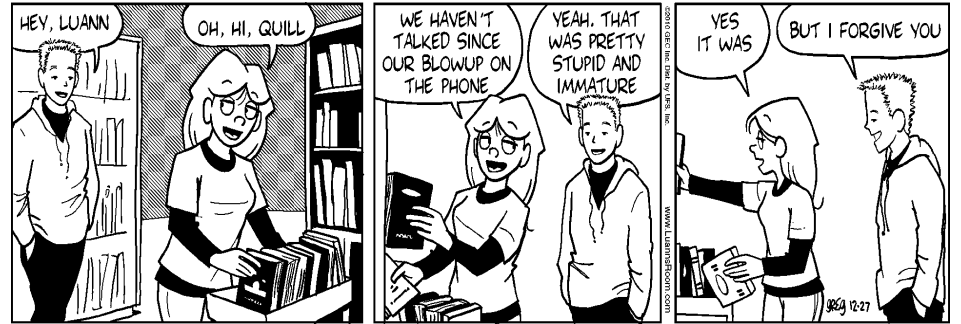
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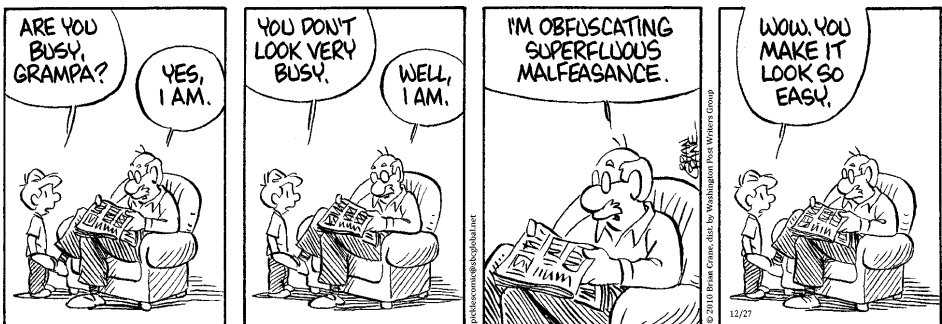
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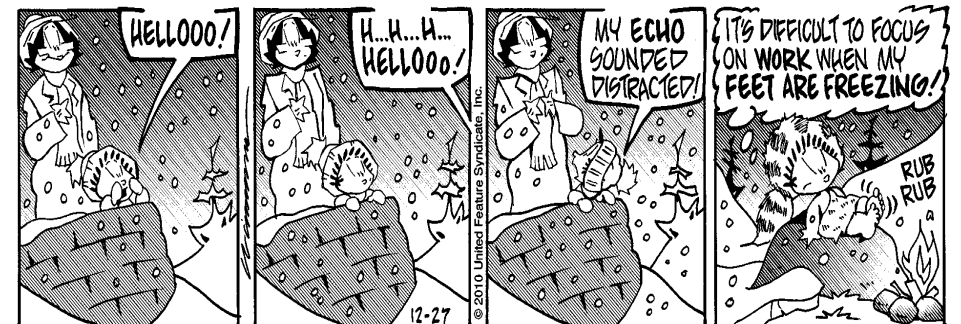
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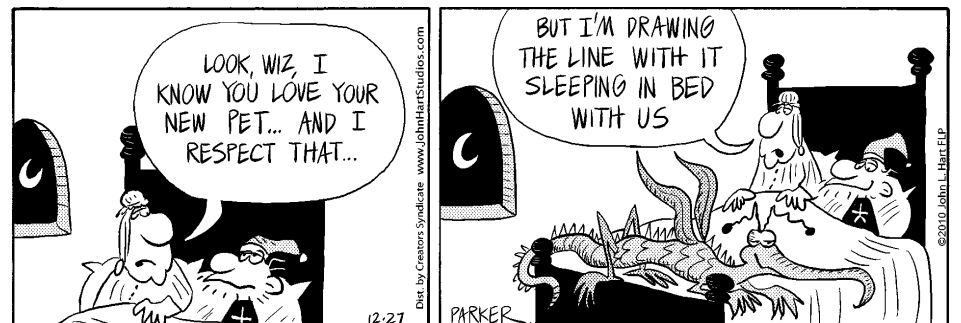
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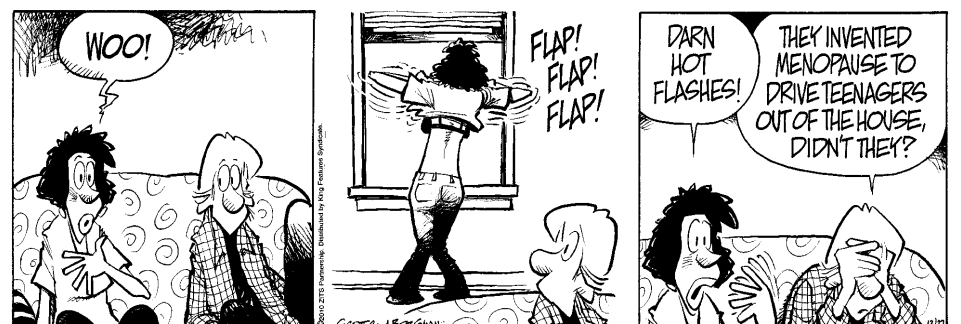
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: Minidoka County will be conducting elections for the following taxing districts during the calendar year 2011:

