

# Clark first M.V. officer shot since '06

## Officer assault declines in area, remains steady across Idaho

By Bradley Guire  
Times-News writer

A Jerome man accused of shooting a police officer is counted among the declining number of people accused of assaulting Magic Valley law enforcement.

Christopher Mark Taylor is accused of leading police on a high-speed chase through Jerome County on Feb. 7, during which he al-

legedly wounded Jerome Police Officer Dennis Clark with a shotgun.

A Tuesday preliminary hearing was moved to March 1, when 5th District Judge John Butler will determine if there's probable cause to levy five felony criminal complaints against Taylor. Prosecutors have charged Taylor with aggravated battery on a police officer, fleeing or attempting to elude a peace officer, grand theft by possession of

stolen property, and unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon. On Tuesday, they added aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, according to online court records.

Such assaults on an officer are declining locally but are a continuing problem statewide, according to Idaho State Police, who maintain statistics for Idaho law enforcement.

Clark's is the first report of an officer shot in south-central Idaho since ISP Trooper Chris Glenn was shot and paralyzed during a traffic stop in 2006. Shooter



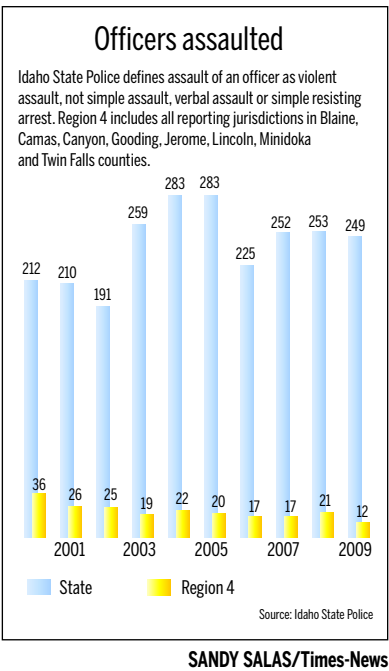
Taylor

Adam Mower was captured, convicted and sentenced to a minimum of 30 years in state prison.

According to ISP statistics, approximately 200 to 225 Idaho officers have been violently assaulted while on the job each year since 2000. In south-central Idaho, that number was as high as 36 in 2000 but has dropped significantly. In 2009, only 12 officers reported being assaulted.

Since 1883, 63 officers

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# A ROAD BACK TO LEARNING

Twin Falls School District At-Risk Coordinator Amy Rothweiler talks Tuesday about the district's new Transition Center, which will allow students who have dropped out or been expelled from grades 7-12 to re-enter public education. An open house for the center will be held Friday.



DREW NASH/Times-News

## Transition Center offers second chance for dropouts, expelled students

By Amy Huddleston  
Times-News writer

"At-risk" students are about to get a new label.

Twin Falls School District is offering the title "students-at-promise" instead. And with the new name comes a new educational opportunity in the Transition Center.

The new center, located at the Snake River Youth Center in Twin Falls, is open to students who have been expelled or are transitioning between other educational programs. Amy Rothweiler, the school district's at-risk coordinator, said the new option offers students a means of transitioning back into school in a flexible environment. It's not meant to be a punishment, she said.

"There are 13- and 14-year-olds expelled from school sitting at home, not going to further their education" she said. "This takes kids off of the street during the day."

The center will be open 8:15 a.m. to 2:40 p.m. — similar to a regular school schedule — and is available for students in grades 7-12. Each student will receive an individualized learning plan and take classes online through PLATO learning software or the Idaho Digital Learning Academy.

Rothweiler and a teacher will be in the room with the students, offering instruction and enrichment activities.

"Communication skills, social skills, study skills, organization



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and time management — these are the soft skills kids are expected to know but nobody teaches them," Rothweiler said. "There will be project-based learning as well."

She said three students are already signed up, while 12 await enrollment appointments. Students are referred by Twin Falls County Juvenile Probation, courts or school administrators.

Kevin Sandau, the county's juvenile probation director, said many students have worn out their welcome elsewhere and need a place to go.

"I don't know how much chance these kids have if they don't get any education," he said. "Over the years I've seen a lot of kids go through here and the kids that have gone and had education, we don't see their names in the paper down the road or in the adult system."

Sandau said a similar program was offered a few years ago through the Competency Development Center (CDC), located in the same place as the new Transition Center. The CDC didn't last, in part, Sandau said, because be-

OPEN HOUSE

Twin Falls School District Transition Center open house  
When: 3 to 4:30 p.m. Friday  
Where: Snake River Youth Center, 2469 Wright Ave.  
Contact: Amy Rothweiler, 212-6925

havioral issues cropped up that center officials hope offering online courses will address.

"I think this will be something that will be here for the long haul," he said. "Once we get it going it will be able to sustain itself."

Sandau said the CDC typically had a small group of students enrolled at the beginning of a term, though enrollment usually increased to about 20 students by the end of the semester.

Rothweiler expects the same for the Transition Center as students drop out or are expelled mid-semester.

"Everyone I've talked to is excited about it," she said, adding that some students weren't too enthused about the center's dress code, which includes khaki pants or jeans and tucked-in, collared shirts. "Education is the key to everything in life. To have a plan to come and find success and gain confidence and start believing in themselves again is huge. We want to make their futures better."

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## Gateway West study should surface in fall

### Cedar Hill substation to be examined

Times-News

The twice-delayed next step toward stretching a massive electrical transmission project across much of Idaho and Wyoming has a new release date.

The U.S. Bureau of Land Management announced Tuesday it will release its environmental study of the Gateway West transmission line proposal this fall. Results of the study will guide where the 1,150-mile transmission lines will be placed, balancing their potential effects on private property against their impact on wildlife and surrounding natural beauty on public lands.

If approved, the project proposed by Idaho Power and Rocky Mountain Power would stretch high-voltage transmission lines from a substation near Glenrock, Wyo., to one near Melba. Its proposed route has drawn opposition from a variety of south-central Idaho counties. Most vocal has been the Cassia County Gateway West Task Force.

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## Sojka stands alone on T.F. debt proposal

### City to pursue judge's OK for \$8 million bond

By Nick Coltrain  
Times-News writer

Twin Falls City Councilwoman Rebecca Mills Sojka voted alone Tuesday night, a vote she had hoped would precede thousands of other folks' yeas and nays.

Sojka, appointed to the council in January, was the lone "no" vote in the 5-1 passage of a resolution to allow the city to seek a judge's permission to incur long-term debt without a community vote. The debt of up to \$8 million would be used to repair the city's wastewater treatment plant, which city officials say is in danger of falling out of state and federal compliance.

Councilman Lance Clow was absent for Tuesday's meeting.

City Attorney Fritz Wonderlich said Tuesday's vote didn't obligate the city to take on the debt,

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CSI men ranked No. 3 in basketball poll, Sports 4



# TODAY’S HAPPENINGS

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**CSI Lunar New Year celebration**, features a buffet and entertainment, 6 p.m., College of Southern Idaho Student Union Building, \$12 adults, \$5 for students and children, first 200 CSI students with current activity cards are free, 732-6450.

**Minico Spartan Dance Force’s Annual Dance Show**, 7 p.m., Minico High School auditorium, 292 W. 100 S., Rupert, \$5, [snelson@minidokaschools.org](mailto:snelson@minidokaschools.org).

**“Hairspray,”** by Magic Valley School of Performing Arts, 7 p.m., Roper Auditorium, 1615 Filer Ave. E., Twin Falls, \$10 for adults and \$5 for students, 308-8380.

**Music and art**, with Boise guitarist Kris Hartung and CSI saxophonist Brent Jensen, improvised music will be interpreted visually by Boise artist Dana Logan, 7:30 p.m., CSI Fine Arts Recital Hall, suggested \$5 donation at the door to the CSI Jazz Club, 732-6765 or [bjensen@csi.edu](mailto:bjensen@csi.edu).

**“Ten Little Indians,”** Agatha Christie play presented by CSI Theater Department, 7:30 p.m., CSI Fine Arts Theater, \$8 for adults and \$6 for seniors and students, 732-6781 or [tickets.csi.edu](http://tickets.csi.edu).

## LECTURE

**Jack Wendling**, retired aeronautical engineer, hosts informal discussion on “Physics without the Math” or “Fun Physics,” 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center, 530 Shoshone St. W., free, open to the public, 734-5084.

## LIBRARY

**E-mail Basics class**, for ages over 50 to learn to learn to use Microsoft Word, 9:30 a.m.: **Kidz Game Night**, kids K-6 invited to play Wii, board games and other activities, 4 p.m., Twin Falls Public Library, 201 Fourth Ave. E., seating limited, free, open to the public, reserve, 733-2964.

**Beginning Microsoft Excel class**, learn the basics, 10 a.m., Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., no registration necessary, class size limited to 10, free, 878-7708 or [valerie@bplibrary.org](mailto:valerie@bplibrary.org).

**Preschool Story Hour**, 10 a.m., Buhl Public Library, 215 Broadway N., free, open to the public, 543-6500.

## OPEN HOUSE

**Valley House Homeless Shelter open house and ribbon-cutting ceremony**, to celebrate new remodel and community room addition, 2 to 4 p.m., 507 Addison Ave. W., Twin Falls, door prizes and refreshments, open to the public, 734-7736.

**Main Avenue Fountain Plaza open house**, to gather comments on the proposed redevelopment of the plaza, 4 to 7 p.m., Bistro Room of the Historic Ballroom, 205 Shoshone St. N., Twin Falls, public invited, 736-2265.

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# Debt

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but merely gave him permission to seek a judge’s approval to take it on, should the council agree to it. He said the debate on whether the council should incur the debt is still months away, if it comes at all.

Wonderlich said the process should begin now because of worry about the wastewater plant failing. The project would also add a redundant treatment system, as if the current one does fail, raw sewage will overflow into Rock Creek.

“I know (city engineers) are really anxious to get started on this project because they’re worried,” Wonderlich said before the vote. “The clock is ticking on (the system) until there is a violation.”

Sojka didn’t disagree with the need for the project or its expediency, she said. Her problem was with sidestepping voters to incur long-term debt city residents will ultimately repay.

“I think that law is in place for a reason, and I respect it,” Sojka said after the meeting. “Even though the rest of council disagreed, the people that I’ve heard from said they don’t agree with judicial confirmation.

“It just doesn’t seem right: if people are going to incur debt, they should

have a say, and not some judge. It’s not a judge’s place to add to their taxes.”

She said if voters disagreed about the need for the debt, it would be up to the council to find another way to pay for the project.

The rest of the council agreed with Sojka’s philosophy on judicial confirmation, but saw the reality differently.

“As it has been outlined to us, and the way we understand it, we’re going to have to do this. So we go to the voters, and the voters say no, we’re going to have to do it anyway,” Councilman Greg Lanting said at the meeting. “If we’re going to have to do it anyway, I can’t see why we would go through the whole charade — in essence it is going to be a charade — of an election if we are going to turn around and do it even if they say no.”



Councilman David E. Johnson added that elections aren’t free, either.

In other council news:

- A unanimous vote repealed the city code on U-turns, leaving the state code in its place. State code allows U-turns, except where they interfere with oncoming traffic, if they are within 500 feet of a hill crest or where otherwise prohibited.

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# \$41.5M: Too much or not enough?

## Declo gym, growth potential dominate school bond discussion

By Laurie Welch  
Times-News writer

DECLO — Cassia County school officials rebuked concerns Monday that some improvements afforded by a proposed \$41.5 million facilities bond are pet projects intended to win voter approval across the consolidated district.

About a dozen people came to Declo High School to discuss the district’s March 8 bond election. The coming vote will mark the third time the district has sought a similar amount for facilities improvements — voters shot down previous efforts in 2008 and December 2010.

Bond funding would pay for the construction of two new Burley elementary schools and a new Raft River Junior-Senior High School. It would bring various improvements to other facilities in Albion, Burley, Declo, Malta and Oakley.

So far, construction of a proposed auxiliary gym at Declo High School has drawn the most ire from the



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Mountain View Elementary School student Conner Judd, right, counts coins Tuesday in his second-grade classroom. If the Cassia County School District’s \$41.5 million facility bond issue passes on March 8, Mountain View will be repurposed as the district’s alternative high school and central office.

proposal’s opponents.

“We do have some of the ‘What is my neighbor getting over the fence’ in a consolidated district,” said Mike Matthews, a district board member.

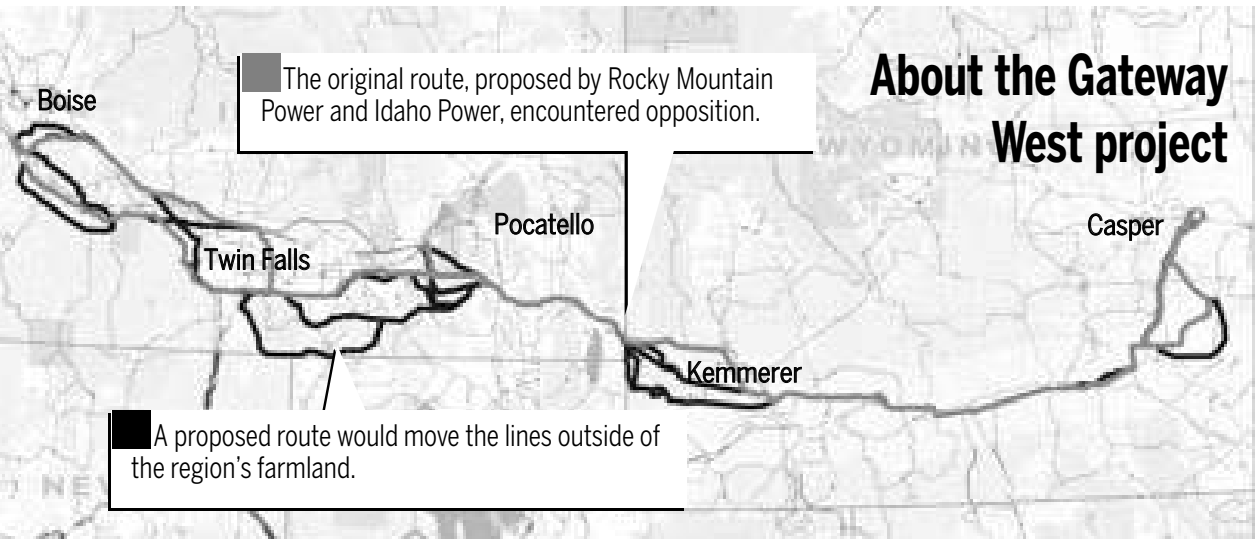
Declo resident Darla Young said she wondered how much of the list addresses district needs and how many items are simply things the district would like to have.

District Superintendent Gaylen Smyer said adding the new Declo gym is a parity issue. He said it’s needed and would be well-utilized in the community.

In response to Young’s question about how the district will maintain the additional school facilities in the face of state funding declines, Smyer said the district has a yearly \$700,000 plant facilities election and will continue to receive money from the state.

“It’s cheaper to maintain and operate new buildings than it is old,” he said. “We’re taking the expensive ones offline.”

Residents also wondered



JOSH AWTRY/Times-News, courtesy of BLM

# Lines

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The study was originally scheduled for summer 2010 release, but has been delayed twice, in part due to the surge of public comment the proposal has drawn. Cooperating agencies such as the state of Idaho and Cassia and Twin Falls counties have also gotten a chance to weigh in on

various initial drafts of the study.

“We want to give the public as comprehensive an environmental analysis as can reasonably be completed,” BLM project manager Walt George stated in a press release.

The BLM has worked with more than 18 public agencies to develop a variety of potential routes for the project to follow.

Cassia, Twin Falls and

Power counties were successful in proposing one of a handful of alternate project routes addressed in the environmental study. Instead of cutting through miles of Cassia County farmland, the proposed Stateline Route would shift Gateway West south along the Idaho-Nevada border before veering back north to join the originally proposed route in Twin Falls County.

The BLM will also use the

extra time to examine an alternate location for the planned Cedar Hill power substation in southern Twin Falls County. The alternate location came from a revision by the counties to the Stateline Route, George told the *Times-News*.

George said once the study is released, the BLM will hold another 90-day comment period and host a variety of related public meetings.

# Assault

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statewide have died in the line of duty, according to ISP. Six of those deaths have occurred since 2000, including Jerome County sheriff’s deputies James Moulson and Phillip Anderson, killed while on duty in 2001.

Clark, shot on the left side of the head during this month’s chase, continues to heal. Jerome Police Chief Dan Hall said Clark is still traveling to Boise for treatment of his left eye.

“Under the circumstances, he’s doing well and is in good spirits,” Hall said.

And Taylor faces court trouble aside from the shooting. Evidentiary hearings have been set for May for two alleged probation violations from prior convictions in Twin Falls County. He was previously found guilty of theft by receiving stolen property and possession of a controlled substance.

If convicted of all charges from both counties, Taylor faces up to 81 years in prison. He remains in custody at the Twin Falls County Jail.

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Henry’s Fork/Teton	104%	79%
Upper Snake Basin	108%	60%
Goose Creek	76%	62%
Salmon Falls	95%	73%
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# Nevada’s Reid takes on Old West, says it’s time to talk about brothels

CARSON CITY, Nev. (AP) — U.S. Sen. Harry Reid took aim at the world’s oldest profession Tuesday, telling state lawmakers the time has come to have an adult conversation about Nevada’s legal sex trade if the state hopes to succeed in the 21st century.

The Democratic Senate majority leader made the comments before a joint session of the Legislature as brothel owners and lobbyists — and working girls from the rural establishments — looked on from the gallery.

In his autobiography, Reid, a Mormon, wrote about growing up in the mining hamlet of Searchlight, Nev., and learning to

swim in the pool at a bordello. His mother took in laundry from the 13 brothels around town.

But when the nation thinks about Nevada, Reid said, “it should think about the world’s newest ideas and newest careers — not about its oldest profession.”

He received a smattering of applause when he first suggested Nevada outlaw bordellos. By the time he finished with the topic, his remarks were met with silence from the representatives of a state whose identity is woven tightly with gambling, alcohol, quick marriages and prostitution.

Reid, who won re-election to a fifth term in November, focused his speech

on job creation efforts in a state facing record joblessness, bankruptcies and foreclosures in the wake of the Great Recession.

“We’ve recovered in the past and we’ll recover in the future,” he said. “We’ve met crisis before and we’ve prevailed. Winning is what we do. Winning is what we have to do.”

Reid drew applause when he said he would work to reform education and pledged to do “everything I can to help ease the burden on state and local school districts.” He also spoke against the state’s term limit, which he called “destructive,” and urged lawmakers to have voters consider a repeal.

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# RICO suit against F&G thrown out

By Nate Poppino  
Times-News writer

A federal judge has dismissed a lawsuit filed by a Gooding man against three Idaho wildlife conservation officers, stating plaintiff Milton Dean Cockerham did not adequately back up any of his claims.

In the decision signed Thursday, U.S. District Judge B. Lynn Winnmill tossed out claims that Idaho Department of Fish and Game officers Robert Sellers, Jeff Day and Brian Flatter denied Cockerham his civil and constitutional rights and conspired to destroy a hunting club he was a partner in. Among the laws Cockerham cited was the Racketeer Influenced and

Corrupt Organizations Act, the U.S. law originally intended to combat organized crime.

The allegations centered around an incident near Hammett in November 2007, when the three officers pretended to be duck hunters to determine who was illegally posting publicly owned islands in the Snake River as private. Cockerham had accused the officers of firing a shotgun across the river at his house, joining with an Elmore County sheriff's deputy to berate and threaten him, and conspiring through newspaper articles and other means to ruin his club.

For Winnmill, those assertions didn't stand up. Asked by the officers to dismiss the

case, the judge concluded that if Cockerham's allegations were true, the officers' conduct may have been rude and offensive but did not rise to the level of the federal offenses named:

- The RICO allegations, he wrote, "do not come close to the type of allegations required to allege a pattern of racketeering activity. At most, Cockerham has alleged a couple defamation claims."
- Cockerham may have felt unable to leave the area while the officers allegedly surrounded and yelled at him, Winnmill wrote. But a claim of violating the Fourth Amendment through unreasonable seizure fell short because the officers under the circumstances appar-

ently did not use unreasonable force — they never physically touched him or threatened him with the shotgun, for example.

- Several other allegations simply weren't backed up at all, past brief references to them in Cockerham's complaint, Winmill wrote. For example, the judge wrote, Cockerham alleged he wasn't read his Miranda rights. "However, Defendants did not arrest Cockerham," Winnmill noted, the only time Miranda rights are read.
- It's unknown yet whether Cockerham might appeal the ruling. A call to him was not returned Tuesday afternoon, and his attorney, Larry Purviance of Hayden, could not be reached for comment.

# Odds are you shouldn't get out of bed

When I was 5, I used to run with scissors.

When I was 10, I sledded — with the sled pointing in the wrong direction — down Red Hill in Pocatello.

When I was 15, I drove a Volkswagen Beetle whose floorboards had rusted away.

Now, approaching 60, I'm reduced to checking my shoes for brown recluse spiders before I put them on in the morning — and remember, this is February in Idaho. And I drive *much* slower than I care to admit.

Feet of Clay Syndrome, it's called — the gradual realization that just about everything you've done all your life could kill you. And sooner than you think.

So I've become a fan of something called Relative Risk, which is a branch of math that helps you decide how soon it's going to happen.

DON'T ASK ME



Steve Crump

DO SAY

If it's funny, weird, sad or poignant and it happens in south-central Idaho, I want to hear about it. Call me at 735-3223, or write [scrump@magicvalley.com](mailto:scrump@magicvalley.com).

There are a bunch of websites and other sources on the Internet where you can find odds, so I have pretty much figured out my worst-case scenario — and yours.

Bad news first, OK?

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- Odds of injury mowing the lawn: 1 in 3,623
- Odds of developing hemorrhoids: 1 in 25 (in one

year)

- Odds of dying from falling out of bed or a chair: 1 in 423,548
- Odds of the Detroit Lions winning the 2012 Super Bowl: 1 in 50
- Odds of the Washington Nationals winning in the 2011 World Series: 1 in 80
- Odds of the Cleveland Cavaliers winning the 2011 NBA championship: 1 in 100
- Odds of the Idaho State University men's basketball team winning the 2011 NCAA championship: 1 in 5,000
- But on the upside:
- Odds of being canonized by the Roman Catholic Church: 1 in 20 million (worse, presumably, if you're not Catholic)
- Odds of striking it rich on PBS' "Antiques Roadshow": 1 in 60,000
- Odds of spotting a UFO today: 1 in 3 million
- Odds of being injured by a toilet this year: 1 in 10,000

- Odds of being erroneously declared dead by the Social Security Administration: 1 in 23,483
- Odds of getting away with murder: 2-to-1
- Odds of being considered (by the Catholic Church) being possessed by the devil: 1 in 7,000
- Odds of dying if your pajamas or nightgown catch on fire: 1 in 30,589,556
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Meghan Nicole Clark, 19, Jerome; petit theft, \$500, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

Artem V. Petrosyan, 20, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance, \$2,500 bond, court compliance, public defender appointed, preliminary March 4.

Richard Adrian Fresquez, 24, Twin Falls; domestic battery, \$500 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

John Edwin Rearick, 32, Filer; driving without privileges, \$100 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

Danette Lee Fisher, 35, Filer; domestic battery, recognizance release, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

Timothy Robert White, 41, Twin Falls; fugitive from Wis., held without bond, public defender appointed, identification hearing March 4.