NAME & ADDRESS OF TAXING DISTRICT	ELECTION DATE	DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY FILING DEADLINE
Minidoka County Highway District 436-6112 50 S 225 W Rupert, ID 83350	May 17	April 8 by 5 pm
Minidoka County School District 436-4411 633 Fremont Ave. Rupert, ID 83350	May 17	April 8 by 5 pm
City of Burley 878-2224 1401 Overland Ave. Burley, ID 83318	May 17	Library Levy
City of Acequia 312-0401 c/o Anna McEwen 20303 F St. (Acequia) Rupert, ID 83350	Nov 8	Sept 9 by 5 pm
City of Burley 878-2224 1401 Overland Ave. Burley, ID 83318	Nov 8	Sept 9 by 5 pm
City of Heyburn 679-8158 941 18th St. Heyburn, ID 83336	Nov 8	Sept 9 by 5 pm
City of Minidoka 531-4010 402 Cherry St. Minidoka, ID 83343	Nov 8	Sept 9 by 5 pm
City of Paul 438-4101 152 S 600 W Paul, ID 83347	Nov 8	Sept 9 by 5 pm
City of Rupert 436-9600 624 F St. Rupert, ID 83350	Nov 8	Sept 9 by 5 pm
West End Fire Protection District Tom Dailey 436-5607 620 5th St. Rupert, ID 83350	Nov 8	Sept 30 by 5 pm
Minidoka Co. Fire Protection Dist. Tom Dailey 436-5607 620 5th St. Rupert, ID. 83350	Nov 8	Sept 30 by 5 pm
Minidoka-Acequia-Rupert Cemetery Dist./Tracy Haskin 506 6th St. 436-9911 Rupert, ID. 83350	Nov 8	Sept 30 by 5 pm
Paul Cemetery Dist. #2 Tom Dailey 436-5607 620 5th St. Rupert, ID. 83350	Nov 8	Sept 30 by 5 pm
Riverside Cemetery Dist. #3 Debbie Severe 679-9589 420 14th St. Heyburn, ID. 83336	Nov 8	Sept 30 by 5 pm

Declaration of Candidacy forms are available at the respective taxing district offices or at the Minidoka County Clerk's Office at 715 G St, Rupert, ID 83350.

Signed: Duane Smith
Duane Smith
County Clerk

REGISTER & VOTE

PUBLISH: December 27, 2010

NOTICE OF SALE

North Side Rentals, Inc., under provision of Idaho Code 28-7-210 will sell at Klaas Auction on December 28, 2010 the stored items of: **Kristina Fuentes**, Jerome, ID.

PUBLISH: December 20 and 27, 2010

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF ANNUAL OPEN PUBLIC MEETING People for Pets-Magic Valley Humane Society, Inc. Monday, January 10, 2011 at 6:30 PM

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Open Public Meeting of **People for Pets-Magic Valley Humane Society, Inc.** will be held on **Monday, January 10, 2011 at 6:30 PM** at 420 Victory Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho. There will be a financial report given, and other business conducted as may come before the group.

Kathleen Olmstead
People for Pets-Magic Valley Humane Society, Inc.
Vice-President/Secretary

PUBLISH: December 27, 2010 and January 3, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 10, 2010 File No.: 7023.90392 Sale date and time (local time): April 12, 2011 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Cassia County Courthouse, 1459 Overland Ave. Burley, ID 83318 Property address: **2820 Burton Avenue Burley, ID 83318** Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: **Maria L. Cedillo and Oscar M. Cedillo**, wife and husband Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Recording date: 04/20/2009 Recorder's instrument number: 2009001953 County: Cassia Sum owing on the obligation: as of December 10, 2010: \$246,135.79 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lot 25 in Block 1 of the S.I.R. Estates Subdivision (An Addendum of S.I.R. Estates Subdivision-Amended Plat of Block 1) to the City of Burley, Cassia County, Idaho, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, now of record in the Office of the Recorder of said County, recorded December 13, 1976 as Instrument No. 94880. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.90392) 1002.179370-FEI