Timothy Robert White, 41, Twin Falls; battery, \$100 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

Timothy Robert White, 41, Twin Falls; failure to purchase or invalid driver's license, \$100 bond, public defender appoint-

ed, pretrial March 15.

Timothy Robert White, 41, Twin Falls; failure to purchase or invalid driver's license, \$300 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

Erica Victoria Guerra, 17, Buhl; resisting or obstructing, failure to purchase or invalid driver's license, appearance, public defender appointed, pretrial April 12.

Tomas Guerra, 44, Filer; resisting or obstructing, \$100 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

Gustavo Hernandez, 18, Glenns Ferry; driving under the influence, failure to purchase or invalid driver's license, \$500 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

Timothy William Heck, 50, Twin Falls; driving without privileges, failure to provide insurance, \$100 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial March 15.

Timothy William Heck, 50, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance, \$10,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary March 4.

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## Arizona man faces charges after melee

LAS VEGAS (AP) — An Arizona man who opened fire at police and a passing motorist on a bustling Las Vegas highway last week allegedly beat his pregnant girlfriend minutes before firing at her with a shotgun, police said.

Jose Castro faces multiple charges, including attempted murder with a deadly weapon, assault with a deadly weapon and discharging a firearm into an occupied vehicle, according to a criminal complaint and arrest report released by the Clark County district attorney's office Tuesday.

The Thursday afternoon melee escalated from a party-fueled road trip marking Castro's 29th birthday.

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## AROUND THE STATE

### Bill would give women on Medicaid midwife option

BOISE — Idaho lawmakers have introduced legislation that would give pregnant women on Medicaid the option of using a licensed midwife, potentially saving the state money that could help alleviate budget woes.

Lawmakers on the House Health and Welfare Committee backed the measure Tuesday. It now goes to the full House.

Sponsors of the measure say Medicaid, the state-federal health insurance program for the poor and disabled, now covers nearly 40 percent of all births in Idaho and the state could save up to \$100,000 in general funds each year if the midwife option is available.

Kris Ellis with the Idaho Midwifery Council says a hospital delivery costs Medicaid about \$6,000. The cost of a midwife-assisted birth, which is currently not an option for women on Medicaid, is estimated at about \$1,500.

### Mortgage issues dominate Idaho AG's annual report

BOISE — Complaints about mortgage practices kept lawyers in Idaho Attorney General Lawrence Wasden's office busy last year.

Wasden released his annual consumer protection report for 2010 on Tuesday.

He says his attorneys handled 261 complaints about loans, compared to just 109 in 2009.

In response, Wasden says his office pursued several enforcement actions against deceptive loan modification companies.

It also hired a housing counselor to assist Idaho homeowners and spearheaded a public education program related to foreclosures, mortgage modifications and purchasing a home.

### Bill would help expand off-track betting in Idaho

BOISE — The news for Idaho horse racing hasn't been very good since Les Bois Park in Boise was shuttered in 2009.

But a southwestern Idaho lawmaker thinks he has a pick-me-up for the industry.

Emmett Republican Rep. Carlos Bilbao introduced a measure on Tuesday to expand off-track betting.

Simulcast betting on races from around the country in Idaho is now confined to just a few horse or dog tracks, like the county fairgrounds in Bilbao's town.

His bill, now due a full hearing, would allow simulcast license holders to set up shop at more attractive off-track facilities. Bilbao has added provisions to limit gaming, to quell fears that conservative Idaho might be transformed into a little Vegas.

### Lawmaker: Forbid eminent domain for greenbelts

BOISE — A southeastern Idaho lawmaker wants to

prevent local governments from using eminent domain to create recreational paths over the objections of property owners.

Republican Rep. James Guthrie of McCammon says a foundation pushing a greenbelt in Pocatello has about eight miles of paths along the Portneuf River.

But the effort has encountered opposition from 22 property owners who refuse to sell.

Guthrie wants to prevent Pocatello from intervening to secure a right-of-way by using eminent domain in order to connect the path.

The measure was introduced on Tuesday in the House State Affairs Committee and will now get a full hearing.

### Measure blasts EPA over N. Idaho Superfund site

BOISE — EPA, go home.

That's what a northern Idaho man wants to tell the Environmental Protection Agency, which has been cleaning up lead pollution in the mineral-rich Silver Valley for more than two decades.

Shoshone County lawyer James McMillan, author of a resolution introduced Tuesday in the Idaho Legislature, is among those upset because federal regulators now want to expand their cleanup and extend it for up to 90 years.

McMillan's mom, Shannon McMillan, is a first-term lawmaker from Silverton. She let him introduce the resolution, which blames the EPA for crippling industrial development and killing jobs in their mining region.

### Man pleads guilty in shooting

BOISE — A 29-year-old Boise man who had been charged with second-degree murder for a shooting outside a pool hall in March 2009 has pleaded guilty to voluntary manslaughter.

The Idaho Statesman reports Jeremy Hobbs is scheduled to be sentenced March 22 for the death of Ahmed Cepalo, who was shot five times in the parking lot of Backstreet Billiards.

Hobbs told police Cepalo attacked him during a confrontation with another man and he shot him because he feared for his life. Ada County prosecutors say Cepalo was trying to break up the fight.

A trial on the original charge ended with a hung jury in April 2010. Hobbs pleaded guilty earlier this month to voluntary manslaughter and use of a deadly weapon in the commission of a felony.

### Police officer fired after taser joke with friend

POST FALLS — A veteran Post Falls police officer and former "Officer of the Year" has lost his job for using his taser while joking around with a friend on duty.

Fifteen-year veteran Ian Johnson was fired by Police Chief Scot Haug last month for poor decision making. Johnson told the *Coeur d'Alene Press* his friend had jokingly asked to be tasered — and so after making a call at his friend's office in December, Johnson pulled his stun gun and clicked the trigger. Johnson said the taser was 10 inches away and other precautions were taken to blunt the shock.

— *The Associated Press*

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# House Republicans push through two union-busting bills

By John Miller  
Associated Press writer

BOISE — House Republicans pushed through two bills aimed at undermining union influence in Idaho, sending the measures to Gov. C.L. “Butch” Otter for signing into law.

The first prohibits “project labor agreements” requiring contractors to forge pacts with unions as a condition of winning government construction jobs. The second forbids unions from using their membership dues to subsidize wages to help contractors with union workers win projects.

After the November 2010 election solidified Idaho’s GOP majority, conservatives in both the state Senate and House have gone after unions with gusto this legislative session. Idaho is already a right-to-work state, where workers haven’t been required to join unions as a condition of getting a job since 1985.

But lawmakers say these two measures help solidify that philosophical approach to the workplace.

“We’ve heard about all kinds of goblins and ghosts, that it would be suicidal to do this bill,” said Rep. Marv Hagedorn, R-Meridian, of the second measure. “The bottom line is this: If you believe in the free market and fair labor practices, you vote for this bill. If you believe in labor practices that are subsidized by a particular organization to redistribute wealth, then you vote against this bill.”

In the lead-up to Tuesday’s vote, much of the committee debate in both the House and Senate focused on how the Pacific Northwest Regional Council of Carpenters has hired people to picket job sites

across Idaho, even though neither of the measures has provisions that would stop picketing.

Republican Rep. Frank Henderson of Post Falls, the sponsor of both measures, said they help level the playing field for non-union contractors and prevent unions from muscling into jobs.

Henderson also accused unions of infiltrating non-union shops — “They become a spy,” he said — prompting objections from Democratic lawmakers as well as a light reprimand from House Speaker Lawrence Denney, R-Midvale, to stay on task.

Democratic lawmakers, joined by only a smattering of Republican dissenters, insisted the bills would drive down wages, take cash from workers’ pockets during a tough economy — and expose the state to lawsuits by unions whose private right to contract with their members was being undermined.

According to the second bill, any contractor, subcontractor or labor organization that used wages to subsidize contractors’ bids — known as “job targeting” — would open risk prosecution for a misdemeanor criminal offense and face fines of between \$10,000 and \$100,000.

“What we say in this criminal statute is unions cannot use their money as they see fit,” said Rep. Grant Burgoyne, D-Boise, in arguing against the bill. “That’s not consistent with American notions of liberty?”

There was one Republican dissenter on the first bill, Rep. Tom Trail of Moscow. Trail was joined by Rep. Lynn Luker of Boise opposing the second measure.

# Luna plan faces more changes

By Jessie L. Bonner  
Associated Press writer

BOISE — A plan to reform Idaho’s public education system faces more changes in the state Legislature, where the sweeping overhaul has so far dominated the 2011 session.

Senate Majority Leader Bart Davis said Tuesday lawmakers are working to address concerns over public schools chief Tom Luna’s plan to boost technology in the classroom and require students to take online courses while increasing class sizes and cutting about 770 teaching jobs.

“There are still some genuine concerns that I believe make ultimate passage of the complete package more difficult and that’s what we’re trying to work on,” said Davis, R-Idaho Falls, at a legislative reception sponsored by the Idaho Press Club.

The legislation was already been reworked in the Senate Education Committee amid opposition from parents, teachers and some lawmakers. Luna cut the online course requirements in half and made other changes. He also clarified schools don’t have to increase classroom sizes, they could lower teacher pay instead to help pay for the reforms.

The Republican-backed legislation cleared the committee and was sent to the Senate floor last week amid opposition from the state teachers union and other groups. More than 1,000 teachers, parents and students rallied in front of the Idaho Capitol on Monday in their fight to beat back the proposed overhaul.

Republicans in the Idaho Senate held a caucus on the education reforms Tuesday and are considering a variety of options, which include sending the legislation back to the Senate Education Committee, making changes and reintroducing the legislation, or amending the legislation in the Senate, Davis said.



“One of the things that we’re asking our caucus members to do is to give us some feedback about what are the things that are in the bill that are unduly problematic,” Davis said. “We are trying to find the changes that we believe are necessary in order to secure passage of the legislation.”

Luna contends the current system, which has lost roughly \$200 million in funding during the past two years amid the economic

downturn, is no longer sustainable. He unveiled his multiyear strategy to revamp public schools and raise student achievement in January with backing from Gov. C.L. “Butch” Otter.

The plan, along with expanding online courses and arming high school students with laptops, would also introduce merit pay and eliminate tenure for new teachers.

The furor over the proposed education reforms erupted last week, when Luna

Isaac Archuleta, 3, holds a sign at a rally to protest the proposed changes to public education by Idaho state schools chief Tom Luna, Monday in Nampa.

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said he woke up to find vandals had spray-painted his truck and slashed two of its tires. Luna was also heckled after a live newscast in a downtown Boise coffee shop and days earlier, said he filed a police report after an angry teacher went to his mother’s house.

Opponents of the plan have railed against increased class sizes and the job cuts. A large crowd gathered in front of the Idaho Capitol on Monday chanting “Kill the Bills!” while waving signs that read “Save Our Teachers” and “Stop Luna!” Other rallies were held across the state.



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“The authorities are killing peaceful people, which is not acceptable.”  
— Ali al-Essawi, Libya’s ambassador to India, after resigning his post and calling on the international community to stop the violent government crackdown against protesters in Libya

## EDITORIAL

### Why does every issue in the Legislature have to be partisan?

Five years ago, Pocatello Democratic state Sen. Diane Bilyeu’s modest legislation requiring that kids 12 and younger who ride bicycles on public roads wear helmets might have passed or it might have failed, but some Republicans would likely have supported it. And maybe a Democrat or two might have voted no.

Like Idaho laws requiring drivers to slow down in school zones or to wear seat belts, Bilyeu’s bill — which died in the Senate Transportation Committee last week — should have been devoid of political topspin

Not any more. All seven Republicans on the committee voted against it; Bilyeu and the other Democrat on the panel, Sen. Elliot Werk of Boise, supported it.

Bilyeu told the *Spokesman-Review* of Spokane, Wash., that Sen. John McGee, R-Caldwell, “came in and said he was concerned about mandating to people what they could and couldn’t do.”

And so it goes in the 61st Idaho Legislature, which is so politically and philosophically polarized that seemingly every issue is zero-sum: There has to be a winner and there must be a loser.

That atmosphere, of course, was imported from our astonishingly toxic national politics. And Idahoans should resent it.

Last month, 35 Republicans voted against — and all 13 Democrat for — legislation in the House that would have raised a fee on convicted criminals by \$1.50 and used the money to support the academy that trains Idaho cops to do their jobs.

From longtime Republican Idaho Speaker

of the House Pete Cenarrusa on down, former legislative leaders — and more than a few current lawmakers — are shaking their heads about how completely bipartisanship has vanished in the Legislature, and with it conciliation between Republicans who hold different philosophical views.

“One thing that was so different in those days; Republicans and Democrats did not hate each other,” former Democratic state Rep. Robert Huntley told Cenarrusa’s biographer Quayne Kenyon about Cenarrusa’s six-year run as speaker back in the 1960s. “... Cenarrusa would bend over backward to help a Democrat with his bill.”

For most of Idaho’s 121-year history that was the case among the state’s citizen-legislators, who had much in common despite political differences. Most represented rural constituencies, a majority worked in agriculture, transportation, mining and forestry, and there just didn’t seem much point for a Democrat from Boundary County not to help out a Republican from Franklin County on a wide range of issues.

There have been stretches in the state’s past when political opponents wouldn’t work with each other — notably the bitter struggle between conservatives and Progressives in the first decade of the 20th century and the administration of GOP Gov. Len Jordan in the early 1950s — but they’ve been the exception.

Until recently, that is. Republican Phil Batt, who served from 1995 to 1999, was the last Idaho governor who made a consistent effort to build consensus with those with whom he disagreed. And Bruce Newcomb of Burley, a Republican who ran the House from 1999 to 2007, was the last speaker to do so.

Our question is this: When did Idahoans vote to scrap cooperation among political opponents in the Legislature?

Viral polarization may be the stock in trade of Washington, D.C., but it’s not the Idaho way. What will it take for Idaho legislators to get that message?

## TIMES-NEWS

John Pfeifer, publisher Josh Awtry, editor Steve Crump, Opinion editor

The members of the editorial board and writers of editorials are John Pfeifer, Josh Awtry, Steve Crump, Bill Bitzenburg and Mary Lou Panatopoulos.

### A real budget deal? Yes, we still can

In the days since President Obama’s budget was released, the general perception has been that the president rejected the recommendations of his fiscal commission, which we co-chaired, and that the opportunity for serious action on the deficit has been lost. To be sure, the president’s budget doesn’t go nearly far enough in addressing the nation’s fiscal challenges. In fact, it goes nowhere close. But we see the cup as half-full — and think there is the real possibility that a bipartisan deficit reduction plan can make it to the president’s desk by year’s end.

The process is still in its early stages. As expected, neither side has shown all its cards. But leaders on both sides understand the magnitude of the problem and, deep down, know what must be done. The question is whether they can develop the political courage to make the tough choices before the markets make them for us.

The president’s budget takes some positive first steps toward tackling our looming deficits. It recognizes that spending is the problem — and that it must be brought under control in a way that protects the country’s most important investments.

The five-year freeze on non-security discretionary spending does not go nearly as far as the discretionary cuts we proposed, but it moves in the right direction. Obama’s budget adopts several common-sense reforms on health care and mandatory spending that make these programs more efficient and target taxpayer money where it is needed most.

In addition, the president recognizes that new revenue should come not from raising income tax rates but from cutting “tax expenditures” — the various deductions, credits and loopholes that are just spending by another name.

Sadly, the president does punt on the larger issues. On health care, his budget calls for only a handful of savings and then asks Congress to identify the rest. He falls far short of comprehensive reform needed to simplify the tax code and proposes instead a small limit on deductions for higher earners. He proposes nothing for restoring the solvency of Social Security.



Erskine Bowles



Alan Simpson

And yet, he’s right: A bipartisan process is where this must start. The president says the fiscal commission plan represented a “framework for a conversation,” noting that “this is going to be a process in which each side, in both chambers of Congress, go back and forth and start trying to whittle their differences down until we arrive at something that has an actual chance of passage.”

The real test is whether he follows through on these good intentions. He has to provide the leadership necessary to create an environment in which it is possible to begin serious negotiations on the tough choices ahead.

Building trust and mutual respect is critical to reaching a principled compromise on real fiscal reform. To accomplish something significant, a process has to be formed that puts the right people in the room — leaders who are willing to work together constructively and who are empowered to represent the administration and both

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parties in Congress. That cannot happen if all involved are not confident that others are negotiating in good faith.

If our commission was a test case for divided government, then we have offered resounding proof that the parties can work together for the good of the country. Our recommendations, which would reduce the deficit by \$4 trillion, garnered support from 11 of 18 members (five Democrats, five Republicans and one independent). A 60 percent majority is enough to pass almost anything in Washington.

Our commission’s plan is not ideal from either party’s perspective, and it is unrealistic to expect either side to endorse it in its entirety or as an opening bid. But if both sides are serious about achieving reform, not just scoring political points or ensuring reelection, they will realize that our plan, or something equally comprehensive, represents the type of principled compromise that is in the country’s best interests.

In the end, we are optimistic about the chances for fiscal reform and about the future of this country. The political system doesn’t always move quickly or steadily, but the magnitude of the challenges ahead will require it to act. The nation desperately needs broad, bipartisan agreement based on shared sacrifices, not politics as usual. The fiscal commission’s plan can serve as the starting point; the ending point must be something equally ambitious.

Now is the moment of truth. The era of deficit denial is over. We are counting on our nation’s leaders to rise to the challenge.

*Erskine Bowles, who served as chief of staff to President Bill Clinton, and Alan Simpson, a former Republican senator from Wyoming, served as co-chairmen of the National Commission on Fiscal Responsibility and Reform. They wrote this commentary for The Washington Post.*

### Changes needed in the way Idaho does urban renewal

Because urban renewal agencies operate as an “independent body corporate and politic,” all districts in Idaho have no oversight of any voters, taxpayers, or elected officials at any level.

Once a district is created by a city or county (usually a city) it can spend as it pleases, go into debt at its own desecration and condemn property at will. They report to no one.

Recently the Idaho attorney general investigated allegations against the Caldwell urban renewal agency. Complainants claimed officials were given memberships in the private YMCA — including a family membership for the mayor worth more than \$800 — from urban renewal funds. The agency provides more than \$1 million a year to the YMCA, but holds no



READER COMMENT  
David Frazier

ownership, and they also provide subsidies for memberships to Simplot employees and county workers among others to the tune of \$150,000.

The attorney general said while it didn’t look good and may not be appropriate, the agencies have broad authority to spend and ruled there was no violation of Idaho law.

In Boise the urban renewal agency abruptly cut payment of dues to the exclusive Arid Club for its director when it was revealed in the *Boise Guardian* blog. The appointed board had approved the expense for years.

While the intent of urban renewal is noble, it has evolved into a gigantic slush fund that reports to no one. Taxes on the appreciated value and all improvements are diverted from the schools, cities, counties, and all other districts such as libraries and fire protection. That is called the increment. The result is property taxpayers have to make up the difference.

Rather than create new development that pays taxes, many cities are using URA to “launder” public works projects such as city halls, police stations, and libraries through URA. The reason? Idaho’s Constitution requires voter approval for those projects, but if the URA builds it and finances the debt with bond sales, there is no voter approval. The cities “rent” from the

URA for 24 years, but contrary to the intent of UR, there is never any tax revenue on the government owned public buildings.

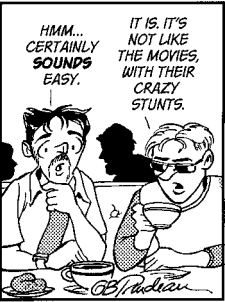
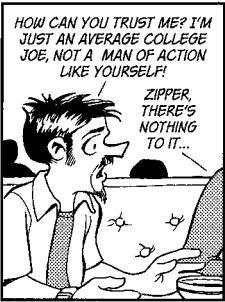
The conservative group pushing for reform has gotten the ear of the Legislature, triggering consternation among local politicians and many media pundits. For the most part, the bills seek voter approval to create a district, approve public debt, or allow affected districts like schools to “opt out” prior to formation of a URA district.

The concept of urban renewal isn’t bad, but when officials claim the light of public scrutiny would cripple their activities, perhaps those activities should be curtailed.

*David Frazier, a Boise freelance photographer, is publisher of the Boise Guardian.*

## THE LIGHTER SIDE OF POLITICS

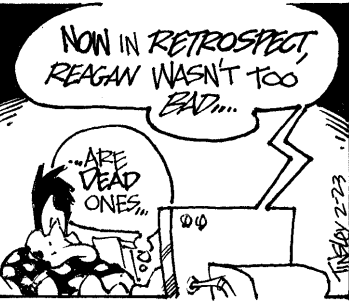
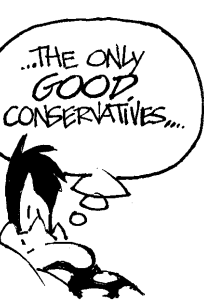
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# In Wisconsin, the real struggle is over power

You’ve probably heard politicians fret that state governments — or, worse, the federal government — will default on their debts. House Speaker John A. Boehner called the prospect of a federal default “a financial disaster not only for our country but for the worldwide economy.”

And why will it be so bad for the economy? Because the powerful actors who make up the entity we loosely refer to as “the market” — that means everyone from banks to hedge funds to China — will go nuts. They’ll realize we’re fiscally irresponsible. They’ll stop lending us money, or at least start charging us more when they do. Interest rates will skyrocket, and the economy will grind to a halt.

So America’s various governmental entities are looking for ways to avoid defaulting on their debt — or at least defaulting on their debt to the powerful. That addendum is important, because one of the strategies that’s emerging is to default on debt to the less powerful, the people who don’t have the power to wreck our economy.

This is a crucial fact about the economy: Power matters. It’s worth more, in many cases, than money. And that’s what’s really at



Ezra Klein

Unions — through collective bargaining, strikes and other means — give workers power. They make renegeing on contracts with their members painful. They also make negotiations less lopsided.

issue in Wisconsin.

It’s why Gov. Scott Walker, Republican, is uninterested in taking concessions from the unions on wages and benefits if they don’t come alongside concessions on collective bargaining. What he wants isn’t a change in the balance of payments. It’s a change in the balance of power.

The deal Wisconsin made with its state employees was simple: Accept lower wages than you could get in the private sector now in return for better pensions and health-care benefits when

you retire. Now Walker wants to renege on that deal.

Rather than stiff the banks, in other words, he wants to stiff the teachers — but the crucial twist he’s added, the one that’s sent tens of thousands of workers into the streets, is that he wants to make sure they can’t fight back once he does it.

The reason you can’t stiff bondholders is that they can make a state or country regret renegeing on the deals they’ve made. They can increase borrowing costs far into the future, slowing economic growth and, through the resulting economic pain, throwing politicians out of office. That gives them power. An ordinary teacher does not have access to such artillery. Unless, of course, she’s part of a union.

Unions — through collective bargaining, strikes and other means — give workers power. They make renegeing on contracts with their members painful. They also make negotiations less lopsided.

They’re not perfect, of course. They sometimes negotiate bad deals, or misbehave, or hand good money over to bad people, or put their short-term interests ahead of the public’s long-term interests. But then, so do corporations

and politicians.

But their power matters for more than just debt repayment. For all their faults, unions tend to see their constituents as not just their own members, but the “working class,” broadly defined. That’s why you’ll find labor’s fingerprints on everything from the two-day weekend to Medicare to the Civil Rights Act of 1965 — one of which require you to flash a union card before you can benefit from them.

To get a sense of what a world without unions would look like — a world where power is distributed radically differently — you need look no further than Walker’s own proposals. In his State of the State speech, he said, “The decisions we face are not easy and the solutions we must approve will require true sacrifice.” He’s already called for plenty of it from not only state employees, but also the low-income residents who rely on Wisconsin’s Badger-Care program.

But some won’t have to sacrifice nearly so much. Walker’s campaign platform called for sharp cuts in corporate taxes, including “eliminating corporate taxes for the first two years of operation.” His budget repair bill proposes to allow the state to sell energy

plants “with or without solicitation of bids, for any amount that the department determines to be in the best interest of the state,” and goes on to say that “any such purchase is considered to be in the public interest.”

What you’re seeing there isn’t necessarily a world

where deficits are lower. Rather, it’s a world where power is distributed very differently. Maybe that’s a good thing. But let’s not confuse a discussion over political power with a discussion over deficits.

Ezra Klein is a columnist for The Washington Post.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Smear of Palin was discredited long ago

In response to Joe Skaug’s letter nominating Ken White’s attack on Sarah Palin and her daughter, Bristol Palin, as opinion “letter of the year”:

Mr. Skaug stated that Ken White’s letter discussing Sarah Palin was “humorous, well written and sadly, oh so true.”

First of all, Mr. White’s letter was not a discussion on Ms. Palin. It was nothing less than a hateful, vicious attack on her character and her daughter, Bristol’s, determination to live and to teach a new life of moral responsibility. Mr. White’s rationale for disparaging Ms. Palin is easy to understand because Sarah Palin, in speaking the truth, exposes the underlying falsehoods in Mr. White’s belief system.

As far as being humorous and well written, after reading his letter, one would have to question Mr. White’s writing skills and wonder why his attempt at using shallow, second-grade humor could be considered at all funny. His disjointed thoughts and incoherent rambling would not merit a passing grade for an opinion letter in any middle school English class.

The bogus information he used in attempting to smear Ms. Palin has long ago been dismissed as having no basis in fact. Mr. White may be entitled to his own opinions but not to his own set of facts.

By the way, Joe Skaug and Ken White, didn’t someone we know quit in his partial term of U.S. senator to make a run for president of the United States? Calling Sarah Palin a “quitter” is yet another double standard that continues to ring hollow. Hypocrisy is easy to spot wherever it surfaces and identifies those who, for lack of interest, are sadly misinformed.

I hereby nominate Ken White’s letter as the worst opinion letter of the year.  
**LEROY UHRICH**  
Paul

### Decision on Lazy J was shameful

In September of 1978, I talked my parents into pur-

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chasing a mobile home in the Lazy J park because I had read several reports about the quality of that park and the wonderful community Jay had developed over the years. When my parents purchased their home, there were only three options for them, as the park was 100 percent full. They were thrilled with the community and the great people that called Lazy J their home.

Then came the day Jay took retirement and turned the operation of running the park over to their daughter. From that day until now, you can see the decline of that precious community for the senior citizens of Twin Falls.

Why does the park now hover at the 30 percent vacancy rate? What has changed? The answer is obvious and the consequences to the elderly in that community are shameful, not only to the council that approved the rezoning but to the current owner that allowed this to happen through poor management.

My mother, now age 88, faces being forced to bear the burden of these decisions. They, the elderly home owners, have faithfully paid their rent, kept their homes and spaces in beautiful condition, devel-

oped friendships for life, believing they could live the rest of their lives in this community called Lazy J that they were responsible for.

I noted in your article that Councilman Craig stated, “I think (the landowners) have your best interest at heart, and they would keep it open forever if they could? Really? Next time you voters in Twin Falls go to the polls and vote for someone to represent you, I pray you keep this vote in mind. If your council will not stand for the elderly, who will they stand for?”

**DAVID HARDESTY**  
Colorado Springs, Colo.

### Artificial shortages will lead to energy rationing

The de-industrialization and destruction of America’s free enterprise system is accelerating with factories closing and millions of jobs lost. President Obama using the Environmental Protection Agency is destroying 24/7 energy production from coal, oil and nuclear. This is leading to blackouts and much higher energy and food costs.

America has several hundred years supply of coal and we get 50 percent of our electricity from clean coal.

Yet Obama has said, “If somebody wants to build a coal plant ... it’ll bankrupt them.” As a scientist along with more than 32,000 American scientists, we find no proof of man-caused global warming from carbon dioxide, which is needed to sustain life.

The non-scientific EPA is implementing cap and trade carbon emissions regulations which are preventing new power plants from starting. China is completing two plants per week with no pollution controls. Also the EPA prevents the development of nuclear and 2 trillion barrels of oil, which could make us independent of Mideast oil. With CO2 regulations supposedly to reduce global warming, the EPA’s own estimates that global mean temperature would be reduced by a ridiculously small 0.006 to 0.0015 degrees Celsius by 2100. By creating artificial shortages, they plan to ration energy at a much higher cost. Wind and solar require a 24/7 backup and will never replace carbon and nuclear energy.

Carbon regulations are also coming through states via Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiatives. As mandatory CO2 levels are lowered our energy costs will skyrocket!

The goal is to lower our standard of living so we can be merged in a United Nations world government where we will be slaves.

The solution is to abolish EPA regulations and allow energy production! Stop wasting taxpayer money on wind and solar and preserve independence by getting out of the United Nations by passing HRI146.

**ADRIAN L. ARP**  
Twin Falls

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## A mixed scorecard

### A year on, credit card rules score hits and misses

By Candice Choi  
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Credit card customers are facing fewer interest rate hikes and forking over sharply less in late fees.

A year after new regulations curbed a spate of questionable billing practices, federal officials say over-the-limit penalty charges have also been dramatically curtailed. The findings were released by the newly created Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, which will administer the regulations once it's officially up and running this summer.

The agency focused only on the impact of specific regulations, however, and did not look at the full scope of costs customers pay for cards.

For example, new credit card accounts are now more likely to come with annual fees and higher interest rates. That could offset the savings noted by the consumer watchdog. The regulations have also greatly reduced available credit for riskier customers, the American Bankers Association noted in a release.

The findings were part of three sets of data presented by the agency at a conference it hosted Tuesday on the one-year anniversary of the Credit Card Accountability, Responsibility and Disclosure Act, or the CARD Act. Here are the highlights:

#### Fees and rate hikes

Penalty charges overall are down. In January of last year — just before the regulations took effect — cardholders paid \$901 million in late fees.

See **CREDIT**, Business 2

## BUSINESS BRIEFS

### Idaho lawmaker takes on state government's move into storage biz

BOISE — There's been a steady murmur of discontent among some conservative Idaho lawmakers after a state-managed endowment trust spent \$2.7 million last summer to buy a commercial storage business.

Now, those unhappy with the Idaho Land Board's purchase of Affordable Self Storage are pushing legislation to put an end to such transactions.

Republican Rep. John Vander Woude told the House State Affairs Committee on Tuesday that last August's purchase was an inappropriate expansion of government into the private sector.

Vander Woude's measure would require state-owned business operations using nonagricultural land to be sold to private persons.

The Department of Land, which oversaw last year's purchase, insists it's diversifying the traditional agricultural and timber land holdings in its endowment land portfolio in order to boost investment returns that benefit Idaho schools.

### Water users annual meeting scheduled

The annual meeting of the water users of Water District 1 has been scheduled for 9 a.m. Tuesday.

The meeting will be at the Red Lion on the Falls, at 475 River Parkway, Idaho Falls.

People needing special assistance should contact the district at least five days in advance.

For special arrangements, lunch reservations or more information call 208-525-7171.

— Wire service and staff reports

# Preparing for the hunt



Photos by Blair Koch/Times-News

Mikesell Clegg, 16, a junior at Jerome High School, participates in mock interview exercises at the school Tuesday. Interviewing Clegg are Mike Williams, left, with Zions Bank in Jerome, and Jodi Schulz, owner of Fit 4 Life in Jerome.

## Businesspeople help Jerome students polish job skills

By Blair Koch  
Times-News writer

JEROME — The days of teens easily landing a summer job at a drive-in theater or the city pool are gone.

If teens want jobs, they have to be prepared to fight for them.

That's why Jerome High School Business Teacher Lori Peterson organizes mock interviews for her Business Careers class every trimester.

On Tuesday, Peterson's students were grilled by local, volunteer businessmen and women.

"It used to be that students would interview each other," Peterson said. "Getting local businessmen, business owners and people with the city and chamber of commerce to come and interview the students really increased the quality of the experience."

Before the interview, students had to complete several styles of job applications, draft a resume and cover letter and scour internet job sites for employee opportunities.

"One of my students actually applied for a job in class and has an interview," Peterson said. "She'll be

able to use the skills learned today during that interview."

The 20 volunteer interviewers not only gave students an experience in talking with adults in an intimate setting but they also provided feedback and constructive criticism.

"One kid came in and asked if his clothes were OK," said Micah Austin, the assistant to the Jerome city administrator. "He was wearing torn jeans ... but he truly didn't know that was wrong."

Monica Harrison, who also works for the city of Jerome, added that the experience boosts student's confidence.

"Events like this won't create jobs, but it will make these students more competitive," Harrison said.

"It's really neat to see that a lot of these kids have a lot to offer," Harrison said.

Giving students a leg up in getting a job is needed now more than ever, said Peterson.

That sentiment is backed by unemployment data, provided by Idaho Department of Labor Regional Economist Jan Roeser.

See **SKILLS**, Business 2



Jessica Burnham, 17, a junior at Jerome High School, pauses during a mock interview at the school on Tuesday.

## Recovery falters as states, businesses hold back funds

By Kevin G. Hall  
McClatchy Newspapers

HAGERSTOWN, Md. — On a cold winter's afternoon, construction workers laid pipe for what will be an eye clinic in this crossroads city nestled in a narrow stretch between West Virginia and Pennsylvania. For local economic development officials here, it was a rare win; for them, these are the toughest of tough times.

The project was possible thanks to special bonds issued as part of the broad federal effort to stimulate the moribund U.S. economy.

Across the nation, counties and cities are fighting to attract a small number of potential employers while U.S. corporations sit on more than \$2 trillion in cash, awaiting clearer signs of economic normalcy before spending it to expand and hire.

States are slashing budgets, pulling back money from the very development agencies charged



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Ground is cleared on a job site in Hagerstown, Maryland. The construction project was made possible through bonds under the federal economic stimulus program.

with enticing employers to locate or expand in their territory, thus creating jobs and generating tax revenue.

The rural commission in western Maryland tapped a federal program

that allowed it to help private companies issue almost \$20 million in bonds to expand or build. The bonds, administered by the state and given to counties, allowed for the construction of the eye center,

a women's care center and the expansion of an airport facility for a growing defense contractor.

Recovery zone bonds, whose return to investors who buy them is exempt from taxes, were part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, shorthand as the government's stimulus program, launched in 2009. About \$15 billion in bond authority was divvied up among the states with an eye toward helping small communities hit hard by the economic downturn.

"I think that's one of the more underappreciated elements of the Recovery Act. It's taken states and companies a lot of time to figure out how to use it," said John Irons, the research and policy director at the Economic Policy Institute, a liberal research center in the nation's capital. "The advantage of it is it is relatively low cost for the federal government to issue these."

See **DEVELOPMENT**, Business 2

## STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	22.54	▼ .22	Dell	15.15	▼ .28	Idacorp	37.97	▼ .21	Int. Bancorp	1.35	▼ .01
Lithia Mo.	14.79	▼ 1.14	McDonald's	75.70	▼ .43	Micron	10.92	▼ .78	Supervalu	8.50	▼ .28

## COMMODITIES

For more see Business 2

Live cattle	110.10	▼ .95	March Oil	93.82	▲ 7.62
Feb. Gold	1,400.90	▲ 12.70	March Silver	33.09	▲ .79



## MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE			AMEX			NASDAQ					
MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)			MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)			MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)					
Name	Vol(00)	Last Chg	Name	Vol(00)	Last Chg	Name	Vol(00)	Last Chg			
Citigrp	8708051	4.69 -22	DenismM g	77325	3.72 -42	PwShs QQQ822200	57.03 -1.70				
S&P500ETF2059733	131.83	-2.70	Taseko	57598	6.22 +25	Cisco	730926	18.59 -26			
BkofAm	1807776	14.18 -57	GoldStr g	44274	3.96 -10	SiriusXM	665250	1.72 -09			
iShEMkts	1026572	44.83 -1.48	NA Pall g	42380	7.10 -53	Intel	620373	21.81 -33			
SPDR Fncl	967181	16.65 -53	KodiakIO g	41125	6.40 +01	Microsoft	592874	26.59 -47			
GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)					
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg			
BarcShtD	17.50	+3.49	+24.9	NewConcEn	6.76	+2.08	+44.4	Fonar	2.09	+7.7	+58.3
CSVS2xVs	46.66	+9.14	+24.4	MexcoEn	9.25	+1.46	+18.7	BluDolp rs	3.74	+1.10	+41.7
C-TrcVOL	48.65	+8.23	+20.4	CaracoP	5.20	+4.8	+10.2	TransInT g	4.30	+7.3	+20.4
BIPLSPxVM	17.74	+2.70	+18.0	HelixBio g	3.15	+2.9	+10.1	SigaTech h	13.58	+2.18	+19.1
iP SER2K	32.29	+4.09	+14.5	NIVS IntT	2.86	+2.0	+7.5	SouMoBc	23.41	+3.40	+17.0
LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)					
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg			
KV PhmA	8.39	-1.47	-14.9	Solitario	3.62	-5.8	-13.8	Delcath	7.01	-4.29	-38.0
CDI	16.42	-2.80	-14.6	Hyperdyn	5.32	-7.7	-12.6	Daktronics	11.88	-4.38	-26.9
BarnesNob	15.94	-2.67	-14.3	QuepasA	9.77	-1.30	-11.7	GoodTim rs	2.95	-9.5	-24.4
GerovaF rs	5.67	-9.0	-13.7	ContMatls	21.14	-2.37	-10.1	AlliedMot	7.25	-1.65	-18.5
KV PhB If	8.52	-1.35	-13.7	DenismM g	3.72	-4.2	-10.1	Camtek h	3.98	-6.7	-14.4
DIARY			DIARY			DIARY					
Advanced	354		Advanced	111		Advanced	390				
Declined	2,749		Declined	376		Declined	2,325				
Unchanged	59		Unchanged	29		Unchanged	84				
Total issues	3,162		Total issues	516		Total issues	2,799				
New Highs	133		New Highs	11		New Highs	85				
New Lows	14		New Lows	6		New Lows	36				
Volume	5,540,726,494		Volume	182,205,831		Volume	2,218,694,987				

### INDEXES

12,391.29	9,614.32	Dow Jones Industrials	12,212.79	-178.46	-1.44	+5.49	+18.77
5,306.65	3,872.64	Dow Jones Transportation	5,093.23	-202.97	-3.83	-26	+25.27
416.47	346.95	Dow Jones Utilities	410.34	-79	-19	+1.32	+10.50
8,520.27	6,355.83	NYSE Composite	8,325.86	-182.04	-2.14	+4.54	+19.37
2,348.93	1,689.19	Amex Index	2,325.26	-21.55	-92	+5.29	+25.73
2,840.51	2,061.14	Nasdaq Composite	2,756.42	-77.53	-2.74	+3.90	+24.53
1,344.07	1,010.91	S&P 500	1,315.44	-27.57	-2.05	+4.60	+20.18
14,276.94	10,596.20	Wilshire 5000	13,946.73	-310.61	-2.18	+4.39	+22.25
838.00	587.66	Russell 2000	812.96	-21.86	-2.62	+3.74	+30.06

### STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AlliantEgy	1.70f	14	38.75	-29	+5.4	Kaman	.56	25	31.22	-71	+7.4
AlliantTch	.80	8	71.50	-1.24	-3.9	Keycorp	.04	20	9.21	-32	+4.1
AmCasino	.42	...	16.93	-37	+8.3	LeeEnt	...	4	2.97	-05	+20.7
Aon Corp	.60	21	52.24	-69	+13.5	MicroT	...	6	10.92	-78	+36.2
BallardPw	...	...	2.01	-11	+34.0	OfficeMax	...	18	14.11	-58	-20.3
BkofAm	.04	21	14.18	-57	+6.3	RockTen	.80	12	67.73	-2.54	+25.5
ConAgra	.92	15	22.54	-22	-2	Sensient	.84f	15	33.14	-63	-9.8
Costco	.82	24	73.89	-1.54	+2.3	SkyWest	.16	11	15.25	-49	-2.4
Diebold	1.12f	16	34.71	-60	+8.3	Teradyn	...	10	18.08	-84	+28.8
DukeEngy	.98	13	17.98	+04	+1.0	Tuppre	1.20	15	53.75	-1.44	+12.8
DukeRlty	.68	...	13.41	-20	+7.6	US Bancpr	.20	18	27.69	-87	+2.7
Fastenal	1.00f	35	62.18	-1.52	+3.8	Valhi	.40	...	21.86	-39	-1.1
Heinz	1.80	17	47.71	-01	-3.5	WalMart	1.21	13	53.67	-1.71	-5
HewlettP	.32	12	48.23	-44	+14.6	WashFed	.24f	15	18.06	-25	+6.7
HomeDp	.95	20	38.09	-39	+8.6	WellsFargo	.20	14	31.38	-1.26	+1.3
Idacorp	1.20	15	37.97	-21	+2.7	ZionBcp	.04	...	23.09	-1.01	-4.7

### HOW TO READ THE REPORT

**Stock Footnotes:** cc – PE greater than 99. dd – Loss in last 12 mos. d – New 52-wk low during trading day. g – Dividend in Canadian \$. Stock price in U.S. \$. n – New issue in past 52 wks. q – Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s – Split or stock dividend of 25 pct or more in last 52 wks. Div begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-wk high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. p – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wt – Warrants. ww – With warrants. xw – Without warrants.

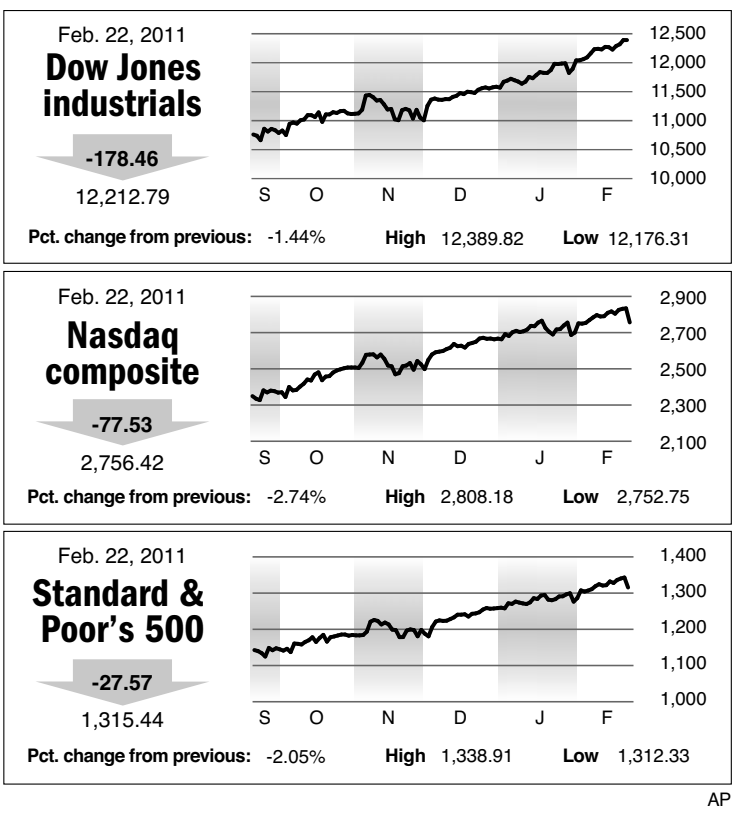
**Dividend Footnotes:** a – Also extra or extras. b – Annual rate plus stock dividend. c – Liquidating dividend. e – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f – Annual rate, increased on last declaration. i – Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j – Paid this year, dividend omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k – Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m – Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. p – Init div, annual rate unknown. r – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos plus stock dividend. t – Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x – Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y – Ex-dividend and sales in full. z – Sales in full. vj – In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.

• Most active stocks above must be worth \$1 and gainers/losers \$2.

**Mutual Fund Footnotes:** e – Ex-capital gains distribution. f – Previous day's quote. n – No-load fund. p – Fund assets used to pay distribution costs. r – Redemption fee or contingent deferred sales load may apply. s – Stock dividend or split. t – Both p and r. x – Ex-cash dividend.

*Source: The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial.*

## YESTERDAY ON WALL STREET



Stocks had their worst drop this year and oil prices surged Tuesday after Libyan leader Moammar Gadhafi clung to power in the face of mounting protests. The Dow Jones industrial average sank 178.46 points, or 1.4 percent, to close at 12,212.79. It was the biggest drop since Nov. 16. Bond prices rose as investors sought safety. The Standard & Poor's 500 index fell 27.57, or 2 percent, to 1,315.44. It was the S&P's worst day since Aug. 11. The Nasdaq fell 77.53, or 2.7 percent, to 2,756.42. Falling stocks outnumbered rising ones nine to one on the New York Stock Exchange. Consolidated trading volume was 5.5 billion shares.

## COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES						BEANS						
Month	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change	Month	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change	
Feb	Live cattle	111.40	109.70	110.10	- .95	May	Valley Beans	Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers.				
Apr	Live cattle	115.25	113.25	113.65	- 1.50	May	Pintos	No quote, new crop great northrns, no quote pinks, no quote, new crop small reds, no quote, new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Feb. 16, 1966.				
Mar	Feeder cattle	130.00	128.95	129.20	- .88	May	Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture Pintos, \$25-\$27 pinks. Lt. \$25-\$28 small reds. Lt. \$28-\$30 garbanzos, Lt. \$32-\$34. Quota current Feb. 16.					
Apr	Feeder cattle	131.65	130.58	130.60	- 1.15							
May	Feeder cattle	132.25	131.20	131.55	- .70							
Feb	Lean hogs	93.80	91.90	92.28	.xx							
Apr	Lean hogs	101.35	99.45	100.05	-.50							
Mar	Wheat	801.00	762.25	762.25	-60.00							
May	Wheat	825.00	795.75	795.75	-60.00							
Mar	KC Wheat	913.00	869.75	872.75	-57.00							
May	KC Wheat	922.00	882.00	884.00	-56.75							
Mar	MPS Wheat	965.50	899.00	906.25	-49.25							
May	MPS Wheat	976.50	909.00	916.75	-49.75							
Mar	Corn	699.00	679.75	679.75	-30.00							
May	Corn	709.50	690.25	690.25	-30.00							
Mar	Soybeans	1353.00	1298.00	1298.00	-70.00							
May	Soybeans	1365.00	1311.00	1311.00	-70.00							
Feb	BFP Milk	17.02	16.97	16.98	-.01							
Mar	BFP Milk	18.85	18.48	18.72	-.21							
Apr	BFP Milk	18.34	17.85	18.17	+.11							
May	BFP Milk	18.13	17.65	17.90	+.05							
Jun	BFP Milk	17.73	17.20	17.51	-.05							
Mar	Sugar	31.90	30.83	30.96	-.06							
May	Sugar	29.23	28.24	28.38	-.04							
Mar	B-Pound	1.6254	1.6098	1.6130	-.0113							
Jun	B-Pound	1.6223	1.6080	1.6115	-.0108							
Mar	J-Yen	1.2112	1.1987	1.2087	+.0055							
Jun	J-Yen	1.2121	1.2000	1.2098	+.0056							
Mar	Euro-currency	1.3714	1.3523	1.3652	-.0029							
Jun	Euro-currency	1.3697	1.3510	1.3638	-.0027							
Mar	Canada dollar	1.0177	1.0075	1.0093	-.0037							
Jun	Canada dollar	1.0154	1.0059	1.0068	-.0041							
Mar	U.S. Dollar	78.39	77.64	77.85	+.11							
Feb	Comex gold	1408.7	1395.1	1400.9	+12.7							
Apr	Comex gold	1411.5	1390.1	1398.7	+10.1							
Mar	Comex silver	34.33	32.99	33.09	+.79							
May	Comex silver	34.32	32.38	33.09	+.81							
Mar	Treasury bond	121.1	119.4	120.3	+1.2							
Jun	Treasury bond	119.1	117.2	119.9	+1.2							
Mar	Coffee	277.00	269.90	273.60	+1.95							
May	Coffee	278.40	270.35	274.35	+1.35							
Mar	Cocoa	2378	2318	2362	+61							
May	Cocoa	2365	2298	2338	+52							
Mar	Cotton	190.02	177.20	187.94	+9.08							
May	Cotton	189.22	187.93	187.93	-7.00							
Mar	Crude oil	94.49	86.25	93.82	+7.62							
May	Crude oil	94.49	86.25	93.82	+7.62							
Mar	Unleaded gas	2.6810	2.4637	2.6145	+.0632							
May	Unleaded gas	2.6810	2.4637	2.6145	+.0632							
Mar	Heating oil	2.8559	2.7276	2.7946	+.0817							
May	Heating oil	2.8559	2.7276	2.7946	+.0817							
Apr	Natural gas	4.030	3.866	3.895	-.011							
May	Natural gas	4.030	3.866	3.895	-.011							

## GRAINS

Valley Grains  
Prices for wheat per bushel, ask: mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice.  
Soft white wheat, ask barley, \$10.60 oats, \$9.00 corn, \$12.40 (11 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Feb. 16, 1966.  
Barley, \$11.70 (wht): corn, \$12.60 (wht). Prices quoted by JD Heskey. Prices current Feb. 16.