PUBLISH: December 27, 2010, January 3, 10 and 17, 2011

Ref: Badger, Stephen P. and Tina M., 488.1028551
NOTICE: YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THE AMOUNT OF YOUR INDEBTEDNESS TO THE BENEFICIARY, THEIR SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST AND/OR ASSIGNEES AS RECITED BELOW, AS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE/LETTER, IS \$107,535.48. INTEREST FEES AND COSTS WILL CONTINUE TO ACCRUE AFTER THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE/LETTER, UNLESS YOU DISPUTE THE VALIDITY OF THE DEBT OR ANY PORTION THEREOF WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER RECEIVING NOTICE OF THIS DOCUMENT, THIS OFFICE WILL ASSUME THE DEBT TO BE VALID. IF YOU NOTIFY THIS OFFICE IN WRITING WITHIN THE 30-DAY PERIOD THAT THE DEBT OR ANY PORTION THEREOF IS DISPUTED, VERIFICATION OF THE DEBT WILL BE OBTAINED AND WILL BE MAILED TO YOU. UPON WRITTEN REQUEST WITHIN 30 DAYS, THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE ORIGINAL CREDITOR, IF DIFFERENT FROM THE CURRENT CREDITOR, WILL BE PROVIDED.
NOTICE: WE ARE A DEBT COLLECTOR. THIS COMMUNICATION IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR PURPOSES OF DEBT COLLECTION.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On March 9, 2011, at the hour of 11:00 AM of said day, (recognized local time), on the front steps of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 8th and G Streets, City of Rupert located in Minidoka County, State of Idaho.

William L. Bishop, Jr., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, payable, for certified funds, or the equivalent, which is lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Section 45-1506(9) Idaho Code, the following described real property, situated in Minidoka County, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 5 of the Boswell Subdivision of Block 214 of the Heyburn Townsite, Minidoka County, Idaho, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, now of record in the office of the Recorder of said County

Together with that certain 28x57 foot Guerdon manufactured home bearing VIN No. GDBOID219811648AB and more fully described in that certain Title Elimination document filed with the Auditor of Minidoka, Idaho on October 19, 1998 under Recording/Auditor's No. 437767.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of **725 H Street, Heyburn, ID 83336** is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **Stephen P. Badger and Tina M. Badger**, husband and wife, as grantors to William L. Bishop, Jr., as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of U.S. Bank National Association ND, recorded April 28, 2006, as Instrument No. 484178 Mortgage Records of Minidoka County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE OBLIGATION.

The default(s) for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under the Deed of Trust note, the following:

The monthly payments for Principal and Interest Due from 4/28/2010 through 10/28/2010 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. 7 payment(s) at \$873.03. These payments include interest at a fixed rate. The current rate is 8.500% Total: \$6,111.21. With Monthly Late Charges accruing: 6 late charge(s) at \$37.43 for each monthly payment not made within 15 days of its due date. Total Late Charges \$224.58. Accrued Late Charges \$580.01. Property Inspection \$95.00. Total Default: \$7,010.80.

The sum owing on the obligation secured by the said trust deed consists of the principal balance of \$98,069.97, together with any advances plus foreclosure fees and costs. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure.

DATED: November 2, 2010

TRUSTEE

By William L. Bishop, Jr., Attorney at Law
720 Olive Way, Suite 1301
Seattle, WA 98101
(206) 622-7527

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RENTAL PROPERTIES

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

101 Lost and Found

FOUND Boxer, female, in the Buhl area. Call to identify **320-2994**.

FOUND Dog, light brown and white, possible Border Collie. Found on Polk & Filer. Wearing Guardian training collar. **208-734-2571** lv msg

FOUND Earplugs for Ipod, found at Walmart parking lot on Saturday. **208-733-0194**

FOUND Kitten, orange tabby, on south side of Fred Meyer. Call **320-2108**.

FOUND Male Minpin mix near Southwood Apts. in Rupert. Female Shih Tzu just given to shelter, found in October. **572-0472**

LOST Benelli Shotgun & acc. at Niagra Springs Wildlife area, 11/27. **REWARD!! 208-921-1768**

LOST Pug, male, named Rambo. Last seen near Kimberly Rd and Hankins. Call **208-404-5030**.

LOST Yorkie, male, on Dec. 22nd Morning Sun Drive. Call **208-316-2623**.

104 Personals

FUN, ROMANTIC gentleman seeks single or divorced lady, age 50-65, slim-med build, non-smoker & light drinker. Full of life & enjoys everything. Phone 208-539-4871 or write Gentleman, PO Box 5298, Twin Falls, ID 83303.

106 Special Notices

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CHRISTMAS SEASON Free meal coupons to unemployed families. Sponsored by Remnant Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 2551 Kimberly Rd, Twin Falls, and Shari's Restaurant, Blue Lakes Blvd, Twin Falls. **Coupons still available, please call! Call 208-890-9055 for coupons.**

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115 Community Events

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
Pursuant to Section 58-104(9) and 58-1301, et seq., Idaho Code (The Lake Protection Act) and rules of the State Board of Land Commissioners, notice is hereby given that **Ranch Properties, LLC, C/O Ron Patrick** of Kimberly, ID 83341 has made application requesting revision of the existing encroachment permit for an existing bridge. The existing permit, which was issued by IDL in 1997, does not match the as built specifications of the bridge. As constructed, the "bridge bottom of stringer elevation" is 4,140.7 feet rather than the 4,142.7 feet that was originally approved. No new construction or work below the Ordinary High Water Mark is being proposed by this application. The bridge described by this application spans a channel of Milner Reservoir between Government Lots 1 and 9, Section 29, T10S, R24E, B.M. in Cassia County.
Written objections to or requests for hearing in this matter must be on file with the Idaho Department of Lands, 324 South, 417 East, Ste. 2, Jerome, ID 83338 within thirty (30) days after the first appearance of this notice. Specific information regarding this application may be obtained from Meribeth Lomkin, Sr. Resource Specialist at the above address or by calling (208) 324-2561.
/S/Timothy C. Duffner, Area Manager
Idaho Department of Lands

PUBLISH: December 20 and 27, 2010

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE: The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the office of First American Title Company, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID, 83301, on March 21, 2011 at 11:00 AM, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 02/25/2008 as Instrument Number 2008-004164, and executed by **BRAD L ERDMANN, AND NICOLE M ERDMANN, HUSBAND AND WIFE**, as Grantor(s), in favor of **COUNTRYWIDE BANK, FSB**, as Beneficiary, to **RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A.**, the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, State of Idaho. LEGAL DESCRIPTION: TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 15 EAST, BOISE, MERIDIAN, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO SECITON 31: THAT PORTION OF THE SE1/4 SW1/4 DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT 100 FEET WEST OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE SE1/4 SW1/4 OF SAID SECTION 31, BEING IN THE CENTER OF HIGHWAY 30, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO; THENCE RUNNING 225 FEET NORTH; THENCE 100 FEET WEST; THENCE 225 FEET SOUTH TO THE CENTER OF HIGHWAY 30; THENCE 100 FEET EAST TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, EXCEPT THE SOUTH 25 FEET FOR ROADWAY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above reference real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of **20278 HIGHWAY 30, Buhl, ID, 83316-5703** is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 08/01/2010 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.000% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$116,402.75, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 11/10/2010, RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94, SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821, PHONE: (800) 281-8219. TS # 10-0145227 FEI #:1006.118604

PUBLISH: December 27, 2010, January 3, 10 and 17, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE: The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the office of First American Title Company, 199 Country Lane, Jerome, ID, 83338 on March 28, 2011 at 11:00 AM, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 08/26/2005 as Instrument 2054653, and executed by **STEPHEN M. HARPER AND SUZETTE M. HARPER HUSBAND AND WIFE**, as Grantor(s), in favor of **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.**, as Beneficiary, to **RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A.**, the Current Trustee of record covering the following real property located in Jerome County, State of Idaho. LEGAL DESCRIPTION: TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 20, EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, JEROM COUNTY, IDAHO. SECTION 33: A TRACT OF LAND IN THE NE ¼ SW 1/4 AND ADJOINING STATE HIGHWAY NO. 25 ON THE SOUTH MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT STATION 1429 + 76.1 ON THE CENTER LINE OF STATE HIGHWAY NO. 25 AS CONSTRUCTED (U.S. P.W.P. NO. N.R.H. 37G 1935) WHICH STATION IS APPROXIMATELY 200 FEET EAST OF THE WEST BOUNDARY OF SAID NE ¼ SW ¼, THENCE SOUTH 5 DEGREES 57' EAST A DISTANCE OF 40 WHICH IS THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING, THENCE CONTINUING SOUTH 5 DEGREES 57' EAST, A DISTANCE OF 177.8 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 84 DEGREES 03' WEST, A DISTANCE OF 178.2 FEET, THENCE NORTH 3 DEGREES 25' WEST, A DISTANCE OF 178.0 FEET TO THE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF STATE HIGHWAY NO. 25; THENCE NORTH 84 DEGREES 03' EAST, A DISTANCE OF 170.4 FEET TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above reference real property, but for purposed of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of **2689 STATE HIGHWAY 25, Hazelton, ID, 83335** is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 08/01/2010 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.625% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$120,298.62, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 11/18/2010, RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94, SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821, PHONE: (800) 281-8219. TS # 10-0147946 FEI #:1006.119738