## CHEESE

POCATELLO (AP) - Idaho Farm Bureau Intermarket Grain Processor for Tuesday.  
White wheat 6.75 (down 60) 11.5 percent current 7.32 (down 57) current 10.13 (down 49) barley 9.90 (steady)  
BURLEY - White wheat 7.32 (down 8) 11.5 percent current 7.37 (down 47) 14 percent current 9.96 (down 59) Barley 10.00 (down 25)  
OGDEN - White wheat 6.90 (down 45) 11.5 percent current 7.48 (down 57) 14 percent current 9.72 (down 49) Barley 10.50 (steady) PORTLAND - White wheat n/a 11 percent current 8.48-8.68 (down 57) 14 percent current 11.24 (down 50) corn 27.75-27.85 (down 10.75)  
NAMES - White wheat wnt 11.16 (down 72): bushel 6.70 (down 55)

## POTATOES

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange  
Barrels: \$1,9450, + .0275; \$1,9825, + .0275

Quotations from Sinclair & Co.

Quotations from Sinclair & Co. 733-6013 or (800) 635-0821

POCATELLO (AP) – Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Livestock Report for Tuesday. LIVESTOCK AUCTION – Cottonwood Livestock Auction on Thursday. Utility and commercial cows 65.00-78.00 canner & cutters 60.00-71.00 heavy feeder steers 110.00-131.00 light feeder steers 120.00-143.00 stocker steers 140.00-160.00 heavy holstein feeder steers n/a light holstein feeder steers n/a heavy feeder heifers 109.00-127.00 light feeder heifers 110.00-132.00 stocker heifers 125.00-145.00 slaughter bulls 72.00-84.00 baby calves 175-275/hd stock cows 875-1200/hd stock cow/calf pairs 900-1250/pr Remarks: Active market on light test.

METALS/MONEY			
NEW YORK (AP) – Key currency exchange rates Tuesday, compared with late Monday in New York.			
Dollar vs.	Exch. Rate		Pys Day
Yen	\$2.71		\$3.11
Euro	\$1.3662		\$1.3680
Pound	\$1.6145		\$1.6222
Swiss franc	.99383		0.9472
Canadian dollar	.99906		0.9830
Mexican peso	12.1214		12.0602

Selected world gold prices, Tuesday. London morning fixing: \$1394.50 up \$11.00. London afternoon fixing: \$1401.00 up \$17.50. NY Handy & Harman: \$1401.00 up \$17.50. NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$1513.08 up \$18.90. NY Engelhard: \$1404.03 up \$17.53. NY Engelhard fabricated: \$1509.33 up \$18.84. NY Merc: gold Feb. Tue. \$1400.50 up \$12.30. NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Tue. \$1399.00 up \$12.00.

NEW YORK (AP) – Handy & Harman silver Tuesday \$32.990 up \$0.355. HSH fabricated \$30.588 up \$0.426. The morning bullion price for silver in London \$32.890 up \$0.950. Engelhard fabricated \$39.624 up \$1.212. NY Merc silver spot month Tuesday \$32.864 up \$0.566.

NEW YORK (AP) – Spot nonferrous metal prices. Aluminum -\$1.1480 per lb., London Metal Exch. Copper -\$4.4582 Cathode full plate, LME. Copper \$4.3455 NY Merc spot Tue. Lead -\$2657.00 metric ton, London Metal Exch. Zinc -\$1.1543 per lb., London Metal Exch. Gold -\$1401.00 Handy & Harman (only daily quote). Gold -\$1400.50 troy oz., NY Merc spot Tue. Silver -\$32.990 Handy & Harman (only daily quote). Silver -\$32.864 troy oz., NY Merc spot Tue. Platinum -\$1823.00 troy oz., N.Y. (contract). Platinum -\$1786.30 troy oz., N.Y. Merc spot Tue.

## Skills



# New photo of suspect in Tucson shootings

By Mark Carlson  
Associated press

PHOENIX — The U.S. Marshals Service released a new image Tuesday of the man suspected of shooting U.S. Rep. Gabrielle Giffords, killing six people and wounding a dozen others near Tucson last month.



Loughner

The photo shows Jared Loughner in front of a block cinder wall, wearing a mustard colored jail uniform with a white T-shirt underneath. His hair is slightly grown out and he has a cut on his right forehead.

Last week, U.S. District Judge Larry A. Burns said he was leaving it up to the marshals to decide whether to release the mug shot of the 22-year-old Loughner taken in Phoenix while Loughner was in the agency's custody.

Several media organizations received the photo from the marshals Tuesday. The Associated Press did not immediately obtain a copy.

The previously unreleased photo is a different image than the mug shot released by the Pima County Sheriff's Office taken two days after Loughner was arrested.

Defense attorneys had argued against releasing the new photo, saying it invades Loughner's privacy and doesn't serve any legitimate public interest. In addition, mug shots reveal people at their most humiliating moments, the lawyers said.

Burns said he did not agree the photo would invade Loughner's privacy or harm his chance at a fair trial, but he said he didn't have the authority to rule on the matter because the 6th Circuit requires the U.S. Marshals Service to release the photo.

"We're making these pictures seem way more ominous than they really are," Burns said, adding the second mug shot is much "tamer" than the first one that has been widely circulated on the Internet. That photo showed Loughner wide eyed and smiling.

# Emanuel calls Chicago mayor win humbling

By Deanna Bellandi  
and Tammy Webber  
Associated press

CHICAGO — Former White House chief of staff Rahm Emanuel was elected mayor of Chicago on Tuesday, easily overwhelming five rivals to take the helm of the nation's third-largest city as it prepares to chart a new course without the retiring Richard M. Daley.

With 97 percent of the precincts reporting, Emanuel had trounced five opponents with 55 percent of the vote — a margin that allowed him to avoid an April runoff. He needed more than 50 percent of the vote to win outright.

It was the city's first mayoral race in more than 60 years without an incumbent on the ballot and the first in more than two decades without Daley among the candidates. Daley and his father have led Chicago for more than 43 out of the last 56 years.

Emanuel called the victo-



AP photo

Former White House Chief of Staff Rahm Emanuel speaks at his election night party Tuesday in Chicago. Emanuel was elected mayor of Chicago Tuesday, easily overwhelming five rivals to take the helm of the nation's third-largest city.

ry "humbling" and thanked Daley for his lifetime of service, saying the outgoing mayor had "earned a special place in our hearts and our history."

But he added: "We have not won anything until a kid can go to school thinking of their studies and not their safety. Until the parent of that child is thinking about

their work and not where they are going to find work, we have not won anything."

Reginald Bachus, the 51-year-old pastor of a West Side church who voted for

# Wisconsin lawmakers take up bill to cripple unions

By Scott Bauer  
Associated press

MADISON, Wis. — With their Senate colleagues still in hiding, Democrats in the Wisconsin Assembly began introducing a barrage of 100 amendments Tuesday to try to stymie the Republican governor's plan to strip unionized public employees of most of their bargaining rights.

Both houses of the GOP-controlled Legislature convened shortly before noon amid noisy protests outside the state Capitol that began more than a week ago in an epic showdown that is being watched nervously by organized labor across the country.

The Senate was unable to take up the union measure because its 14 Democrats skipped town last week, denying the chamber a quorum. But Assembly Speaker Jeff Fitzgerald pledged that his chamber would approve the bill this week, despite the blizzard of Democratic amendments.

Turning up the pressure on the Democrats, Gov. Scott Walker warned that state employees could start receiving layoff notices as early as next week if the bill isn't passed soon. The layoffs couldn't take effect immediately — existing union con-



The New York Times/AP photo

Demonstrators protest a proposed spending bill by Gov. Scott Walker, Tuesday in the Wisconsin Capitol building in Madison, Wis.

tracts could forestall them for weeks or months — and Walker wouldn't say which jobs he would go after first.

"Hopefully we don't get to that point," the governor said in a statement.

Borrowing the strategy pioneered by President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Walker took his case straight to the voters Tuesday evening with a speech from his Capitol office that he called a "fireside chat." With protesters drowning out his message as it was played over monitors in the rotunda, Walker calmly laid out his case for the bill, saying it was needed to balance the state's budget now and into the future.

"It certainly isn't a battle

with unions," Walker said. "If it was, we would have eliminated collective bargaining entirely or we would have gone after the private-sector unions."

Walker warned of "dire consequences" if the Democrats don't return soon to pass the bill, saying up to 1,500 state workers could be laid off by July with another 6,000 forced out of work over the next two years.

One of the missing Democrats, Minority Leader Mark Miller, delivered his own response from Illinois.

"The only action available to us to slow this down and allow democracy to work was to take us out of the Capitol," he said.

# Museum gets home movie of President Kennedy

By Jamie Stengle  
Associated press

DALLAS — Roy R. Botello will never forget the crowd's enthusiasm as he recorded a home movie of John F. Kennedy at a Houston hotel on the eve of the president's assassination in Dallas.

The footage of a Nov. 21, 1963, gathering of the

League of United Latin American Citizens shows Kennedy and his wife smiling as people jostle through the crowd to shake their hands or snap photos. A mariachi band can be seen behind the president and first lady.

After keeping the silent, color images stored away in a living room drawer in his San Antonio home for

decades, Botello decided to donate his film to the Sixth Floor Museum in Dallas, which is dedicated to Kennedy's assassination.

The home movie includes images of Jacqueline Kennedy addressing the gathering of several hundred people at Houston's Rice Hotel in Spanish. Botello said the crowd's appreciation of the first lady

knowing the language is one of the memories from that night that still stand out.

"She knew what the mariachis were saying but (President Kennedy) didn't know anything about that. He just looked up and smiled," said Botello, 89, who speaks English and Spanish and was on a LULAC scholarship committee back then.

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BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Mostly cloudy. High 38.

Tonight: Mostly cloudy, snow showers. Low 24.

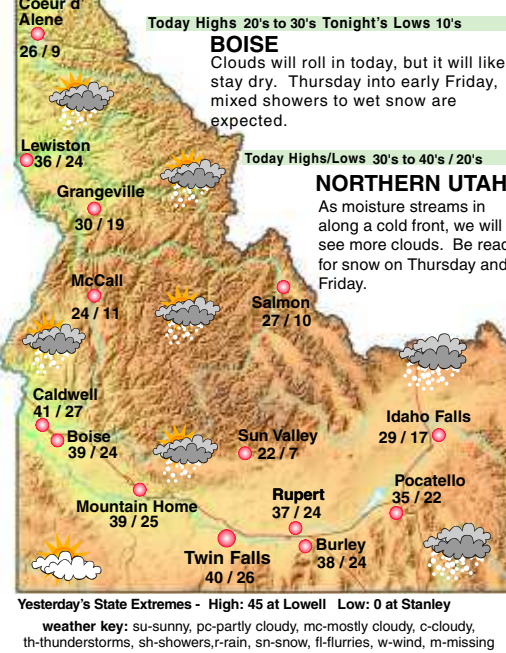
Tomorrow: Cooler with snow showers. High 33.

ALMANAC - BURLEY

Temperature	Precipitation
Yesterday's High 40°	Yesterday's Trace
Yesterday's Low 19°	Month to Date 0.07"
Normal High / Low 44° / 25°	Avg. Month to Date 0.67"
Record High 66° in 1958	Water Year to Date 5.24"
Record Low -10° in 1952	Avg. Water Year to Date 4.51"

IDAHO'S FORECAST

**SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.**  
Snow showers will move in later today and continue on Thursday and Friday morning. Allow for extra travel time.



**GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY**

**"The highest reward for a man's toil is not what he gets for it but what he becomes by it."**

*John Ruskin*

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Mostly cloudy	Scattered snow showers	Cooler with snow showers	Cloudy, chance for flurries	Partly cloudy	More clouds, likely dry
High 40°	Low 26°	33° / 21°	32° / 17°	28° / 16°	36° / 23°

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature	Precipitation	Humidity	Barometric Pressure	Sunrise and Sunset
Yesterday's High 42°	Yesterday's Trace	Yesterday's High 78%	5 pm Yesterday 29.84 in.	Today Sunrise: 7:23 AM Sunset: 6:20 PM
Yesterday's Low 23°	Month to Date 0.06"	Yesterday's Low 37%		Thursday Sunrise: 7:22 AM Sunset: 6:21 PM
Normal High / Low 45° / 26°	Avg. Month to Date 0.75"	Today's Forecast Avg. 63%		Friday Sunrise: 7:20 AM Sunset: 6:22 PM
Record High 61° in 1991	Water Year to Date 6.07"			Saturday Sunrise: 7:18 AM Sunset: 6:24 PM
Record Low -15° in 1971	Avg. Water Year to Date 5.11"	A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30		Sunday Sunrise: 7:18 AM Sunset: 6:25 PM

Moon Phases	Moonrise and Moonset
Last Feb. 25	Today Moonrise: 12:20 AM Moonset: 10:03 AM
New Mar. 4	Thursday Moonrise: 1:30 AM Moonset: 10:48 AM
First Mar. 13	Friday Moonrise: 2:34 AM Moonset: 11:40 AM
Full Mar. 19	

REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow	Friday
Boise	39 24	34 20	32 20
Bonnerville	21 4	17 -8	12 -8
Burley	38 22	33 18	28 18
Challis	30 11	23 4	24 4
Coeur d'Alene	26 9	17 -5	13 -5
Elko, NV	38 18	mc 36 18	35 18
Eugene, OR	40 31	mc 37 26	39 26
Gooding	36 25	31 20	30 20
Grangeville	30 16	24 5	20 5
Grangeville	41 28	36 23	35 23
Hailey	26 12	25 8	22 8
Idaho Falls	29 17	24 11	19 11
Kalispell, MT	18 -6	-6 -11	8 -11
Jerome	37 24	31 19	30 19
Lewiston	36 24	29 13	25 13
Malad City	34 22	31 17	26 17
Malta	36 23	30 17	27 17
McCall	24 11	22 3	20 3
Missoula, MT	28 7	12 -3	14 -3
Pocatello	35 22	26 16	21 16
Portland, OR	38 29	36 24	37 24
Rupert	37 24	32 18	28 18
Rexburg	25 13	21 7	15 7
Richland, WA	41 26	32 19	29 19
Rogerson	33 18	29 14	25 14
Salmon	37 24	31 19	28 18
Salt Lake City, UT	27 10	19 2	9 2
Spokane, WA	30 12	18 -2	17 -2
Stanley	26 1	25 -1	23 -1
Sun Valley	22 7	21 6	19 6
Yellowstone, MT	17 -2	11 -5	9 -5

NATIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Atlanta	64 47	66 55
Atlantic City	38 29	su 43 41
Baltimore	36 26	su 45 40
Bellington	20 -3	ls -2 -8
Birmingham	65 51	pc 71 59
Boston	35 18	su 38 31
Charleston, SC	57 49	pc 60 55
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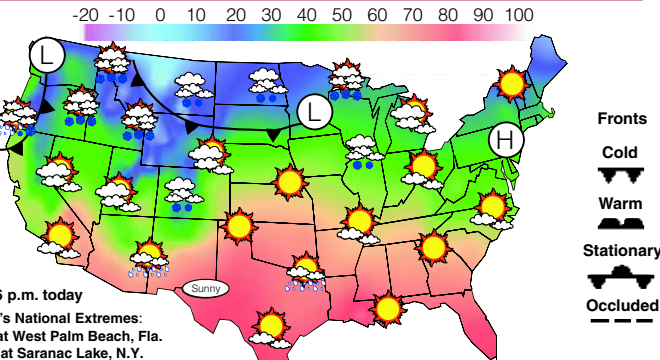
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TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



# Four American hostages killed by pirates off Somalia

By Jason Straziolo and Malkhadir M. Muhumed  
Associated Press

NAIROBI, Kenya — A U.S. Navy destroyer was shadowing a hijacked yacht with four Americans aboard when a pirate fired a rocket-propelled grenade, followed by bursts of gunfire. U.S. special forces scrambled onto the occupied vessel only to find the four Americans fatally wounded.

The yachting enthusiasts from California and Washington killed off the coast of East Africa on Tuesday were the first Americans slain by Somali pirates since a wave of attacks began six years ago. One of the American couples had been sailing around the world since 2004 handing out Bibles.

The deaths of the four travelers, all in their late 50s or 60s, appeared to underscore an increasingly brutal and aggressive shift by pirates in their treatment of hostages.

Killing hostages "has now become part of our rules," said a pirate who identified himself as Muse Abdi. He referred as a turning point to last week's sentencing of a pirate to 33 years in prison for the 2009 attack on the U.S. cargo vessel the Maersk Alabama — just two days before the hijacking.

"From now on, anyone who tries to rescue the hostages in our hands will only collect dead bodies," Abdi said. "It will never, ever happen that hostages are rescued and we are hauled to prison."

Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton strongly condemned the killing of the Americans as "deplorable," saying in a statement the slayings underscored the need for international cooperation in fighting the scourge of piracy in waters off the Horn of Africa.

Jean and Scott Adams of Marina del Rey, near Los Angeles, had been sailing their 58-foot yacht Quest around the world since December 2004, and had been joined in

recent months by Phyllis Macay and Bob Riggle of Seattle.

Four U.S. warships had been shadowing the Quest since shortly after it was seized south of Oman on Friday, and U.S. officials were in radio contact with the captors as the pirates tried to sail it to the Somali shore. The power behind such abductions for ransom — a multi-million-dollar business — lies not with the pirates at sea but their financial backers on land. And once the kidnapers reach shore with their hostages, options for rescue are limited.

A channel of negotiations had been opened, and on Monday two pirates boarded the USS Sterett, a guided-missile destroyer some 600 yards from the seized yacht, and they stayed overnight, said Vice Adm. Mark Fox, commander of the U.S. 5th Fleet in Bahrain.

By the next morning, though, things quickly turned deadly, with all signs pointing to a dispute among the pirates.

At 8 a.m. local time, Fox said, a rocket-propelled grenade was fired from the Quest at the Sterett and missed, followed almost immediately by the sound of small arms fire coming from the yacht.

Several pirates then appeared on the yacht deck with their hands up. U.S. naval forces rushed aboard the vessel and found all four Americans had been shot; two pirates also lay dead from gun shot wounds.

The special forces troops tried to provide lifesaving care to the Americans, but they died, Fox said.

Fifteen pirates were taken into custody — 13 aboard the yacht and the two who had been negotiating aboard the Sterett, Fox said. Also, two pirates were killed in the operation, including one who was knifed by a member of the U.S. force, Fox said.

President Barack Obama, who was notified about killing of the Americans at

4:42 a.m. Washington time, had authorized the military on Saturday to use force in case of an imminent threat to the hostages, said White House spokesman Jay Carney.

Friends, family and fellow sailors said that despite an adventurous spirit, the four Americans were meticulous planners who knew the dangers they faced.

Jean and Scott Adams, both in their 60s, had a yacht full of Bibles to distribute to remote regions. They were joined by Riggle, a veterinarian who volunteered at the Seattle Animal Shelter, and 59-year-old Macay, a sailing enthusiast.

"Great sailors, good people. They were doing what they wanted to do, but that's small comfort in the face of this," said Joe Grande of the Seattle Singles Yacht Club, where Riggle and Macay were members.

Around Christmas, the Quest joined the Blue Water Rally, an around-the-world race. But race organizers said the Americans recently left the race despite what Fox said were warnings about the dangers of sailing in the Horn of Africa region.

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Phyllis Macay and Bob Riggle, both of Seattle, are seen on a yacht in Bodega Bay, Calif., in June 2005.

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# Your recipe, for sale?



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Locally grown peppers await sale at the Twin Falls Farmers Market in 2010. Organizers of Hailey's new commercial kitchen hope vendors from markets around south-central Idaho will rent the new kitchen to turn their produce into food products for sale.

## Commercial kitchens offer opportunity to home cooks

By Ariel Hansen  
Times-News writer

HAILEY — You wouldn't want to cook here now, with sawdust flying everywhere and none of the plumbing hooked up. But in a few weeks, this construction site will be a certified commercial kitchen where anyone can jar their jams or make venison jerky for sale.

Leaders of Wood River Sustainability Center in Hailey have long dreamed of adding this facility, which will have equipment available for nearly any kind of food production — properly certified by the local public health district so those foodstuffs can be sold on a grocery shelf.

"That was the original vision for the place, and it's finally coming," said Dick Springs, who operates the center with his wife, Melinda, and others. "Our goal is that people can make things here and then sell them."

Although kitchens with commercial appliances are available in many places — including some banquet facilities, churches and community spaces — kitchens that are certified to produce food for public sale are more rare. And aside from the Sustainability Center in Hailey and the Idaho Small Business Development Center's Food Technology Center in Caldwell, none in south-central Idaho offer classes or advice on how to use that equipment to its best, safest potential.

Kim Sherman-Labrum, Boise-region training coordinator for the Idaho Small Business Development Center, said restaurants have certified commercial kitchens and might be willing to let community members use them during off-hours for less cost than at the Caldwell or Hailey facilities. But getting the training on how to do it right is important, even if it might take more out of the budget.

"It does cost money to go through (training), but it's better in the end," said Grace Wittman, Extension educator at the University of Idaho's Cassia County

See **KITCHENS**, Food 2

### WHERE CAN I USE A CERTIFIED COMMERCIAL KITCHEN?

Experts in this story suggested that producers who want to preserve, cook or process food for sale to the public first go to a facility like the Food Technology Center in Caldwell or the Wood River Sustainability Center in Hailey, where classes and expert advice are available. However, there are other certified commercial kitchens in south-central Idaho, including any health department-approved restaurant. But many publicly available kitchens — like those in the Lincoln County Community Center, the Sawtooth Botanical Gardens in Ketchum and in some churches — are not certified for commercial food production and sale, so be sure to ask about certification before signing up to use those facilities if you plan to sell your wares.