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Actions planned and taken by your government are contained in public notices. They are part of your right to know and to be informed of what your government is doing. As self-government charges all citizens to be informed, this newspaper urges every citizen to read and study these notices. We advise those citizens who seek further information to exercise their right to access public records and public meetings.
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DEAR ABBY: After having been out of the U.S. for many years, I noticed upon returning that people here seem to be much fatter. I went to a family gathering, and virtually every formerly slim member of my family had also gotten bigger.

I quietly mentioned it to one of my sisters, and word got around that I had "no manners." My other sister, "Niki," who has a degree in psychology, told me in no uncertain terms that people never talk about such things with each other.

I explained to her that mentioning it once, or discussing the ballooning of America, can be appropriate. I believe our country has fattened up because of a lazy attitude toward exercise and calories. Niki vehemently opposes my discussing it.

I learned later that she neglected to invite me to her son's wedding for fear I would say something about you-know-what to her in-laws. I admit, I don't have a silver tongue — but I'm disappointed my favorite psychologist has blackballed me and cut off communication. It's sad to lose a sister this way. Please advise, Abby.

— BROTHER BLACK SHEEP



DEAR ABBY Jeanne Phillips

DEAR BROTHER BLACK SHEEP: Why do I think there's more to this story than you have written? Obesity has become an epidemic in this country, and the reasons for it are more complicated than a lazy attitude.

You don't need a "silver tongue" to apologize to your sisters for having offended them. Perhaps your "favorite psychologist" would have invited you to her son's wedding if you had been willing to apologize.

People who have weight issues know they are fat. They don't need to debate it. And they don't need you to remind them or imply they are lazy.

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 45-year-old male reader. I have been friends with "Oscar" for 20 years. He asked me to be the godparent of his new baby girl. As you can imagine, I was overwhelmed when he asked. I have never been a godparent. We discussed it at length, and I told him I needed to think it over to be sure of my decision.

After a few days I was still indecisive. Part of me wanted to do it and part of me didn't. I told Oscar it was an honor, but that I felt unsure and not fully committed. I knew if I were to accept and then reconsider, it wouldn't be cool. So I bowed out to give him time to find someone else.

Oscar's reaction told me he was deeply angry and hurt. That night I hardly slept. I kept thinking how much I had disappointed my friend, his wife and their entire family. I feel terribly guilty. It's clear that Oscar was expecting me to say yes. Is it wrong to say no when someone asks you to be a godparent?

— TRUE FRIEND IN WISCONSIN

DEAR TRUE FRIEND: No, it's not wrong if the person who is asked does not feel able to fulfill the obligations that go with that honor. Your friend may feel less hurt if you explain to him your reasons for not accepting and the fact that you wouldn't want to agree if you couldn't do everything that would be expected of you. Saying no sometimes requires tact, but I'll give you credit for being honest about your feelings.

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Monday, Dec. 27, 2010

THE ACES ON BRIDGE Bobby Wolff

"An idealist believes the short run doesn't count. A cynic believes the long run doesn't matter. A realist believes that what is done or left undone in the short run determines the long run." — Sidney Justin Harris

Today's deal is all about counting. See if you can match declarer's effort from the finals of a recent U.S. trials.

I thought Roger Bates handled his delicate four-spade contract very carefully, finding a fine line of play. His partner, Ralph Katz, thought the three-spade call was forcing — as would I — so maybe the South hand is not worth more than a bid of two spades at the second turn after the initial double.

The net result was that Bates declared a game that would have been impossible to make on a heart lead. However, on a diamond lead and heart shift (a trump switch would have worked better, but one can understand East's play), Bates was still in with a chance.

He went up with the heart ace and played a club. West took his ace and tried two more rounds of hearts. Bates ruffed, led the diamond king, ruffed a diamond, then cashed the club king and saw the queen drop from East. If this was a true card, East was known to have started with three hearts, four diamonds, apparently only two clubs, and thus must have four spades. Accordingly, a single finesse in spades would not bring the suit home safely. The only legitimate chance was to find West with the singleton spade queen.

Accordingly, Bates played a trump to the ace and was rewarded when West's queen fell — four spades bid and made.

NORTH 12-27-A ♠ 9 4 ♥ J 4 2 ♦ 10 3 ♣ K J 10 7 5 3 WEST ♠ Q ♥ Q 10 9 8 6 ♦ 8 6 4 ♣ A 9 8 6 EAST ♠ 7 6 3 2 ♥ K 7 3 ♦ A Q J 7 ♣ Q 2 SOUTH ♠ A K J 10 8 5 ♥ A 5 ♦ K 9 5 2 ♣ 4

Vulnerable: North-South Dealer: North

The bidding: South West North East Dbl. 1♥ 2♣ 1♦ 3♠ Pass 4♠ Dbl.* All pass *Showing three hearts

LEAD WITH THE ACES 12-27-B

South holds: ♠ Q 8 5 2 ♥ J 9 4 ♦ 7 5 2 ♣ A 9 4 South West North East 1♠ Dbl. 1♣ Pass 3♣ 3♥ 2♣ 2♥ All pass

ANSWER: A trump lead looks very dangerous here if partner has a doubleton honor. Since everything else looks unattractive, starting with the club ace might at least give you an idea of what switch, if any, will be most effective.

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Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

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Answer to previous puzzle

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

Difficulty Level ★★★★★

Today is Monday, Dec. 27, the 361st day of 2010. There are four days left in the year.

Today's Highlight:
On Dec. 27, 1968, Apollo 8 and its three astronauts made a safe, nighttime splashdown in the Pacific.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:
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In 1932, Radio City Music Hall opened in New York City.

In 1945, 28 nations signed an agreement creating the World Bank.

In 1949, Queen Juliana of the Netherlands signed an act recognizing Indonesia's sovereignty after more than three centuries of Dutch rule.

In 1970, "Hello, Dolly!" closed on Broadway after a run of 2,844 performances.

In 1979, Soviet forces seized control of Afghanistan. President Hafizullah Amin, who was overthrown and executed, was replaced by Babrak Karmal.

In 1985, Palestinian guerrillas opened fire inside the Rome and Vienna airports; 19 victims were killed, plus four attackers who were slain by police and security personnel. American naturalist Dian Fossey, 53, who had studied gorillas in the wild in Rwanda, was found hacked to death.

In 2007, opposition leader Benazir Bhutto was assassinated in Pakistan by an attacker who shot her after a campaign rally and then blew himself up.

Ten years ago: President Bill Clinton put the first black judge on the 4th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals serving several Southern states. (The nomination of Roger Gregory had been stalled in the Senate, but Clinton used a recess appointment to put him on the bench.)

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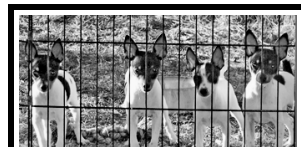
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ARIES (March 21-April 19): Toughen up. The end of the year has been coming all year. Make your muscles work overtime to get everything completed or to meet a looming deadline. You can't blame anyone for a last-minute panic.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Contemplate coming to a compromise. You might not share the same opinion about one particular subject with another person, but you can find common ground in some other area if you exert some effort.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Give yourself time to feel full before you grab for another bite – and don't overstuff your shopping basket, either. Even while shopping for a particular thing, you may have a compelling urge to buy all the must-have accessories.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You might be challenged by other people who have a heavy schedule and little patience with your needs. Continue to be positive about the future, even if someone rains on your parade.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Someone's change of heart might be temporary. You might believe that all has been forgiven, but the assurances you receive might be false or simply expedient. Don't put too much reliance on promises.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Your chariot of holiday spirit swings low and picks up some new friends along the way. You might be pressed for spare cash as the week begins, but your spirits will remain high due to congenial comrades.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You have either a hectic schedule or more than your fair share of responsibilities to deal with. You may run into obstacles if you attempt to get back on track with a delicate project.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): When you take unfair advantage of someone, you run the risk of being put at a disadvantage. Double check the facts before you agree to take on a heavier workload or a loan.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your wallet might be empty, but your heart is full. You have confidence that tomorrow brings the lucky break you need. A positive attitude will offset post holiday blues but won't pay the bills.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Rock your rut. You must find a way to fulfill obligations, even if you think no one is paying attention. Remaining flexible and learning how to do things in a different way may speed things along.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): If you are going to sell your house, the first thing the buyer sees is your front door, so make sure it sparkles. If you want to sell yourself, the first thing someone sees is your smile, so stretch your lip muscles.