### LEARN HOW TO GO 'FROM RECIPE TO MARKET'

- **What:** "From Recipe to Market," a class offered by Idaho Small Business Development Center's Food Technology Center, covering the initial requirements to make a home recipe for sale. Topics include labeling, packaging, pricing, food handling and safety, storage, shipping and marketing strategies. Featuring speaker Rick Vycital.
- **Where:** 1021 Manitou Ave., Boise
- **When:** 3-6 p.m. March 15
- **Cost:** \$35 per person. May be prepaid online.
- **Information:** 426-1640, klabrum@boisestate.edu, or <http://www.idahosbdc.org/workshop.aspx?ekey=40310052>
- **After the class:** The Food Technology Center in Caldwell is available for public use for canning, processing and packaging food for sale. It costs \$25 per hour; to arrange to use it, contact the center via the information above.

### OPENING SOON

Wood River Sustainability Center in Hailey is installing a commercial kitchen and anticipates it will be ready for public use and certified by the middle of March. The kitchen will have the requisite sinks, a dishwasher that can be used for sterilization, two ovens, a commercial gas range and commercial mixer. Other equipment for dehydration, smoking, freezing, canning, root cellaring and lactic fermentation is expected to be installed later. The center hopes to offer classes in all these techniques and more from local chefs and experts, as well as Master Preservationists Dick and Melinda Springs, who operate the center. An hourly rate for the facility has not yet been set, but Dick Springs said they are eager to take trade and barter as well as cash. Information: 309-3360, or during the center's operating hours (1-5 p.m. Wednesdays and Fridays, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays) at 308 S. River St., Hailey.

## Transplant teaches Chinese dishes to new neighbors

By Karen Bossick  
Times-News correspondent

When Jinglan Yu gets homesick for her native China, she mixes together a little flour and water.

She whips it into a dough, then presses it into hundreds of Chinese dumplings in the shape of half-moons.

"Like everyone here remembers Christmas from childhood, I always remember the Chinese New Year," said Yu, who is known in Sun Valley simply as Yulan. "My whole family gathered together around the table to make dumplings. Mom was the one always making the dough and wrappers; my sisters and I would make the dumplings. It took me years and years to make them the perfect look of a half moon. My mom still makes the dumplings like a little pig."

Today Yulan shares her dumplings with countless people through her catering business, at cooking classes and even at lavish parties she throws in her home north of Hailey.

The cooking class she offered at the Sawtooth Botanical Garden in February proved so popular that a second was scheduled, and it, too, filled in no time.

Yulan did not set out to be a cook.

Instead, she was a television reporter for 10 years in China after getting a director's degree at Beijing Broadcasting University.

Needing a break from work, which kept her on call 24 hours a day, holidays and weekends, she came to the U.S. to improve her English and found herself at the University of Idaho studying public relations.

She moved to Sun Valley six years ago to pursue her newfound passion for skiing — something she'd never tried in western China where she was raised. And now she spends her time teaching Chinese to many of the China- and Korea-born children adopted by Wood River Valley residents.

"She's an amazing resource for our children," said Liz Schwerdtle, who adopted her daughter from Korea nine years ago. "She taught a cooking class at a birthday party showing the girls to make pot stickers. And it was so much fun the boys wanted to join in."

Ditto for adults.

Yulan's class at the Sawtooth Botanical Garden turned into an assembly line, with some rolling out the dumplings with a rolling pin scarcely bigger than a giant Tootsie Roll while others pressed stuffing into them.

"It's fun doing the dumplings," said Tony Chapman. "One of the reasons I chose to take this cooking class is that I knew I'd be involved."

Chinese cooking is time consuming, Yulan noted. It can take all day to make

See **CHINESE**, Food 2



KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News

Jinglan Yu of Hailey, right, shows Remy Jimenez how to form Three Treasure Dumpling dough into a ring before cutting it into slices.

### From Jinglan Yu's kitchen

Jinglan Yu cooks without recipes and didn't give ingredient measurements when she demonstrated these dishes. But if you're willing to launch into a trial-and-error session, you can bring a few of her tastes to your kitchen.

#### THREE TREASURE DUMPLINGS

The treasures are ground pork, tofu and shrimp.  
**Making the dough:** Mix a cup of flour with a tidbit of salt; add to water in a medium-sized bowl. Knead the dough until smooth. Let it rest 10 minutes. Roll half the dough out into a long cigar-like shape. Cut into half-inch pieces. Use a rolling pin to flatten each into a circle.

**Making the filling:** Mix ground pork with tofu and shrimp. Add chopped green onions, fresh grated ginger and one or two eggs. Mix together with a little salt, pepper and brown sugar.

Put a teaspoon of mixture onto each piece of dough. (Not too much filling, or it'll be hard to form a half-moon.) Fold dough around the mixture and press edges together. Make sure the edges are closed well, or you'll end up with dumpling soup.

**Cooking the dumplings:** Bring water to a boil. Add the dumplings to the water while stirring gently. Bring the water to a boil once again and reduce the heat by throwing in a little water. Bring to a boil again. Cook the dumplings for three minutes and remove them from the water to a plate. Serve the dumplings immediately with bowls of soy sauce, teriyaki sauce or other sauce.



## Craft a ribbon-winning pie

Times-News

Here's your chance to learn pie making from the woman who took all those best-of-class ribbons at last year's Twin Falls County Fair. Dr. Laura Fall-Sutton of Buhl will teach a class dubbed "Putting Things in Apple-Pie-Order: How to Bake an Apple Pie from Scratch," through College of Southern Idaho's Community Education Center.

Students will start with the basic flaky-crust recipe for a two-crust pie; Fall-Sutton will emphasize crust making, as it can be used for almost any other savory or fruit pie. The class is hands-on; bring your own pie pan, rolling pin and pastry cutter, and leave with a perfect apple pie. Class will be 6-8 p.m. March 2 in CSI's Desert Building kitchen. Cost is \$20, plus a \$5 supply fee. Register: 732-6442 or [communityed.csi.edu](http://communityed.csi.edu).



# Don't put down roots, incorporate them into your diet

By Jennifer Barger  
The Washington Post

Pity the parsnip. The root vegetable — and its equally maligned, grown-below-ground cousins celery root (aka celeriac), turnips and rutabagas — could be called the nerds of the produce aisle. Yes, they can taste earthy and sweet. But many people have memories of over-boiled, overly bitter root veggies from childhood. And like butter on a carrot, the rep sticks.

Still, spurred by the locavore movement and the winter veggies' versatile, starchy profile, chefs and home cooks are cozying up to these homey, often homely lower extremities.

To fans, rutabagas can taste richer than any potato; turnips have a pleasant tang; and woodsy, herbaceous celery root makes a classic French coleslaw-like dish when grated and mixed with mayo, mustard and lemon juice. The latter "does have a strong taste," says British food writer Diana Henry, author of "Plenty" (\$30, Mitchell Beazley). "It's best to mix it with something."

"Root vegetables can be intimidating because of that inherent bitterness," says Antonio Burrell, chef de cui-



MARGE ELY/Washington Post  
Turnips, left, celery root (also known as celeriac) and rutabagas can taste earthy and sweet.

## BEET, CELERY ROOT AND SWEET SMOKED MACKEREL SALAD

### For the dressing:

- 2 1/2 teaspoons white wine vinegar
- 1/2 teaspoon Dijon mustard
- Pinch of sugar
- Salt and pepper
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped dill

### For the salad:

- 1 pound celery root
- Juice of 1/2 lemon
- 3 cups cooked beets cut in wedges
- 12 ounces smoked mackerel
- 2 ounces watercress

To make the dressing, just mix every-

thing together.

Peel the celery root; cut flesh into thick matchsticks. Put these immediately into a bowl of water mixed with lemon juice to prevent discoloration. Halve or quarter the beets.

Break the fish into very large flakes, discarding the skin. Drain celery root and pat it dry. Toss it with fish, watercress and most of the dressing. Add the beets and drizzle on the remaining dressing. Serve immediately.

From "Plenty," by Diana Henry.

Serves 6.

sine at Masa 14 in Washington. "But if you blanch them before cooking them and put a little sugar in, that gives them a nice sweetness," Burrell serves pureed parsnips under Waygu beef medallions at the restaurant.

It helps to think of the carrot and the potato, those below-surface MVPs, when figuring out what to do with other root vegetables. Because of their high starch content, roots roast well. "Cut parsnips and turnips into pieces of the same size,

then roast them at 375 for 30 minutes or so," says chef Tony Chittum, of Vermillion in Alexandria, Va., whose winter vegetable salad at the restaurant uses baby turnips, beets and radishes. Any recipe that requires a hash or grated cut suits root

## Do you really need no-boil noodles?

By Kathleen Purvis  
McClatchy Newspapers

I have a recipe that calls for "uncooked oven-ready (no-boil) lasagne noodles." I have no idea what they are. Is that something new?

No-boil lasagne noodles aren't all that new. You'll find them in the supermarket with the regular lasagne noodles. But I'll let you in on a secret: You probably don't need them.

The idea behind no-boil noodles is that they save having to boil the long noodles and then wrestle with them (they always tend to stick).

Truthfully, though, you can use any lasagne noodles without boiling them first. Just make sure you cover them with plenty of sauce and make sure they are completely covered, with no edges peeking out that aren't covered with sauce. The noodles will soften up while the lasagne bakes.



## Kitchens

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office. "We're seeing so many people produce stuff and then go to a farmers market and sell it, but it hasn't been preserved correctly, even for the home kitchen, yet they're selling it to masses of people. Consumers don't even know the questions to ask, to know that it's safe for them to eat it."

Although the state says farmers markets and their vendors must comply with many of the regulations placed on any food item for sale to the public, the markets tend to be a more casual environment than a grocery store — shoppers know they may be at greater risk buying a jar of jam from a neighbor than they would a similar jar from Smucker's.

The equipment in a certified commercial kitchen —



ARIEL HANSEN/Times-News

Extendable sink faucets await installation as Pete Watkins of Hailey-based Watkins Construction works to install a commercial kitchen at Wood River Sustainability Center in Hailey on Friday. It is expected to be complete in mid-March.

and the right training to use it — can reduce that risk.

Jenice Hawley of Hailey said she is looking forward to using Wood River Sus-

tainability Center's commercial kitchen to make her Neecey's Homemade Granola a certified product. "Then I could expand into

more stores," she said. "I'm just waiting for it to come into play here."

Springs said he hopes the Sustainability Center's kitchen will be more than a commercial enterprise; he has approached nonprofit groups like The Advocates and The Hunger Coalition to offer the space.

"We can use the kitchen to teach women some skills, to be employable in the community or even just cook better for their own family," he said. And he's eager to use trade and barter to build relationships as well as make the facility available to all who want to use it. "We are working very hard so any member (of the community), regardless of socioeconomic status, can use it and look at it as an asset."

For example, if a family wanted to bring in a few

bushels of apples from its orchard, instead of paying a not-yet-decided hourly rate to use the facility it might instead leave a portion of the processed applesauce for Wood River Sustainability Center to sell.

"We'll only be limited by our imagination in how we construct these things," Springs said. He also hopes the Sustainability Center will be able to sell some value-added products — perhaps a quart of soup or a take-and-bake lasagna for a fast supper — made in its own kitchen.

But all these plans are still just that. For now they wait, as sinks and counters and

appliances slowly take their places in the big barn the Sustainability Center calls home.

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## Chinese

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hundreds of dumplings if you don't have help. And even the salad can be time consuming, as everything has to be sliced fresh. But it's worth it, she added.

"One day I realized that putting a wonderful meal on the table or making a beautiful story on the air is the same — all you have to do is chop all the ingredients into pieces, mix them together and remake them into what you want."

A few weeks ago, Yulan threw a Chinese New Year's party in her home for the children she teaches, their families and other friends.

Paper lanterns hung from the ceiling of the log home. Chinese characters were pasted on the window next to an antique Chinese cabinet. And the dining table was full of colorful nametags for the dishes she piled high.

Among them: a Chinese salad sporting lotus root that is her signature dish. The lotus root, which can be obtained in Seattle or Portland, is harvested when koi ponds are cleaned out in winter.

Come summer — when

### CHINESE SALAD

**Making the salad:** Mix together red, yellow and green pepper strips, lettuce sliced into strips, dried cranberries, corn sliced off the cob, cilantro and red cabbage cut into strips. Add a few pine nuts, cherry tomatoes and lotus root if you can find it.

**Making the dressing:** Combine sesame sauce with fresh garlic, green onion, ginger, olive oil and Chinese soy sauce. Make it spicy, by adding chili sauce; sweet, by adding sugar and chili sauce; vinegary, by adding more vinegar; or nutty, by adding peanut butter.

Simmer dressing ingredients together for a half-hour or so on low heat to let the flavors blend. Cool the dressing, and toss it into the mixture of fresh ingredients.

she can get fresh nasturtium — Yulan makes spring rolls.

Yulan cooks without recipes, instead choosing to reach into the cabinet above her stove where she can grab a bottle of teriyaki chicken marinade, squid fish sauce, Koon Chun soy sauce, Szechuan hot and spicy marinade, hoisin garlic and sambal oelek fish chili paste to flavor her dishes.

Her dishes favor northern Chinese cooking, she said. But she typically combines northern and southern Chinese flavors, as she doesn't care for the saltiness of

northern dishes or the sweetness of southern cooking.

"You play with how you get your food down — that is the key to Chinese cooking," she said. "You will not ruin any dish by trying to change the recipes, but you could get bored by trying to follow everything in the book. Chinese cooking is not in the book; it is really in your mind."

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# More bakers reinterpreting classic king cake

By Mary Foster  
Associated Press writer

NEW ORLEANS — Pastry chef Jean-Luc Albin certainly can turn out a delicious traditional king cake — one with a premium brioche dough, rich with butter and eggs. But these days it's his inspired variations on that classic that he's most passionate about.

His Bourbon Street king cake, for example, with chocolate custard, bourbon and toasted pecans. Or there is his General Foster king cake with a bananas Foster-type filling; the Woodlawn Plantation, with praline cream and Southern Comfort; or even the Pontchartrain, filled with Bavarian cream custard, sliced strawberries, almonds and whipped cream.

"Every year I do something a little different, something new," Albin says. "It makes things interesting."

Interesting, and perhaps unrecognizable to those first French settlers who brought the annual Mardi Gras celebration — as well as its king cake — to Louisiana 300 years ago.

Traditional versions are a simple circle of buttery dough spiced with cinnamon and sweetened with a



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**LEFT:** Pastry chef Jean-Luc Albin, center, makes some of his Mardi Gras king cake creations with employees Senada Tursunovic, left, and Suada Muminovic at Maurice French Pastries in Metairie, La.  
**ABOVE:** This king cake by Albin is stuffed with cream and strawberries.

sugar icing. And while those still represent the dominant king cake, each year sees more variations as bakers pump them full of fruits, cheeses, chocolate and other flavors.

"The filled king cake trend started in the 1970s," says Liz Williams, president of the Southern Food and Beverage Museum in New Orleans. "People wanted things that were sweeter and sweeter, and bakers wanted to be different. Before that king cakes looked the same and were pretty much the same."

These days, at least two

dozen flavors and fillings are readily available. In addition to most fruits, you also can get such exotic flavors as praline, cream cheese and almond paste.

At Navarre's Famous King Cakes in Springfield, La., about 45 miles northwest of New Orleans, Earnie Navarre has even introduced a sweet potato praline king cake.

"A friend of mine is a big fan of sweet potatoes, and he asked me to make a king cake with them for him," Navarre said. "It's a lot like a sweet potato casserole, with brown sugar and pecans."

Rhonda Ruckman, pastry chef for the Donald Link restaurants and retail shop Butcher, was eager to experiment with some new flavors, after having been away from the city — and Mardi Gras — for several years.

"I'm definitely doing the classic cake, but I wanted to try some new things," Ruckman said. "I'm making a chocolate creme cake with a wonderful brioche dough, a layer of sour cream, devil food crumbs and chocolate chips."

For most bakeries the cream cheese cakes, or a

combination of cream cheese and fruit, is the most popular of the king cakes. With strawberry fillings close behind.

At Randazzo's King Cakes, customers lined up by the hundreds to get their king cakes on Jan. 6 (or Twelfth Night), the traditional opening of the Carnival season.

Randazzo's offers a half-dozen flavors, its royal king cake, which is quartered off with cream cheese, apple, lemon and strawberry fillings in each section, and even a fleur-de-licious king cake, with black and gold

icing in a nod to the "Who Dat" Saints fans.

Manny Randazzo, the second generation to operate the bakery, says the new flavors may have their fans, but at his bakeries the traditional king cake remains the big seller.

"It can get pretty crazy with all the fills, the double fills, the flavors," Randazzo said. "But still 75 percent of our sales are still the traditional cake. People who say it's dry or not flavorful enough have not had one with a rich brioche and the hint of cinnamon. It's definitely a crowd pleaser."

## Enjoy a taste of Mardi Gras cake anywhere

By Alison Ladman  
For The Associated Press

If you won't be lucky enough to be in New Orleans for Mardi Gras, you can still bake up a taste of it at home.

Granted, you'll need to supply your own revelry in the streets, but a slice of this delicious king cake should get you in the mood. The top is decorated with the colors of Mardi Gras: purple, green and gold. You also can color the icing and decorate, or you can drizzle with white icing and decorate with colored sugars.

### KING CAKE

*Start to finish: 4 hours (45 minutes active). Servings: 16.*

#### For the dough:

- 1 cup warm milk
- 1/2 cup granulated sugar
- Zest of 1 lemon
- 4 eggs, room temperature
- 2 egg yolks, room temperature
- 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter, room temperature
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1 tablespoon instant or fast-acting yeast
- 5 to 6 cups all-purpose flour

#### For the filling:

- 1/2 cup raisins
- 4 ounces cream cheese
- 1/2 cup dark brown sugar
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour
- 2 teaspoons cinnamon
- 1/2 cup chopped toasted pecans

#### For the decoration:

- 3 cups powdered sugar
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- Purple, green and gold colored sugars



Topped with the colors of Mardi Gras, a slice of king cake will give you a bit of the annual New Orleans celebration right in your own home.

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In the bowl of a stand mixer fitted with a dough hook, combine the milk, sugar, zest, eggs, egg yolks and butter.

With the mixer running on the lowest setting, add the nutmeg, salt, yeast and 5 cups of the flour. Mix until a dough comes together. If the dough is too dry, add a tablespoon of water; if it is too wet, add a couple tablespoons of flour. The dough should be soft and slightly sticky.

Increase the mixer speed to 2 and knead for 4 to 5 minutes, or until the dough is smooth and elastic. Cover and allow to rise until doubled, about 1 hour.

Meanwhile, make the filling. In a small saucepan, combine the raisins and enough water to cover. Bring to a boil over medium-high. Remove from the heat and let soak for 15 minutes. Drain the raisins, then transfer them to a kitchen towel and pat dry.

In a food processor, combine the raisins, cream cheese, brown sugar, flour

and cinnamon. Pulse together until combined, then add the pecans and pulse just until incorporated.

When the dough has risen, coat a baking sheet with cooking spray.

Turn the dough out onto a lightly floured surface. Roll into a long rectangle, about 22-by-14-inches.

Spread the filling over the surface of the dough, leaving a 2-inch border along the edges. Roll the dough up into a tight log starting with one of the long sides. Pinch the seam shut and turn until the seam is on the bottom.

Move the log onto the prepared baking sheet. Insert one end of the log into the other end to form a ring. Loosely cover and allow to rise until puffy and almost doubled in size, about 1 hour. Toward the end of the rising time, heat the oven to 350 degrees.

Bake the cake for 45 to 55 minutes, or until golden and cooked through. Transfer

to a wire rack to cool.

To make the icing, in a medium bowl stir together the powdered sugar and lemon juice until smooth. Drizzle over the top of the cooled king cake. Immediately sprinkle with the colored sugars before the icing begins to harden.

*Per serving: 437 calories; 118 calories from fat (27 percent of total calories); 13 g fat (6 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 104 mg cholesterol; 74 g carbohydrate; 8 g protein; 2 g fiber; 290 mg sodium.*

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# A lighter take on chicken Parmesan

By **Stephanie Witt Sedgwick**  
Special to The Washington Post

This is my take on chicken Parmesan: a lighter, fresher version of the classic dish. Canned chopped tomatoes form the base of a quick sauce enlivened with onions, garlic, balsamic vinegar and fresh basil. I broil the cutlets and save my calories for a fresh mozzarella topping.

I use Pomi brand chopped tomatoes, but feel free to use what you like best.

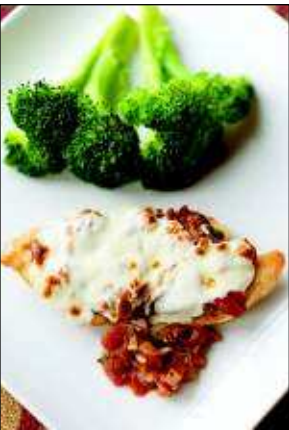
## MOZZARELLA-TOPPED SCALLOPPINE WITH RUSTIC TOMATO SAUCE

4 servings

- Four 4-ounce, thin-skinned skinless chicken cutlets
- Salt
- Freshly ground black pepper
- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 small onion, cut into very small dice (3/4 cup)
- 2 medium cloves garlic, finely chopped
- 1 cup canned chopped tomatoes
- 2 teaspoons balsamic vinegar, or to taste
- 1/2 teaspoon sugar, or to taste
- 6 large basil leaves, rolled together tightly, then cut into thin strips (chiffonade)
- 4 ounces fresh mozzarella cheese, cut into 1/4-inch-thick slices

Season the chicken cutlets with salt and pepper to taste and place in a shallow dish. Drizzle 2 tablespoons of the oil over the cutlets; turn to evenly coat. Let sit for 15 minutes.

Meanwhile, heat the remaining tablespoon of oil in a medium saucepan over



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medium-high heat. Add the onion and a pinch of salt; reduce the heat to medium and cook for 7 to 8 minutes, until the onion is soft but not browned.

Add the garlic and cook for 3 to 4 minutes, adjusting the heat so the onion-garlic mixture does not brown. Add the tomatoes, vinegar and the sugar and pepper to taste. Cook, stirring every 1 to 2 minutes, for 10 minutes. Taste, and adjust the seasoning as needed. Stir in the basil.

Position the top oven rack 4 to 6 inches from the broiler element; preheat the broiler. Line a baking sheet with aluminum foil.

Arrange the chicken in a single layer on the foil-lined baking sheet. Broil, turning once, for 5 to 8 minutes, until the chicken is cooked through.

Spoon the tomato mixture over each cutlet, then top each one with equal amounts of the mozzarella. Broil for 2 to 3 minutes or until the cheese melts and just starts to brown.

Transfer to individual plates; serve hot.

*Per serving: 230 calories, 31 g protein, 6 g carbohydrates, 9 g fat, 3 g saturated fat, 80 mg cholesterol, 450 mg sodium, 1 g dietary fiber, 4 g sugar.*

# A Mardi Gras makeover for a basic bean burrito

By **Jim Romanoff**  
For The Associated Press

One of the many appealing things about a burrito is that an often surprising range of ingredients can be rolled up into a complete meal in a single package.