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- 1 Boy
- 4 Make sore by rubbing
- 9 Bullets
- 13 TV's "American "
- 15 Navajo dwelling
- 16 Kidney stone symptom
- 17 ___ up; relax
- 18 Wear away
- 19 Mischievous girl of old cartoons
- 20 Errand boy
- 22 Alero maker
- 23 Back talk
- 24 Juicy Fruit or Doublemint
- 26 Larry, Moe or Curly Joe
- 29 Large city in Australia
- 34 Deserves
- 35 Passing fad
- 36 Skillet
- 37 "Woe is me!"
- 38 Glow
- 39 Empty space
- 40 "Thanks a ___!"
- 41 Halo wearer
- 42 Begin a game, in volleyball
- 43 Moving furtively
- 45 Dissolved
- 46 Nothing
- 47 Capital of Ukraine
- 48 Take care of
- 51 Lack of flavor
- 56 Above
- 57 Lubricated
- 58 Work hard
- 60 French mother
- 61 Cherub
- 62 Christmas
- 63 Forehead
- 64 Josh with
- 65 Fireplace burner

DOWN

- 1 Recline
- 2 ___ and Eve
- 3 Prescribed amount
- 4 Brie or Edam
- 5 Antlers
- 6 Very eager
- 7 Lose color
- 8 Invigorate
- 9 Self-assurance
- 10 Manhandle
- 11 Not spicy
- 12 Burden
- 14 Things learned
- 21 Droops
- 25 Take advantage of
- 26 Barking marine mammals
- 27 Animal's claw
- 28 Preach
- 29 ___ up; mention
- 30 Carry on
- 31 Toward the left side of a ship
- 32 Innocent; unworldly
- 33 Stopped
- 35 Goatee's spot
- 38 Schooner or clipper
- 39 Soft, like the inside of a jewelry box

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Tonight: Partly cloudy. Low 27.

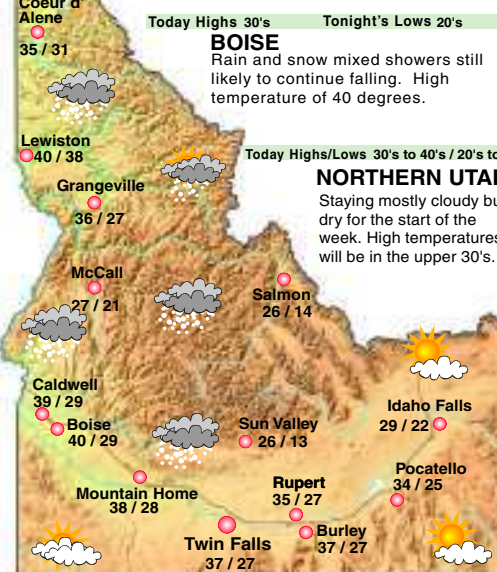
Tomorrow: Developing mixed showers. High 39.

ALMANAC - BURLEY

Temperature		Precipitation	
Yesterday's High	43°	Yesterday's	0.09"
Yesterday's Low	29°	Month to Date	1.79"
Normal High / Low	35° / 17°	Avg. Month to Date	0.85"
Record High	62° in 1980	Water Year to Date	4.69"
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Rain and snow mixed showers still likely to continue falling. High temperature of 40 degrees.

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Staying mostly cloudy but dry for the start of the week. High temperatures will be in the upper 30's.

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Intervals of sunshine	Partly cloudy	Developing mixed showers later	Rain showers likely	Lingering snow showers possible	Colder, periods of sunshine
High 37°	Low 27°	39° / 31°	37° / 24°	27° / 16°	21° / 10°

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature		Precipitation		Humidity		Barometric Pressure		Sunrise and Sunset	
Yesterday's High	46°	Yesterday's	0.05"	Yesterday's High	93%	5 pm Yesterday	30.03 in.	Today Sunrise:	8:07 AM
Yesterday's Low	32°	Month to Date	3.18"	Yesterday's Low	38%			Tuesday Sunrise:	8:07 AM
Normal High / Low	35° / 18°	Avg. Month to Date	0.96"	Today's Forecast Avg.	75%			Wednesday Sunrise:	8:07 AM
Record High	51° in 1980	Water Year to Date	5.92"					Thursday Sunrise:	8:08 AM
Record Low	-9° in 1985	Avg. Water Year to Date	2.88"	A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30				Friday Sunrise:	8:08 AM