But other less desirable surprises also can lurk inside burritos, especially extra fat and calories you may not have bargained for.

These Creole-style burritos are inspired by the flavors of the Gulf coast, take only about 35 minutes to make, and are built with ingredients that will make your Fat Tuesday celebration a little less fattening.

First off, they're vegetarian, eliminating one of the chief culprits behind gut-busting burritos — fatty meat fillings like ground beef or pork.

Here, red beans and rice, a Louisiana favorite, bring the heft and some protein to the party. The recipe calls for a convenient boxed rice and beans mix, but you can use homemade, especially if you're looking to cut down on the sodium (though you may want to use a bit more Cajun seasoning to keep the flavors popping).

Vegetables make up the rest of this Mardi Gras-inspired wrap. Again, for convenience we call for a packaged frozen pepper and onion stir-fry mix, but if you have the time, you can fry up your own.

A handful of baby spinach adds more color and nutrients and is a healthy switch from the typical iceberg lettuce that's often found in this kind of dish.

And of course, no burrito would be complete without some cheese. We've kept things light by blending full-flavored, full-fat pepper jack cheese with some lower calorie reduced-fat cheddar. Last, but not least, we wrap everything up in a whole-wheat tortilla.



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These red bean burritos use the flavors of the Gulf coast to give you a hint of Mardi Gras in a healthy, easy-to-make meal.

When it comes to wraps you need to choose carefully because tortillas vary widely in nutrition. A flour tortilla can have as few as 100 calories and about 1 gram of fat, or as many as 400 calories and 12 grams of fat.

## CREOLE-STYLE BURRITOS

An 8-ounce box of red beans and rice mix will make about double the amount needed to fill these burritos. You can either make half the box (you will need to adjust the package cooking times and reduce the amount of broth used) or serve the excess on the side. Start to finish: 35 minutes (15 minutes active). Servings: 6.

- 8-ounce package red beans and rice mix
- 3 cups low-sodium chicken broth
- 1 cup grated pepper jack cheese
- 1 cup grated reduced-fat cheddar cheese
- 16-ounce package frozen pepper and onion stir-fry mix, thawed
- 1/2 teaspoon Cajun seasoning
- 6 burrito-size whole-grain tortillas
- 2 cups fresh baby spinach
- 3/4 cup salsa

Heat the oven to 350

# Elegant, quick dinner in 40 minutes

By **Bonnie S. Benwick**  
The Washington Post

Surprisingly creamy and satisfying, this vegan soup is elegant enough to serve as a first course at any dinner party. But this is midweek, so it will fill the bill for quick meal tonight.

Serve with crusty bread and a salad of bibb lettuce, Belgian endive, orange or tangerine sections and a citrusy vinaigrette. Adapted from "Appetite for Reduction," by Isa Chandra Moskowitz (Da Capo Lifelong, 2011).

## CAULIFLOWER PESTO SOUP

4 servings

- 1 teaspoon olive oil, plus more for drizzling
- 4 medium cloves garlic
- 1 head (about 1 pound) cauliflower
- 4 cups vegetable broth
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Freshly ground black pepper
- 1 tablespoon arrowroot powder
- 2 tablespoons pine nuts
- 1 cup loosely packed basil leaves, plus more for garnish

Heat the oil in a large pot over medium heat.

Meanwhile, mince the garlic. Discard the cauliflower leaves and core, then cut the head into same-size pieces (they will be pureed, so don't worry about how carefully you chop. You do want them roughly the same size so they will cook evenly.)

Add the garlic to the oil and cook for about a minute, stirring, then add the cauliflower, 3 cups of the broth, the salt and several grinds of pepper. Increase the heat to medium-high and bring to a boil; cover and cook for 10 to 12 minutes or until the cauliflower is tender.



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While it is cooking, whisk together the remaining cup of broth and the arrowroot powder in a measuring cup until well combined. Toast the pine nuts in a small, dry skillet over low heat for about 4 minutes, stirring,

until they are fragrant and lightly browned. Remove from the heat.

Reduce the heat under the cauliflower to medium-low, uncover and stir in the arrowroot mixture; cook uncovered for 5 minutes. Add



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all but a few of the basil leaves and remove from the heat.

Use an immersion (stick) blender to puree until smooth. (Or, working in batches, puree in a blender with the center knob of the lid removed and a dish towel placed over the top, to allow steam to escape.) Taste, and adjust the seasoning as needed.

Divide among individual soup bowls. Tear the few remaining basil leaves and use some to garnish each portion, then drizzle with a little oil and sprinkle with the toasted pine nuts. Serve hot.

*Per serving: 110 calories, 5 g protein, 16 g carbohydrates, 4 g fat, 0 g saturated fat, 0 mg cholesterol, 690 mg sodium, 4 g dietary fiber, 7 g sugar.*

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This cross between a beef stroganoff and a quick stew checks in at only 270 calories per serving.

# Eat lighter with this flexible recipe

By Stephanie Witt Sedgwick  
Special to The Washington Post

This is a cross between a traditional beef stroganoff and a quick-cooking stew, with plenty of room for adjustment: Add extra mustard, use fewer herbs, go with more red wine and less beef broth, or skip the brandy and use more broth. Consider the recipe a starting point.

If you can find tenderloin tips (trimmings from beef tenderloin), use them. They're less expensive than center-cut filet and are just as good for this recipe.

Serve over egg noodles.

## TENDERLOIN TIPS WITH MUSHROOMS AND HERBS

4 servings

- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 12 ounces beef tenderloin tips, cut into 1/2-inch cubes
- Salt
- Freshly ground black pepper
- 1 small onion, finely chopped (3/4 cup)
- 12 ounces cremini or white mushrooms, stemmed and cut into 3/4-inch pieces
- 1/2 cup dry red wine
- 3/4 cup low-sodium beef broth
- 1 tablespoon Dijon-style mustard
- 2 tablespoons brandy
- 2 teaspoons cornstarch
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh dill
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley

**Heat 1 tablespoon** of the oil in a large skillet or shallow braising pan over medium-high heat. Add half of the tenderloin cubes; season with salt and pepper to taste. Cook for 3 to 4 minutes, stirring after they have browned on the first side, so the cubes lose their raw look and brown a bit; they will not be cooked through. Use a slotted spoon to transfer to a plate. Repeat

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# Tuna with satisfying crunch

By Bonnie S. Benwick  
The Washington Post

Millet grits is not a usual household pantry ingredient, and it's just an option in the coating for the chunks of tuna in this recipe. But the combination of toasted millet and sesame seeds gives the tuna a nutty, satisfying crunch, and much of this dish is about its blend of textures.

You can buy just the amount of millet you need in a grocery store's bulk grains/nuts aisle, or just substitute more sesame seeds.

You'll need eight 6-inch metal or bamboo skewers; if using the latter, soak them in warm water for 5 to 10 minutes while you prep the ingredients.

Serve with instant brown rice and steamed broccoli. Adapted from "American Dietetic Association Easy Gluten-Free," by Tricia Thompson and Marlisa Brown (Wiley, 2010).

## TUNA AND PINEAPPLE KEBABS

4 servings

- 2 tablespoons millet grits
- 3 tablespoons roasted or plain white sesame seeds
- 2 tablespoons wheat-free tamari or low-sodium soy sauce
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 tablespoon light brown sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon sesame oil
- 1 tablespoon cider vinegar
- Leaves from 1/2 small bunch (1/2 ounce) mint
- 2 vine-ripened tomatoes



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- or small red bell peppers
- 1/2 medium red onion
- 1/2 fresh peeled, cored pineapple
- 1 pound fresh tuna fillet

**Toast the millet grits** (with the sesame seeds, if using non-roasted) in a dry skillet over medium-low heat for 3 or 4 minutes, until fragrant and beginning to brown. Transfer to a large piece of wax paper or plastic wrap and cool.

While the seeds are cool-

ing, combine the tamari or soy sauce, garlic powder, brown sugar, sesame oil and cider vinegar in a medium glass bowl to form a dressing. Preheat the oven to 375 degrees. Line a rimmed baking sheet with aluminum foil or have a broiler pan at hand. Drain the soaking bamboo skewers, if using.

Finely chop the mint and add half of it to the dressing. Cut the tomatoes or red bell peppers into 1 1/2-inch pieces. Peel the onion and cut

it into quarters. Cut the pineapple into 1-inch pieces. Cut the tuna into 2-inch chunks.

Roll the tuna chunks in the toasted seeds, coating on all sides. Build 8 skewers, alternating the pieces of tuna, pineapple, tomato or red bell pepper and onion as desired, placing them on the lined baking sheet or broiler pan as you work. Pour the dressing evenly over the kebabs. Roast for 10 to 12 minutes or until the tuna is done to your liking. The tomatoes and pineapple will have softened; the red bell pepper and red onion will still be fairly crisp.

Place two skewers on each plate; sprinkle with the remaining mint. Serve immediately.

*Per serving: 210 calories, 28 g protein, 17 g carbohydrates, 3 g fat, 0 g saturated fat, 55 mg cholesterol, 400 mg sodium, 4 g dietary fiber, 10 g sugar.*

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# Cracking the code for a great brown rice risotto

By J.M. Hirsch  
Associated Press writer

I've always resisted making risotto part of my regular dinner rotation.

And it's not a time factor. Though risotto has a reputation for being laborious, the reality is that it can be mostly painless and totally week-night friendly. My reluctance mostly stems from all that white rice and fat, the combination of which generally doom the dish to being a sometimes treat.

Over the years I've tried various techniques for making brown rice risottos, but always with disappointing results, even using brown sushi rice. It's a problem of starches. Brown rice doesn't release nearly the volume of starch that white rice does. And risotto's signature creamy goodness relies on lots of starch.

Brown rice also is agonizingly slow to cook, at least using traditional stovetop risotto cooking methods.

Pondering this recently, I wondered: Why not simply add starch? And why not partially cook the rice before trying to turn it into risotto?

Both hunches paid off. I boiled some long grain brown rice until it was just nearly cooked, then used it in an otherwise conventional risotto recipe (adding the rice to a saute of onions, then adding white wine, chicken broth and Parmesan cheese). The rice texture was perfect, though on a second attempt with starchier brown sushi rice proved even better.

For the starch, I simply added 1/2

tablespoon of cornstarch (mixed with 1 tablespoon of water) right at the end. The result was perfect.

The other beauty of a brown rice risotto is that it actually is more forgiving than when using the more traditional white arborio rice. When using white rice, you can easily overcook the risotto and end up with porridge. Brown rice retains a firm texture much longer.

For extra flavor and color, I added sauteed mushrooms and red bell peppers, though you certainly could substitute the vegetables of your choice. I also liked finishing the dish with a drizzle of truffle-flavored olive oil, though that's obviously a flourish easily ignored.

Finally, a way to feel good about serving risotto as often as you like.

## CREAMY BROWN RICE RISOTTO

*Start to finish: 40 minutes (20 minutes active). Servings: 4.*

1 cup short grain brown rice (or brown sushi rice)  
2 cups water  
1/2 tablespoon olive oil  
1 medium yellow onion, finely diced  
12 ounces mixed mushrooms, thinly sliced  
1/2 cup white wine  
1 red bell pepper, cored and thinly sliced  
1 1/2 cups chicken broth, room temperature  
1/2 tablespoon cornstarch mixed

with 1 tablespoon water

1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese  
Salt and ground black pepper, to taste

Truffle-flavored olive oil (optional)

**In a medium saucepan** over medium-high, combine the rice and water. Bring to a boil, then cover, reduce heat to simmer and cook for 20 minutes.

Remove the pan from the heat, leaving it covered. The rice will not be completely cooked and there will be some water in the pan. Set aside.

In a large skillet over medium-high, heat the oil. Add the onion and mushrooms, then saute until just starting to brown, about 3 to 4 minutes. Add the wine and stir vigorously for 1 to 2 minutes to deglaze the pan. When the wine comes to a simmer, add the bell pepper and the rice along with any liquid in the pan. Stir well.

Add the chicken broth and stir well. Bring to a simmer and cook, stirring frequently to prevent sticking, until the liquid has thickened and reduced, about 10 minutes. Stir in the cornstarch mixture, then cook for another minute. Stir in the cheese until melted. Season with salt and pepper. If desired, drizzle with truffle oil just before serving.

*Per serving: 332 calories; 66 calories from fat (20 percent of total calories); 7 g fat (2 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 10 mg cholesterol; 47 g carbohydrate; 13 g protein; 4 g fiber; 728 mg sodium.*



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For extra flavor and color, you can add sauteed mushrooms and bell peppers to this risotto, or substitute with vegetables of your choice.

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# NZ earthquake death toll at 75 as search continues

By Kristen Gelineau  
Associated Press

CHRISTCHURCH, New Zealand — Rescuers used their bare hands, dogs, and heavy machines Wednesday in an urgent search for survivors still trapped in crumbled buildings more than 24 hours after an earthquake devastated one of New Zealand’s largest cities.

The confirmed death toll from Tuesday’s magnitude-6.3 quake rose to 75, and officials said it was almost sure to climb further. Some 300 people were listed as missing.

Cheers broke out when an emergency team pulled a woman from the twisted metal and shattered concrete of one of the worst-hit buildings in Christchurch, while police announced they had lost all hope of finding survivors in another major wreckage.

Parts of the city of 350,000 people lay in ruins, and all corners of it were suffering cuts to water supplies, power and phones.

The city was virtually shut down Wednesday, and police announced a nighttime curfew in a cordoned-off area of downtown saying buildings were at risk of crumbling in the aftershocks still rumbling through the city. Anyone on streets after 6:30 p.m. would be arrested, police said.

Prime Minister John Key declared a national state of emergency as hundreds of soldiers, police and other emergency workers — including specialist teams from the U.S. and other



New Zealand Herald/AP photo

Rescue workers climb onto the collapsed Pyne Gould Guinness Building in central Christchurch, New Zealand, Tuesday. At least 75 people died and dozens were trapped in collapsed buildings in one of the country’s worst natural disasters.

countries — rushed to Christchurch as aftershocks continued to strike the area.

One of the city’s tallest buildings, the 27-floor Hotel Grand Chancellor, was in imminent danger of collapsing, with one corner having sunk lower in the ground and the facade showing major buckling, Fire Service commander Mike Hall said.

Authorities emptied the building and evacuated a two-block radius, holding back residents with a police rope. Real estate salesman David Rankin, 50, stood gazing at the hotel where he said he was supposed to be

having a lunch meeting.

Rankin said he was amazed by the ubiquitous ruins and dust unleashed by the quake, “like a war zone, like a bomb had gone off.”

The immediate focus was on about a dozen buildings downtown where finding survivors was still a possibility. In other places, rubble was being left untouched — even if bodies were thought buried there — until the urgency of the survivor search passes.

Rescuers pulled Ann Bodkin free from the debris of the Pyne Gould Guinness building, where she was quickly reunited with her

husband who had anxiously watched the painstaking rescue.

Giant sunbeams burst through the grey, drizzly weather as she emerged from the wreckage, prompting one official to say, “They got Ann out of the building and God turned on the lights,” Mayor Bob Parker recalled moments after Bodkin was whisked to safety.

In contrast, the mood was dismal near the smoldering remains of the Canterbury Television building, where brother and sister Kent and Lizzy Manning sat on a rain-sodden patch of grass

Wednesday waiting for news of their mother, Donna, a television presenter who they hadn’t heard from since the quake.

“My mum is super-woman, she’d do anything,” said Lizzy Manning, 18, with tears running down her face.

At that moment, a police official knelt down beside the pair.

“I have some horrible news ...,” the officer began, before telling the siblings that there was no hope for anyone left trapped inside the building.

The siblings bowed their heads and wept. Their fa-

ther rushed over and enclosed them in an embrace.

Officials pointed thermal cameras into the wreckage, and sniffer dogs clambered on top looking for signs of life. Officials at one point said they believed they had found a pocket of at least 15 people buried alive in one building — but the report turned out to be false.

Parker, the Christchurch mayory, said early Wednesday that 120 people were rescued from wrecked buildings as teams worked through the night, while more bodies were also recovered. About 300 people were still unaccounted for, but this did not mean they were all still trapped, he said.

Some survivors emerged without a scratch, while others had to have a limb amputated before they could be freed.

“There are bodies littering the streets, they are trapped in cars, crushed under rubble and where they are clearly deceased our focus ... has turned to the living,” police Superintendent Russell Gibson said.

Military units patrolled near-empty streets disfigured by the huge cracks and canyons created in Tuesday’s earthquake, the second powerful temblor to hit the city in five months. The quake toppled the spire of the city’s historic stone cathedral and flattened tall buildings.

Parker said an unknown number of people, possibly 20 or more, were believed to have been inside the cathedral tower — climbing it was a popular activity for tourists.

## Gadhafi defiant as defectors plead for U.S. intervention

By Hannah Allam, Jonathan S. Landay and Margaret Talev  
McClatchy Newspapers

TOBRUK, Libya — Libyan dictator Moammar Gadhafi, vowing to “die as a martyr,” exhorted loyalists Tuesday to help him crush a rebellion even as top-level defections splintered the regime. New atrocity allegations emerged, including an effort to bury alive scores of protesters and soldiers who refused to shoot civilians.

Libya’s interior minister, top military officers and senior diplomats joined a growing chorus of former officials calling for Gadhafi’s overthrow over what residents described as wholesale shootings of protesters and bystanders in the capital, Tripoli, by security forces and mercenaries backed by tanks and aircraft.

“I hereby announce that I have abandoned all my duties to respond to the February 17 revolution,” Interior Minister Abdel Fattah Younes al Abidi declared in an interview with

Al-Jazeera. “I urge the Libyan army to . . . serve the people and support the February 17 revolution.”

The seventh day of the insurrection against the Middle East’s longest ruling dictator was fraught with confusion and rumors. Communications to the outside world remained restricted to incoming calls, and Internet service was intermittent.

Residents in the eastern city of Benghazi, and a drive by a McClatchy correspondent from the Egyptian border to the port city of Tobruk, indicated that all of Libya’s eastern wing along the Gulf of Sidra was controlled by tribal leaders, armed citizens and police and troops in revolt against the regime.

Hundreds of people are believed to have died and thousands injured in the insurrection, by far the most violent of the uprisings ignited in the oil-rich region by the December self-immolation of a jobless Tunisian man that ousted the leaders of Tunisia and Egypt.

## NYC detective who caught Son of Sam in 1970s dies

NEW YORK (AP) — Edward Zigo, the New York City detective who cracked the notorious Son of Sam case in the 1970s by acting on a hunch about a parking ticket and arrested killer David Berkowitz, has died. He was 84.

Zigo died Saturday of cancer at his Lynbrook, N.Y. home surrounded by his family, his wife, Eileen Brunelli-Zigo, said Tuesday.

“I have to tell you,” his wife said, “he was a man in every sense of the word. Strong. Brave. Kind.”

Zigo retired from the NYPD in 1982, and his career became the stuff of legend. His family recalls tales of his detective work with awe and pride. He parlayed his knowledge into a second

career working on TV and film projects about the story and other crime tales. He even had bit parts in some movies.

“My father was a sort of reluctant hero,” said his son, Edward Zigo III, of Washington, D.C. “He never wanted to grab the headlines. And more than a police hero, he was really just a person who inspired young people to want to do good things. And inspire them for all the right reasons.”

It all started back in the sweltering summer of 1977.

Over 13 months in 1976 and 1977, the self-proclaimed Son of Sam had taken responsibility for a string of handgun assaults that left seven young people dead and seven others critically wounded.

## OBITUARIES

### Marie ‘Dolly’ Estella McClain

Feb. 7, 1932-Feb. 21-2011

HANSEN — Marie “Dolly” Estella McClain, 79, of Hansen, passed away February 21, 2011, with her loving husband and family by her side.

She was born Feb. 7, 1932. Dolly was raised and attended school in Twin Falls and resided there until her marriage to Robert McClain on Aug. 21, 1949. Dolly moved to Hazelton with Bob, where they farmed and ranched for the next 38 years. They then moved to Hansen in 1987, where she resided until the time of her passing. Prior to her children being born, Dolly was an LPN working in the Maternity Ward of the Twin Falls Hospital. Dolly enjoyed camping and fishing with her family and took great pride in making beautiful ceramics. She loved to play pinochle with her family and friends. Dolly had a special gift of growing beautiful flowers. Dolly was an amazing cook and always took extra care to add her special ingredient to each dish she made, “Love.” By far her greatest love and accomplishment was caring for her husband, Bob, and raising her loving children and grandchildren.

Surviving are her husband,



Robert McClain of Hansen; sons, Ron (Olive) McClain of Boise, Ed (Julie) McClain of Arvada, Colo., and Dan (Sheila) McClain of Buhl; along with seven grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren. Dolly was preceded in death by her parents, John and Ruby Jordon; two sisters, Doramae Looney and Hazel Pepper; and one brother, Earl Jordon.

She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

The family will receive guests at a visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, at Parke’s Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 25, at Parke’s Magic Valley Funeral Home. Interment will follow at the Sunset Memorial Park. People may leave condolences at [www.magicvalleyfuneral-home.com](http://www.magicvalleyfuneral-home.com).

### Ethel ‘Cookie’ Ogden

July 22, 1941-Feb. 21, 2011

GOODING — Ethel “Cookie” Ogden passed away peacefully Monday, Feb. 21, 2011, at the North Canyon Medical Center in Gooding. She had struggled with COPD for the past five years and succumbed to that long-term illness due to symptoms caused by influenza.

Cookie was born July 22, 1941, in Hibbing, Minn., to Amos and Leona Birdsall. Amos was always on the go and worked moving from farm to farm with his wife and children in places including Oregon, California and Texas. Once the growing season was over, they always went “home” to Minnesota. Singing and playing guitar were one of Cookie’s talents that she developed while growing up in her large family of eight siblings.

In 2010, due to her illness, Cookie moved into Bennett Hills Care and Rehab in Gooding, Idaho. It wasn’t long until the other residents, and especially the staff, grew to love her outlook and happy approach to life. She made sure she told



everyone that you don’t need anyone else to make you happy, and the last 20 years of her life were the happiest.

Cookie will be missed greatly by her children, Terry (Eilleen) Frazer of Sandpoint and Jayme Scott of Bakersfield, Calif.; her grandchildren, Robbie Frazer of Coeur d’Alene, Brodie Scott of Bakersfield, Calif., and Gracie Scott of Northwood, N.D. She will also be missed by her niece and nephew, Renee and Pete Orth of Gooding, and their children, Austin and Andrea. We spent many days together enjoying living life, and you will always be with us in our hearts. Cookie was preceded in death by her parents, Amos and Leona Birdsall; and all of her siblings, Irvan, Dick, Sonny, Sis, Nooks, Bezil and Bitsy.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, Demaray Funeral Service Gooding Chapel. Refreshments and fellowship will follow at the home of Pete and Renee Orth, 530 Colorado St. in Gooding.

## SERVICES

**LeFawn Ottley** of Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Hansen-Payne Mortuary, 321 E. Main St. in Burley; visitation one hour before the funeral at the mortuary.

**Porfirio (Pete) Flores III** of Las Cruces, N.M., and formerly of Murtaugh, service at 11 a.m., with visitation from 10 to 11 a.m. today in Las Cruces, N.M. (Baca’s Funeral Chapels in Las Cruces, N.M.)

**Verl Smith Okelberry** of Oakley, funeral at 1 p.m. today at the Oakley LDS Stake Center; visitation from noon to 12:45 p.m. today at the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

**Waketta Lee Rasmussen Horejs** of Pocatello, service at 2 p.m. today at Parke’s Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls (Wilks Funeral Home in Chubbuck).

**Wanda Foster** of Buhl,

celebration of life from 6 to 8 p.m. with life sketch at 7 p.m. today at the Twin Falls Center for the Arts, 195 River Vista Place (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

**Joslynn Dawn Murphy** of Twin Falls, funeral at 2 p.m. Thursday at White Mortuary, 136 Fourth Ave. E. in Twin Falls; visitation from 5 to 8 p.m. today at the mortuary.

**Larry Dean Houser** of Twin Falls, funeral at 3 p.m. Thursday at Parke’s Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. today at the mortuary.

**Peggy Ann Todd** of Holliester, celebration of life at 2 p.m. today at the Rock Creek Community Church in Twin Falls (Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

**Betty Marie Wilson** of Boise and formerly of Twin Falls, graveside service at 10

a.m. Friday at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Parke’s Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Rd., Twin Falls.

**Angelina Nevarez** of Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church, 2262 Hiland Ave. in Burley; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley.

**Pauline Worley Harper Boyd** of Mountain Home, funeral at 11 a.m. Friday at the Rost Funeral Home McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home; burial at 2 p.m. Friday at the West End Cemetery in Buhl.

**Thomas P. Mahan** of Jerome, service at 11 a.m. Saturday at St. Jerome’s Catholic Church, 216 Second Ave. E. in Jerome; brief

graveside service follows at the Jerome Cemetery; reception at 1 p.m. at the Jerome Senior Citizen Center, 520 N. Lincoln Ave. (Farnsworth Mortuary in Jerome).

**Megan Charlene McKee** of Bozeman, Mont., and formerly of Twin Falls, 11 a.m. today at the LDS 6th Ward Church, 667 Harrison St. in Twin Falls; visitation at 10 a.m. today at the church (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

**Theodore E. Leidenfrost** of Moscow, memorial service at 2 p.m. Saturday at Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Moscow.

**L. Cline Mink** of Gooding, celebration of life at 2 p.m. Saturday at the First Christian Church in Gooding (Demaray Funeral Service Gooding Chapel).

See more obituaries on Food 8



## Robert Miller

May 21, 1926–Feb. 19, 2011

Robert Miller, 84, of Twin Falls, Idaho, died Saturday, Feb. 19, 2011, at the Twin Falls Care Center.

Robert was born May 21, 1926, in Chicago, Ill., to Robert Crozier Miller and Margaret Witzel. He grew up in Chicago until about age 15, after which he soon joined the military and served in the Air Force until the late 1950s. Robert served his military time as a photographer and correspondent. Following his discharge, he spent a short time in Honolulu, Hawaii, and then moved to and spent most of his life in San Diego, Calif.

Robert was a longtime recovering alcoholic, where he spent many years and countless hours serving at AA and counseling and supporting hundreds of struggling alcoholics. For many years, he also worked as a technical writer in computer technology. In 2005, Robert moved to Twin Falls. He very faithfully cared for his ailing brother, Richard, until Richard's death in 2007. Having joined the LDS Church in 1997, Robert also served his faith in many capacities and had a special interest in genealogy, spending many enjoyable hours at the Family History Center in Twin Falls.

The computer was also a

special passion in his later years.

Robert is survived by five daughters, Linda Smith and Cathy Armitage, both of California, Susanna Bowser of Utah, and Margo Magness and Martha Kemp, both of Twin Falls. He is also survived by 13 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Robert was preceded in death by his beloved mother, Margaret; his wife, Phyllis Fortuin Miller; and his two brothers, David Miller and Richard Miller.

Robert's life will be celebrated in a funeral service at 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints 11th Ward chapel, 680 Hankins Road in Twin Falls, with Bishop Adam Hodges conducting. Entombment will follow at the Reflection of History Mausoleum at Sunset Memorial Park.

The family suggests that memorial contributions be given in Robert's name to the Perpetual Education Fund for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Donations may be given to funeral chapel staff or mailed to Reynolds Funeral Chapel, P.O. Box 1142 Twin Falls, ID 83303-1142.

Condolences may be left for the family by visiting [www.reynoldschapel.com](http://www.reynoldschapel.com).

## Edward Dwight Fiegenbaum

July 27, 1919–Feb. 15, 2011

BOTHELL, Wash. — Ed passed away with his family at his side.

Although his actual birth was in Walla Walla, Wash., he was there only for the birth. He spent his young life in Wendell, Idaho. His father was Rudolph Fiegenbaum, who was the local justice of the peace at the time. Rudolph was also a ditch rider in Wendell. His mother was Bertha Preas Fiegenbaum. After graduating from Wendell High School, Edward raised crops and animals to finance his education at the University of Idaho. He was an active member of the Methodist Church. After college, he moved to Seattle, Wash., met and married his wife,

Phyllis King Fiegenbaum.

Ed worked for the shipyards and Boeing in Seattle, Wash. He built his own home on forested land that he bought and cleared of trees in Bothell, Wash. Ed and Phyllis had one son, Tim. He raised his family in Bothell, Wash. He belonged to several singing groups in the Bothell area, and was singing until the end. He, Lois and Tim sang Happy Birthday to his nephew, Rod Biser, just two days before his death.

Ed is survived by his son, Tim; his sister, Lois Fiegenbaum Biser; and two grandchildren, Chris and Lisa Fiegenbaum.

A service was held Feb. 15 in Bothell, Wash.

## John Peterson

May 21, 1944–Feb. 19, 2011

John Peterson departed Saturday, Feb. 19, 2011, with his family and friends by his side after a long battle with Lou Gehrig's disease.

John was born May 21, 1944, to Robert and Annie Peterson in Hailey, Idaho; he had an older brother, Bob Peterson. He grew up in Gannett, Idaho, and attended school in Bellevue, Hailey and Twin Falls. He later attended the College of Southern Idaho and graduated with an associate of applied science degree in welding technology. John and Rita were married July 21, 1978, in Filer, Idaho. They combined their families and raised four children together; John had two sons and Rita had a son and a daughter.

John owned his own welding business after working several other jobs. He built several hydroelectric plants and loved building pontoon boats. He became the welding instructor at the College of Southern Idaho in 2000, teaching all the students was one of his biggest rewards in life. John loved to fly ultralights, fish, hunt and do metal art. Family gatherings and friends were special to him.

John is survived by Rita Peterson (wife) of Filer; John K. Peterson (son) of Rupert; Dennis Peterson (son) of Rupert; Tonia (Ernie) Huber

(daughter) of Filer; Shawn (Heather) Kuest (son) of Twin Falls; Fern Haines (mother-in-law) of Filer; Robert Peterson (brother) of Pocatello; and Joyia Lovell of Twin Falls.

John had six grandchildren, Josh, Kylee, Chelsey, Jaden, Jayleen and Aaron. He also had one great-grandchild, Orion. John was preceded in death by Robert Peterson (father); Annie Peterson (mother); and Rod Berry (father-in-law).

We would like to give special thanks to Kris Hottel, you are one in a million. Many thanks to Laurell, Jeanne, Mindy and John; I love and miss you so much, along with all your family and friends that have been so loyal to the both of us. You will live in all our hearts forever.

A visitation will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 25, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. The funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, with a graveside service following at Filer.

Memories and condolences may be shared at [www.magicvalleyfuneral-home.com](http://www.magicvalleyfuneral-home.com). In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made at Key Bank, 103 Main Ave. E. in Twin Falls, in care of Rita S. Peterson.

## Raymond G. Rangel

Oct. 11, 1947–Feb. 19, 2011

BURLEY — Raymond Gonzales Rangel, age 63, of Burley, died Saturday, Feb. 19, 2011, at his home.

He was born Oct. 11, 1947, in Rector, Ark., the son of Damacio S. and Paulita Gonzales Rangel. He was a veteran of the Vietnam Conflict, serving in the United States Army. He farmed, worked in construction, painted and was a mechanic. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, drawing and doing mechanical work. Raymond was a member of the Catholic Church. He was a beloved father and friend to us all. A grandfather at his best, he will be greatly missed because he was loved by us all.

He is survived by his children, Guadalupe P. Rangel of Boise, Jesse P. Rangel of Seattle, Wash., Raymond P. Rangel of Boise, Aurelia Rangel Hinojosa of Nampa, Rosie Rangel Mota of Rupert, Diana Rangel of Reno, Nev., and Florinda Chavez of Boise; 27 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and his siblings, Margarita Gonzales of Burley, Maria Chavez of Buckeye, Ariz., Damacio Rangel Jr. of Burley and Guadalupe Rangel Jr. of Fresno, Calif. He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Guadalupe Rangel Sr. and Pablo Rangel Sr.

A vigil service will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday (this evening), Feb. 23, at the Little Flower Catholic Church, 1601 Oakley Ave. in Burley. The funeral Mass will be cel-



ebrated at 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, also at the Little Flower Catholic Church, with the Rev. Father Marcos Sanchez as celebrant. Burial will be in the Pleasant View Cemetery in Burley, with military rites provided by the Mini-Cassia Veterans Organization. Friends and family may call one hour prior to the vigil service Wednesday and one hour prior to the funeral Mass on Thursday at the church.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley.

## Betty Ann Robinette

June 23, 1925–Feb. 20, 2011

Betty Ann Robinette, 85, of Twin Falls, passed away Sunday, Feb. 20, 2011, at her home.

Betty was born in West Virginia on June 23, 1925. She stayed at home and took care of her parents until she met her husband, Luther Robinette, in 1954. He was a coal miner, causing them to move all over the country. Betty spent her life as a homemaker and she loved it. She took great pride in her home and in everything that she did. She was known for her kind heart and loving words. Her family was the most important part of her life.



She is survived by her children, Carol Robinette, Jerry Robinette, Ruth (Ray) Haken and Charollette Robinette. She has eight grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

A viewing will be held from 6 until 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24. A celebration of Betty's life will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, February 25th, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park" Burial will follow in the Twin Falls Cemetery.

To share a memory of Betty or to offer condolences to Betty's family, please visit [www.whitemortuary.com](http://www.whitemortuary.com).

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## DEATH NOTICES

### Conrad Ehresman

BUHL — Conrad Lee Ehresman, 68, of Buhl, died Monday, Feb. 21, 2011, at his home.

The funeral will be at 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 25, at the LDS Church on Fair Street in Buhl; visitation from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 24, at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl.

### Chris Carrico

GOODING — Chris Carrico, 20, of Gooding, died Monday, Feb. 21, 2011, at his residence.

Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service Gooding Chapel.

### Viola Tracy

MALTA — Viola Tracy, 91, of Malta, died Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2011, at Parke View Care and Rehabilitation.

Arrangements are pending and will be announced by Hansen Mortuary in Rupert.

### Timothy Lewis

KETCHUM — Timothy "Tim" Evan Lewis, 49, of Ketchum, died Friday, Feb. 18, 2011, in an automobile accident on Highway 75 south of Bellevue.

No service is planned. (Wood River Chapel in Hailey). Memories may be posted at <http://timothy-evan-lewis.last-memories.com>.

### Delila Young

SALMON — Delila Leone Young, 77, of Salmon, died Sunday, Feb. 20, 2011, at St. Patrick's Hospital in Mis-

soula, Mont., after a courageous battle with cancer.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Sacajawea Center in Salmon; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 25, at the Sacajawea Center in Salmon (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls).

### Bary Baughman

SHOSHONE — Bary Baughman, 62, of Shoshone, died Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2011, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service Shoshone Chapel.

### Opal Smith

Opal "Callie" Smith, 82, of Twin Falls, died Sunday, Feb. 20, 2011, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center.

Arrangements will be announced by White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

### Eva Stuart

Eva Stuart, 88, of Twin Falls, died Saturday, Feb. 19, 2011, at Bridgeview Estates in Twin Falls.

Arrangements will be announced by White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

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## James (Jim) Michael Parr

Jan. 23, 1955–Feb. 20, 2011

WENDELL — James (Jim) Michael Parr, age 56, of Wendell, died Sunday, Feb. 20, 2011, of an extended illness. He was surrounded by his family and his friends and pastor, Mike Hollomon, at the time of his death.

Jim was born Jan. 23, 1955, in Jerome, Idaho, to Bill and Mary Parr, 27 minutes ahead of his twin sister. They joined an older sister and brother. Jim attended school in Wendell, Idaho, starting in the first grade and graduating from Wendell High School in 1973. He worked for his father and uncle in the meat business at Parr's Lockers and later for his cousin, Rollin Parr. He also worked at Simerly's and Scarrow Meats. He lived in Wendell his entire life.

Jim was a member of the Wendell Fire Department for 33 years, where he was currently serving as captain, and enjoyed being part of the group very much. Jim also enjoyed fishing and hunting, going to the family cabin, watching wildlife and any family or group functions.

Jim is survived by his sister, Jane (Keith) Hill of Mackay; his brother, John Parr of Wendell, his twin sister, Pam (Charlie) Bogue; nephew, Matt (Wendy) Hill of Jerome; niece, Debbie (Ronnie) Schaeffer of Pocatello; great-niece, Hayley Hill; great-nephew, William Hill; many cousins and friends; and his extended family, the Wendell Fire Department. He was preceded in death by his parents.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 25, at the Wendell Methodist Church, with inurnment to follow at the Wendell Cemetery.

The family would like to extend heartfelt thanks to the doctors and nurses at the North Canyon Medical Center in Gooding and the Boise and Visions Hospice. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Vision's Hospice or the Wendell Fire Department.

Condolences may be shared with the family by visiting the obituary link at [www.demarayfuneralservice.com](http://www.demarayfuneralservice.com).



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*On behalf of Valdo Gray's family we would like to thank Alliance Homehealth and Hospice, his doctors, everyone for all the prayers, calls, cards, food and donations. He was a very special brother, uncle and friend. He will be missed by all of us. Sincere thanks from all of us, Lela Buckley, Kathleen Grandee, Ellen and Leroy Trader, Dora and Lee Estep, Ethel Peterson and Charles and Nancy Gray.*

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# Sanchez, Bruins earn state tourney berth

## Twin Falls ends Jerome's season

By David Bashore  
Times-News writer

JEROME — A junior guard for the Twin Falls boys basketball team carried the Bruins back to the state tournament Tuesday.  
No, not that one.  
Forget Robert Horry — the

Bruins have their own "Big Shot Bob." Robert Sanchez nailed six 3-pointers and scored a game-high 24 as Twin Falls edged Jerome 53-50 to qualify for the Class 4A state tournament and advance to the District IV championship game against Minico.  
"I missed my first shot, but after that it felt really good coming off my hand so



Sanchez

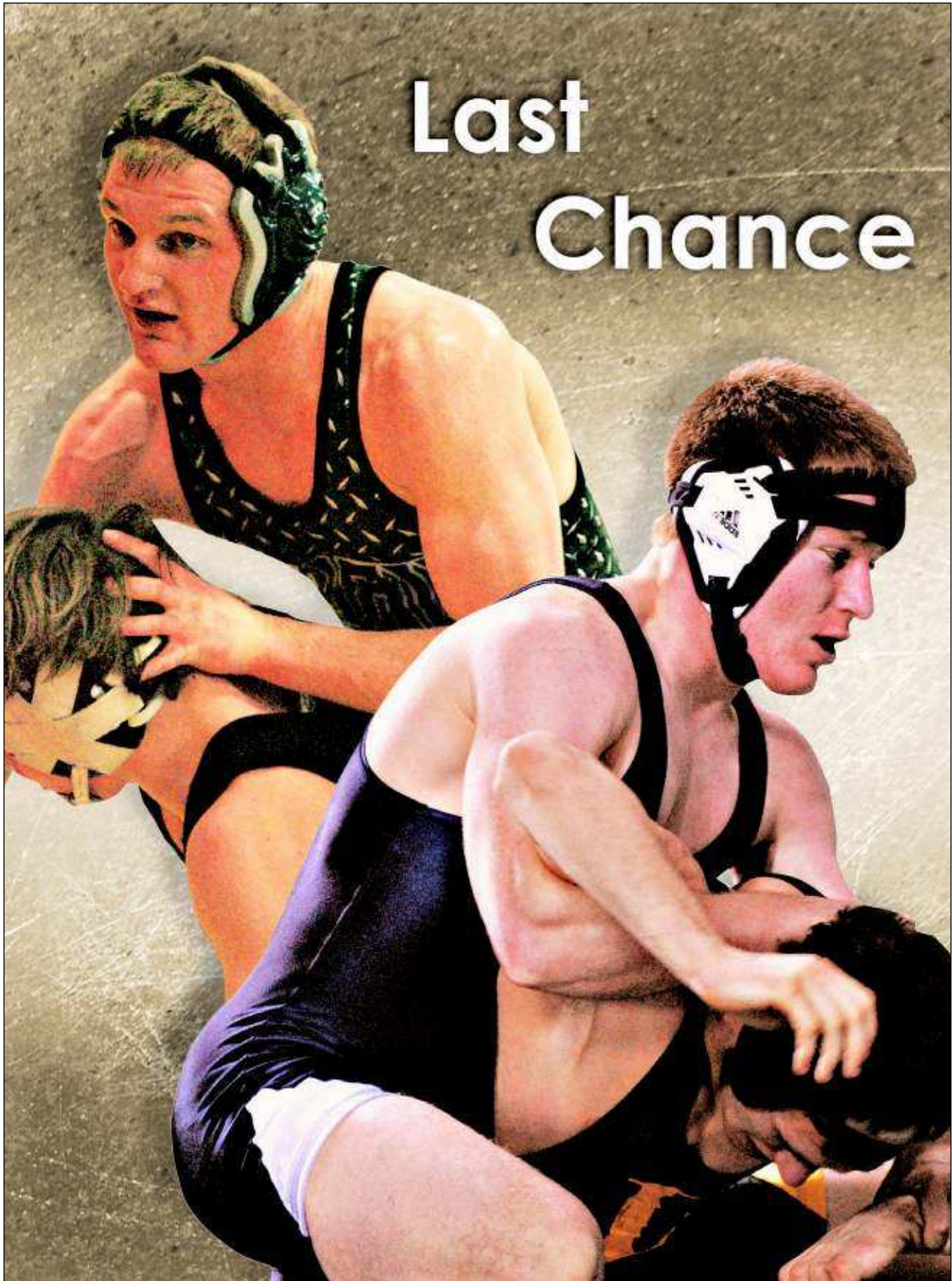
I kept shooting," said Sanchez, who was an efficient 7-for-9 from the floor, including 6 of 7 from 3-point range. "This is poetic justice for us. There's nothing better than beating Jerome on their floor."  
The win marked a stark reversal of fortune for the Bruins when visiting their rivals across the canyon. The previ-

ous two trips to Jerome this season resulted in losses of nine and 29 for the Bruins.  
Both teams hit the same number of field goals (18) and free throws (nine) on Tuesday, but Sanchez's prowess beyond the arc proved to be the difference as Twin Falls made three more treys than did Jerome.  
His rebounding certainly helped, as he hauled down a game-high eight of Twin Falls' 33 rebounds. Jerome

only had 19 boards.  
The Bruins (18-6) trailed the entire first half, taking their first lead at the 4:04 mark in the third quarter when Sanchez buried a triple to put them up 35-34. After Jordy Garrard's old-school three-point play gave Jerome the lead back, Colton Stott provided an and-one of his own to put the Bruins in front to stay.  
Harr came to life shortly after, drilling a trey on the run

to extend the lead to four. Twin Falls never pushed the gap past six, but the Tigers never got a good look at the lead again.  
"We always dig ourselves out of a hole, and when we do things seem to fall into place," said Harr, who scored 13. "We seem to play better with our backs against the wall."  
Jerome (15-8) had opportunities late in the game.  
See **BRUINS**, Sports 2

## STATE WRESTLING PREVIEW



Times-News file photos; Illustration by RYAN HOWE/Times-News

Burley's Jake Lake and Twin Falls' Todd Anderson hope to end their senior season in style.

# Seniors try to end things right

By Ryan Howe  
Times-News writer

This is it.  
Of the 115 wrestlers competing at this weekend's state tournament from District IV, 42 are seniors looking to end their high school careers on a high note at the Idaho Center in Nampa.  
"I just want to finish it off right," said Todd Anderson, a 145-pounder from Twin Falls. "I want to get back to the top of the podium. I've been wrestling since I was 4 years old, so just finishing off that way would be a good ending to the story."  
Anderson's story started off brilliantly, as he won a state title as a freshman. But then his performance dipped below expectations, finishing sixth as a sophomore and fifth as a junior.  
"I try not to focus on it too much, but use it as motivation," he said of his past two state tournaments.  
Anderson, who at 33-0 and seeded No. 1 in his  
See **SENIORS**, Sports 4

### IDAHO STATE WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

<b>When:</b> Thursday-Saturday <b>Where:</b> Idaho Center, Nampa <b>Admission:</b> General, \$10. Tournament pass, \$28. Discount for senior citizens and students. Children under 6 admitted free.		<b>Friday</b> 4A Session 2: 9 to 10:30 a.m. 3A/2A Session 2: 10:30 a.m. to noon 4A Session 3: 1:30 to 3 p.m. 3A/2A Session 3: 3 to 4:30 p.m. Session 4: 6 to 7:30 p.m. Semifinals: 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.
<b>Thursday</b> 4A Session 1: Noon to 3:30 p.m., 7 to 8:30 p.m. 3A/2A Session 1: 3:30-7 p.m., 8:30 to 10 p.m.		<b>Saturday</b> Session 5: 9 to 10:45 a.m. Consolation Finals: 11:15 to 1:15 p.m. Championships: 2:30 p.m.

## Local wrestlers gear up for state

By Ryan Howe  
Times-News writer

The state wrestling tournament will be held Thursday through Saturday at the Idaho Center in Nampa. Here's a breakdown of the Class 4A, 3A and 2A classifications.  
**Class 4A**  
While Minico stole the District IV title away from Jerome last week, both teams have an outside chance to earn a trophy at state. However, the 4A title will most likely

go to Columbia or Blackfoot. Kuna and Pocatello will also be in the mix.  
Minico sends 10 wrestlers, including four district champs: Isaiah Alvarado (119 pounds), Alberto Ramirez (125) David Borden (160) and Jacob Barclay (215). Borden earned the No. 1 seed.  
"Everything points to state, that's where you measure yourself against the best," said Minico coach Justin Gardner. "I love our room, I wouldn't trade our team for any  
See **WRESTLERS**, Sports 4

# Vikings rally to win district

## Valley tops Wendell in OT

By Ryan Howe  
Times-News writer

HAZELTON — Valley didn't seem to mind being down 13 points in the fourth quarter of Tuesday's Class 2A District IV championship game.  
In fact, the Vikings kind of enjoyed it.  
"We're one of those teams that gets down, then we always push each other and move forward," said Valley senior Matt Ivey. "I don't know why we do it, but it's fun."  
The Vikings sure looked like they were having fun, rallying to beat Wendell 55-49 in overtime to win the district title and punch their ticket to state for the first time in eight years.  
Austin Shawver scored 15 points, Justin Johnson had 11 points and six rebounds, and John Cauhorn scored 11 and grabbed seven boards for the Vikings (15-8).  
It's a magical turnaround for a team that went 2-20 last year.  
"Last year was one of those learning experience years," Ivey said. "This year we have experience and we play hard and coach has coached us well this year. He's pulled us through the entire season."