Moon Phases

Last Dec. 28	New Jan. 1	First Jan. 12	Full Jan. 19
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REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow	Wednesday
Boise	40-29	38-30	36-30
Bonniers Ferry	34-27	33-23	29-23
Burley	37-27	39-30	38-30
Challis	26-12	15-11	14-10
Coeur d'Alene	35-31	34-27	31-27
Elko, NV	33-17	35-25	36-25
Eugene, OR	45-42	46-37	39-37
Gardiner	34-26	34-29	34-29
Grace	30-20	32-22	34-22
Hagerman	39-28	38-31	38-31
Hailey	31-17	33-24	33-24
Idaho Falls	29-22	32-23	34-23
Kalispell, MT	35-25	34-25	28-25
Jerome	35-25	35-29	34-29
Lewiston	40-38	41-35	36-35
Malad City	32-22	34-25	36-25
Malta	34-26	37-28	38-28
McCall	27-21	28-22	26-22
Missoula, MT	32-24	32-25	30-25
Pocatello	34-25	37-28	38-28
Portland, OR	43-30	44-35	39-35
Rupert	35-27	38-29	37-29
Rexburg	27-21	29-22	31-22
Richland, WA	44-34	40-28	33-28
Shelburne	32-21	36-24	31-24
Salmon	26-14	27-18	30-18
Salt Lake City, UT	38-27	39-30	40-30
Spokane, WA	38-33	35-26	32-26
Stanley	27-10	31-17	32-17
Sun Valley	26-13	29-19	30-19
Yellowstone, MT	22-11	22-16	24-16

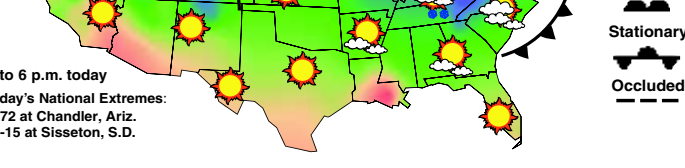
NATIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Atlanta	37-19	46-26
Atlanta City	29-21	35-28
Baltimore	29-18	34-21
Billing	38-22	39-22
Birmingham	39-21	46-27
Boston	32-16	33-23
Charleston, SC	42-28	50-34
Charleston, WV	26-18	33-17
Chicago	27-19	30-22
Cleveland	28-20	33-23
Denver	47-29	48-26
Des Moines	25-15	30-18
Detroit	30-20	32-23
El Paso	59-32	61-34
Fairbanks	-19-30	-23-26
Fargo	26-17	27-14
Honolulu	77-67	75-65
Houston	55-44	62-56
Indianapolis	27-12	32-21
Jacksonville	47-30	52-35
Kansas City	35-24	40-27
Las Vegas	57-41	55-41
Little Rock	41-24	46-34
Los Angeles	67-47	65-48
Memphis	37-25	43-33
Miami	58-40	65-49
Milwaukee	27-18	30-20
Nashville	32-18	41-28
New Orleans	48-32	57-45
New York	31-23	36-26
Oklahoma City	45-28	48-40
Omaha	31-19	36-22

WORLD FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Acapulco	83-68	82-69
Athens	61-53	59-51
Auckland	73-66	70-61
Bangkok	87-66	87-71
Beijing	29-13	34-13
Berlin	24-7	1-1
Buenos Aires	94-66	97-67
Cairo	78-49	78-44
Dhahran	70-60	71-63
Geneva	28-20	35-18
Hong Kong	68-62	67-62
Jerusalem	75-49	74-47
Johannesburg	78-58	82-59
Kuwait City	67-47	68-46
London	35-34	43-42
Mexico City	66-37	66-40
Moscow	27-14	19-12
Nairobi	76-51	74-49
Oslo	18-5	13-4
Paris	31-28	37-36
Prague	23-5	21-4
Rio de Janeiro	74-71	78-71
Rome	47-38	46-40
Santiago	84-47	83-47
Seoul	31-17	30-17
Sydney	66-53	78-56
Tel Aviv	73-64	72-63
Tokyo	50-37	49-35
Vienna	27-18	27-13
Warsaw	20-13	20-15
Winnipeg	25-11	22-19
Zurich	22-12	29-8

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



Valid to 6 p.m. today
Yesterday's National Extremes:
High: 72 at Chandler, A.Z.
Low: -15 at Sisseton, S.D.

CANADIAN FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Calgary	25-9	23-2
Edmonton	19-2	15-15
Kelowna	23-3	30-0
Lethbridge	30-22	35-5
Regina	29-12	27-6
Saskatoon	29-6	17-5
Toronto	20-19	28-22
Vancouver	37-31	37-16
Victoria	43-38	45-32
Winnipeg	25-11	22-19

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JUMBLE
Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

THERB
TOBAB
RADACE
TRAUFL

Answers tomorrow

Saturday's Jumbles: AROMA USURP SPONGE GRASSY
Answer: What the producer ended up with when the movie bombed - A "GROSS" GROSS

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