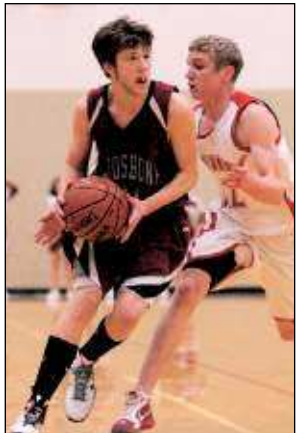
RYAN HOWE/Times-News

Valley senior wing Matt Ivey flies to the hoop during the Vikings' 55-49 overtime win over Wendell in the Class 2A District IV championship game Tuesday at Valley High School.  
After trailing the entire game, Valley coach Steve Hunter knew when to turn up the pressure, after Wendell went on a 10-0 run to end the third quarter.  
"We have three guys sick with the flu right now," Hunter said. "We wanted to pick (Wendell) up and give more pressure, but we had to be very selective of when we did it. Our guys pressure best when their backs are really against the wall."  
See **VIKINGS**, Sports 2

# Shoshone nips Grace for district crown

By Stephen Meyers  
Times-News writer

KIMBERLY — The Indians didn't lead much of the game, but they picked the right time to do so.  
Down the entire contest, Shoshone finally grabbed the lead with 1:16 remaining and held on to beat Grace 38-35 to win the Class 1A Division I District IV-V-VI championship and punch its ticket to state.  
"That's the only time it matters to have the lead, right?" said Shoshone coach Larry Messick.  
Skye Axelsson drained two free throws to give Shoshone its first lead of the game at 35-33. Grace answered quickly with a bucket and applied a full-court press, which Shoshone beat on a long outlet pass to Ishmael Anguiano, who was fouled going up for a layup.  
"I was thinking I wanted to get fouled and we needed the points. I was very nervous," Anguiano said of going to the foul line. "The second I got the ball I was relaxed."  
He made both and Axelsson made the game-saving steal on Grace's final pos-



JUSTIN JACKSON/For the Times-News  
Shoshone's Thomas Lanham (30) drives past Grace's Jordan Brady during the first quarter of the Class 1A Division I District IV championship game Tuesday in Kimberly.  
session to seal the win.  
"Me and stealing the ball, it doesn't happen very often," Axelsson said. "It was lucky."  
Anguiano led Shoshone with 12 points and Axelsson added nine for the Indians (20-4), who will make their second consecutive trip to the state tournament after not making it since 2002.  
Grace came out shooting hot, pushing its lead to as  
See **SHOSHONE**, Sports 2



# LeBron, Heat blast Kings

MIAMI — LeBron James scored 31 points, Dwyane Wade added 23 and the Miami Heat opened their post-All-Star schedule with an easy 117-97 win over the Sacramento Kings on Tuesday night.

The Heat never trailed, jumping out to a 35-16 lead after the first quarter and eventually going up by as many as 29 before the starters got pulled.

Chris Bosh had a 22-point, nine-rebound night and Mario Chalmers added 14 points for Miami, which won for the 11th time in its last 12 games.

## NUGGETS 120, GRIZZLIES 107

DENVER — For one night, the Denver Nuggets didn't need Carmelo Anthony, Chauncey Billups or any of their new acquisitions.

J.R. Smith's 26 points helped short-handed Denver beat the Memphis Grizzlies 120-107 on Tuesday, hours after the Nuggets finalized a blockbuster deal that sent Anthony and Billups to the New York Knicks.

## THUNDER 111, CLIPPERS 88

OKLAHOMA CITY — Jeff Green scored 22 points, Kevin Durant added 21 and Oklahoma City spoiled Blake



AP photo

Miami Heat forward LeBron James, right, controls the the ball as Sacramento Kings forward Demarcus Cousins defends during the first quarter Tuesday in Miami.

Griffin's return to his hometown by beating Los Angeles.

Griffin made a run at his first career triple-double but came up two assists shy. He followed his slam dunk title and rare All-Star appearance by a rookie by amassing 28 points, 11 rebounds and eight assists, but the Clippers

sorely missed him when he was out of the game.

## BOBCATS 114, RAPTORS 101

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — D.J. Augustin had 23 points and eight assists, and Charlotte cruised past listless Toronto despite losing top scorer Stephen Jackson to a strained left hamstring.

Gerald Wallace added 20 points and Boris Diaw had 16 points and nine assists for the Bobcats, who took control with a dominant second quarter before Jackson got hurt midway through the third.

## PACERS 113, WIZARDS 96

WASHINGTON — Danny Granger had 21 points and 10 rebounds, and Indiana piled on the fast-break points to open the season's home-stretch with a rout of Washington.

Tyler Hansbrough added 17 points in 21 minutes as the Pacers broke a two-game losing streak and improved to 8-3 under interim coach Frank Vogel.

## ROCKETS 108, PISTONS 100

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. — Rookie forward Patrick Patterson scored a career-high 20 points, including seven in a row late in the fourth quarter as Houston pulled away from Detroit.

## BUCKS 94, TIMBERWOLVES 88

MILWAUKEE — Brandon Jennings scored 27 points and made five free throws down the stretch to lead Milwaukee over Minnesota.

— The Associated Press

# Knicks land Anthony, certain he's worth the price

GREENBURGH, N.Y. (AP) — The New York Knicks were searching for a second superstar when Carmelo Anthony became available.

The price was high, but they're certain he's worth it.

"When you go out hunting, would you rather have a bigger gun or a little gun?" coach Mike D'Antoni said. "We got a bigger gun."

The Knicks completed a three-team, 13-player trade with the Denver Nuggets for Anthony on Tuesday night. The Minnesota Timberwolves also were involved in the trade, which was agreed to Monday but couldn't be finalized until Anthony signed his three-year, \$65 million contract extension with the Nuggets.

Anthony will join fellow All-Star

Amare Stoudemire in the frontcourt, giving the Knicks the potent duo they hoped they could assemble last summer in free agency. Instead, they had to give up much of their core, but in return they get one of the NBA's top scorers.

"We liked the way our team played this year and I looked at it and I thought we had one piece that was at the high level of the league. We always wanted two pieces at least," team president Donnie Walsh said.

Stoudemire has led the Knicks to a 28-26 record this season, but said Tuesday they will be even more dangerous with Anthony bringing his 25.2 points per game to join his 26.1 average.

"Every team needs a 1, 1A punch," Stoudemire said. "And so with the ways

that we both can score .... we're very versatile, so it's hard to guard us."

Stoudemire said he had "no doubt" the All-Star forwards and longtime friends could play together.

The Knicks also got guards Chauncey Billups and Anthony Carter, and forwards Renaldo Balkman and Shelden Williams from Denver. New York dealt forwards Wilson Chandler and Danilo Gallinari, guard Raymond Felton and center Timofey Mozgov to the Nuggets.

New York also shipped centers Eddy Curry and Anthony Randolph to Minnesota for forward Corey Brewer. Denver acquired center Kosta Koufos from Minnesota, plus New York's first-round draft pick in 2014, second-round picks in 2012 and 2013 and cash.

# Shoshone

## Continued from Sports 2

many as eight in the second quarter, thanks to Josh Jensen's 16 points.

Shoshone mixed in and out of its zone and man defenses after intermission and held Grace to only five fourth-quarter points.

"I think we decided to finally buckle down and play tough defense," Axelsson said. "We can get lazy at times, but we needed to win this game."

The victory avenges a one-point loss to Grace (16-8) earlier this season.

"We were ready to beat them. It was our game," Axelsson said. "Normally the bus is loud and everyone is laughing and stuff, but tonight it was quiet and everyone was super focused and ready to play."

# Vikings

## Continued from Sports 1

In a total team effort, five different Vikings scored in the fourth-quarter comeback. After two offensive rebounds saved a possession, Ivey gave Valley its first lead of the night with his 15-foot jumper with 1:39 to play in regulation.

A bucket by John Cauhorn with 22 seconds left gave Valley a two-point lead, but Wendell went inside to Nolan Stouder for the tying score that sent it to overtime.

Shawver converted a pair of free throws, then followed with a three-point play as Valley took control early in

The Indians begin state tournament play March 3, while Grace will try to earn a state berth tonight against Glenss Ferry (11-14).

## GLENN'S FERRY 46, HAGERMAN 43

Chris Popoca scored 12 points and Adrian Martinez hit a late 3-pointer to held Glenss Ferry knock off Hagerman 46-43 in the Class 1A Division II District IV-VI tournament.

Martinez's 3 with one minute remaining sparked a late rally for the Pilots, who had trailed throughout much of the game. Wilder Jones hit two free-throws with 27 seconds left and the defense withstood a final rally by Ryan Luttmer and Hagerman.

"We were just hoping not

to mess up," said Popoca. "We had the lead and just had to play smart and hold on for the win. We're super excited. We hadn't beaten them this season."

Glenns Ferry (11-14) lost to Hagerman by eight and 14 earlier this season.

"This does a lot for our confidence and now we have a shot at going to state," said Rory Hance, who scored eight points.

Luttmer and Zac Reid each scored 14 for Hagerman (13-12), which ends its season.

Glenns Ferry will play Grace tonight at 7 for the second berth to state.

"I'm really proud of our guys tonight. We traveled over 900 miles last week, going to all those games and to

come over here tired and beat them for the first time this season is awesome," said Glenss Ferry coach Nate Jones.

## Class 1A Division I District IV-V-VI boxes

**Glenns Ferry 46, Hagerman 43**  
Glenns Ferry 15 7 8 16 - 46  
Hagerman 14 8 12 9 - 43  
**GLENN'S FERRY (46)**

Rory Hance 8, Wilder Jones 4, Adrian Martinez 5, Adam King 11, Edgar Arce 7, Chris Popoca 12. Totals 18 6-9 46.

**HAGERMAN (43)**  
Ryan Arnold 5, Ambrosio Nava 8, Ryan Luttmer 14, Jace Krest 2, Zac Reid 14. Totals 13 10-12 43.  
3-point goals: Glenns Ferry 4 (Hance, Jones, Martinez, Popoca); Hagerman 6 (Luttmer 4, Nava, Reid). Total fouls: Glenns Ferry 11, Hagerman 12. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

**Shoshone 38, Grace 35**  
Shoshone 11 7 10 10 - 38  
Grace 12 11 7 5 - 35  
**SHOSHONE (38)**

Ishmael Anguino 12, Skye Axelson 9, Garrett Sant 4, Thomas Lanham 7, Gage Roberts 2, Shane Walsh. Totals 12 11-17 38.

**GRACE (35)**  
B. Simons 1, T. Brady 6, N. Lloyd 3, D. Martinez 6, J. Jensen 16. Totals 13 5-17 35.  
3-point goals: Shoshone 2 (Axelson, Lanham); Grace 4 (Jensen 2, Blitton, Lloyd). Total fouls: Shoshone 14, Grace 15. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

in Boise.

The overtime thriller was a fitting ending to the Class 2A District IV tournament, as five of the seven district games were decided by three points or fewer. The five games between Wendell and Valley this season were decided by an average 2.8 points.

**Valley 55, Wendell 49, OT**  
Wendell 11 7 11 16 4 - 49  
Valley 7 2 9 27 10 - 55  
**WENDELL (49)**

Ryan Lewis 2, Cody Prince 2, Jared Lund 4, Nolan Stouder 18, Tanner Thompson 21, Tanner Swanner 2. Totals 19 9-17 49.

**VALLEY (55)**  
Justin Johnson 11, Fernando Vivanco 4, Ricardo Mora 6, Austin Shawver 15, Matt Ivey 8, John Cauhorn 11. Totals 18 17-25 55.  
3-point goals: Wendell 2 (Thompson 2), Valley 2 (Johnson, Shawver). Total fouls: Wendell 22, Valley 17. Fouled out: Wendell, Thompson.

take-all championship game at Baun Gymnasium on Friday.

**Twin Falls 53, Jerome 50**  
Twin Falls 8 17 13 12 - 53  
Jerome 11 17 10 12 - 50  
**TWIN FALLS (53)**

T.J. Ellis 1, Jayson Welker 3, Tyler Wolters 7, Colton Stott 5, Eric Harr 13, Robert Sanchez 24. Totals 18 9-14 53.

**JEROME (50)**  
Spencer Parker 6, Austin Leavitt 7, Spencer Geist 7, Brady Craig 3, Jordy Garrard 7, Jake Hollifield 18, Riley Parrish 2. Totals 18 9-13 50.  
3-point goals: Twin Falls 8 (Sanchez 6, Harr, Wolters); Jerome 5 (Leavitt 2, Geist 2, Craig). Total fouls: Twin Falls 13, Jerome 17. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

# Dietrich holds off Camas Co.

## Times-News

Jakob Howard and Gray Weber each scored 20 as Dietrich won a barnburner with Camas County, 70-62, to stay alive in the Class 1A Division II District IV boys basketball tournament in Murtaugh.

The Blue Devils (14-7) also got 15 points from Andru Howard.

Camas County (7-16) got 24 points from Jordan Robles and 20 from Andrew Simon, but the Mushers fell behind 27-19 at the half and couldn't quite make up the gap. They cut the lead to just two after three quarters but Dietrich put up 26 points in the fourth quarter to hang on for the win.

"Both teams were all over the court and played hard," said Dietrich coach Wayne Dill.

Dietrich plays Murtaugh at 6:30 p.m. tonight, with the winner clinching at least a state play-in berth, with the opportunity to make that an automatic state berth by playing Thursday against the loser of the Carey-Castleford championship game.

## MURTAUGH 57, LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN 48

Humberto Pacheco scored 18 points and Austin Stanger netted 10 of his 15 in the fourth quarter as Murtaugh beat Lighthouse Christian 57-48 in a Class 1A Division II District IV Tournament elimination game.

"Lighthouse has shown tremendous improvement," said Murtaugh coach Adam Johnson. "We were fortunate to make some plays in the fourth quarter and move on."

Murtaugh (11-8) faces Dietrich at 6:30 p.m. today.

## Class 1A Division II District IV Tournament boxes

**Dietrich 70, Camas County 62**  
Dietrich 12 15 17 26 - 70  
Camas County 10 9 20 - 62  
**DIETRICH (70)**

Brody Astle 4, Logan Porter 2, Alex Heimerdinger 5, Jakob Howard 20, Gray Weber 20, Vance Perron 4, Andru Howard 15. Totals 26 16-26 70.

**CAMAS COUNTY (62)**  
Andrew Simon 20, Austin Walker 2, Carlos Robles 8, Jordan Robles 24, Jack Simon 8. Totals 26 8-11 62.  
3-point goals: Dietrich 2 (Weber, A. Howard); Camas County 2 (A. Simon, J. Robles) Total fouls: Dietrich 13, Camas County 18. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

**Murtaugh 57, Lighthouse Christian 48**  
Murtaugh 18 11 16 12 - 57  
Lighthouse Christian 13 11 9 - 48  
**MURTAUGH (57)**

Troy Baynes 11, Humberto Pacheco 18, Jose Gonzalez 10, Austin Stanger 15, Riley VanLeeuwen 3. Totals 19 12-23 48.

**LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN (48)**  
Danny Hamilton 5, Gabe Heath 4, Ridge Reid 10, Brad Wall 7, Eli Berndt 14, Erick Helman 4, Logan Vander Steit 4. Totals 16 4-8 48.  
3-point goals: Murtaugh 7 (Pacheco 2, Baynes 2, Gonzalez 2, VanLeeuwen); Lighthouse Christian 3 (Berndt 2, Hamilton). Total fouls: Murtaugh 11; Lighthouse Christian 19. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

## Bowling

### FILER BOYS WIN TITLE

The Filer boys No. 1 team beat Filer's No. 2 team to claim top honors in the 3A-1A division of the state high school bowling tournament Tuesday at Snake River Bowl in Burley.

Filer's Greg Cowley rolled a cumulative 607 to earn individual honors along with teammates Jace Bloom (559), Jordan Jerke (549) and Rusty Wilson (491).

Declo's girls won the 3A-1A team title by topping Filer. Filer's Kandi Woody won top individual honors with a 584, while Burley's Kiara Hieb (512) was second. Declo's Bethany Adams (484) and Filer's Dustin Melton (473) finished third and fourth, respectively.

Lewiston beat Nampa in the finals of the boys 5A-4A division, while Rocky Mountain edged Lewiston on the girls side.

# Ohio State rolls past Illinois

COLUMBUS, Ohio — David Lighty scored 17 of his 21 points in the second half and William Buford had all 17 of his in the first to lead No. 2 Ohio State past Illinois 89-70 on Tuesday night.

Jared Sullinger 12 points and 11 rebounds for the Buckeyes (26-2, 13-2 Big Ten), who had lost two of three after winning their first 25 games.

Mike Davis scored 18 points and Demetri McCamey had 15 points and six assists.

## NO. 5 TEXAS 76, IOWA ST. 53

AUSTIN, Texas — Jordan Hamilton broke out of a two-game shooting slump with 20 points and Texas rebounded from its first loss in a month.

Tristan Thompson shook off an early flub when he tipped the ball into the wrong basket to finish with 17 points and 14 rebounds for the Longhorns (24-4, 12-1 Big 12).

Hamilton and Thompson keyed a big Texas run at the start of the second half that put the game away.

## NO. 16 LOUISVILLE 55, RUTGERS 37

PISCATAWAY, N.J. — Preston Knowles hit three 3-pointers in a game-opening 17-2 run for Louisville.

The Cardinals (21-7, 10-5 Big East) hit six of their first nine shots from long range in opening a 19-point first-half lead and handing Rutgers (13-14, 4-11) its third straight loss and seventh in eight games.

## TENNESSEE 60, NO. 18 VANDERBILT 51

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Scotty Hopson scored 19 points, and Tennessee rallied from 11 points down in the second half to sweep the season series from its instate rival.

Tennessee (17-11, 7-6 Southeastern Conference) has won two of its last three, and this time the Vols won by hitting their free throws when it mattered most. Hopson hit all six of his attempts as Tennessee, which hit only three of its first nine from the line, hit 11 of 12 over the final 2:52.

## NO. 25 XAVIER 100, LA SALLE 62

CINCINNATI — Jeff Robinson scored a career-high 22 points for Xavier.

Tu Holloway, the first player in Xavier history with two career triple-doubles with his second on Saturday against Fordham, finished a rebound short of his third. He set a career high with 15 assists to go with 12 points and nine rebounds before leaving with 2:36 left in the game.

## Regional

### WEBER ST. 63, IDAHO ST. 39

POCATELLO — Lindsey Hughey had 18 points and 15 rebounds as Weber State routed Idaho State 63-39 on Tuesday.

Broderick Gilchrest and Kenny McGowen each scored 11 for the Bengals (9-18, 4-10 Big Sky), who shot just 22 percent.

The Wildcats (16-10, 10-4) got 17 points from Kyle Bullinger.

# Bruins

## Continued from Sports 1

Twin Falls missed four foul shots in a row inside the final two minutes, including the front end of a 1-and-1 three times in a row. But on two of those occasions the Bruins got the offensive rebound, and the third resulted in a missed shot for Jerome.

The Tigers had the ball down three with 30 seconds to go, but settled for two 3-

point attempts to tie rather than pounding the ball inside. Austin Leavitt's desperation heave just before the buzzer clanged off the iron as well.

"We were going to look for the 3 but if they gave us a 2, we'd take it. We had opportunities late and you have to capitalize, and unfortunately we didn't," said Jerome coach Joe Messick. "I'm re-

ally proud of my kids, and we had a great season. I'm just disappointed this group doesn't get to go to the state tournament because I thought they deserved it for all the work they put in all year long."

The celebrations won't last long on the blue side of town. Twin Falls will visit Minico on Thursday needing a win to force a winner-





# Union, NFL heading toward full week of mediation

WASHINGTON — Federally mediated negotiations between the NFL and the players' union have stretched 35 hours over five consecutive days — and they aren't done.

The mediation is voluntary — in theory, each side could walk away at any time — yet it now appears very likely that the current round of talks will stretch through Thursday, which would make for a full week.

One indication: The union sent a memo Tuesday to let player agents know that their meeting that was supposed to happen Thursday in Indianapolis is being postponed because of the media-

tion.

Commissioner Roger Goodell, NFL Players Association executive director DeMaurice Smith and members of their bargaining teams met for about eight hours Tuesday at the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, a U.S. government agency.

Among those joining Smith on Tuesday were Chicago Bears linebacker Hunter Hillenmeyer, Baltimore Ravens cornerback Domonique Foxworth and former player Sean Morey.

All participants have been abiding by mediator George Cohen's request not to dis-

cuss the talks publicly.

## SAINTS RELEASE TIGHT END JEREMY SHOCKEY

NEW ORLEANS — Flamboyant tight end Jeremy Shockey was released Tuesday by the New Orleans Saints, who appear ready to move on with promising second-year pro and 2010 third-round draft choice Jimmy Graham.

Shockey made a crucial touchdown catch in the fourth quarter of the Saints' lone Super Bowl victory over Indianapolis in Miami just more than a year ago. But with one season and \$4.2 million in base salary left on

Shockey's contract, the Saints decided the best way to pursue a second championship would be without the 30-year-old, nine-year veteran.

Last season, Shockey made 41 catches for 408 yards and three touchdowns in 13 games.

## PANTHERS PLACE FRANCHISE TAG ON C RYAN KALIL

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — The Carolina Panthers placed the non-exclusive franchise tag on two-time Pro Bowl center Ryan Kalil on Tuesday, a move that will help keep the core of the offensive line intact but will al-

so make two other key players unrestricted free agents.

General manager Marty Hurney chose to restrict Kalil's free agency over running back DeAngelo Williams and defensive end Charles Johnson. They will likely become two of the more sought after players when a labor deal is struck and free agency begins.

## BRONCOS SIGN CHAMP BAILEY TO 4-YEAR DEAL

DENVER — The Denver Broncos have signed Champ Bailey to a four-year deal, keeping the perennial Pro Bowl cornerback off the free agent market.

John Elway, the Broncos' chief of football operations, announced the move in a series of tweets Tuesday afternoon.

“Champ is truly one of the NFL's elite players, a 10-time Pro Bowler who is playing at the absolute highest level,” Elway wrote on Twitter.

Bailey, who turns 33 in June, just played in his 10th Pro Bowl, a record for cornerbacks.

His new deal is believed to be worth between \$40 million and \$44 million, less than the going rate of about \$15 million per year for elite cornerbacks.

— *The Associated Press*

## BASKETBALL

NBA All Time MST EASTERN				
ATLANTIC	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	40	14	.741	—
New York	28	26	.519	12
Philadelphia	27	29	.482	14
New Jersey	17	40	.298	24½
Toronto	15	42	.263	26½
SOUTHEAST	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	42	15	.737	—
Orlando	39	21	.652	6
Atlanta	34	21	.618	7
Charlotte	25	32	.439	17
Washington	15	40	.273	26
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	38	16	.704	—
Indiana	25	30	.455	13½
Milwaukee	22	34	.393	17
Detroit	21	37	.362	19
Cleveland	10	46	.179	29
WESTERN				
SOUTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	46	10	.821	—
Dallas	40	16	.714	6
New Orleans	33	25	.569	14
Memphis	31	27	.534	16
Houston	27	31	.466	20
NORTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Oklahoma City	36	19	.655	—
Portland	32	24	.571	4½
Denver	33	25	.569	4½
Utah	31	26	.544	6
Minnesota	13	44	.228	24
PACIFIC	W	L	Pct	GB
L.A. Lakers	38	19	.667	—
Phoenix	27	27	.500	9½
Golden State	26	29	.473	11
L.A. Clippers	21	34	.361	17
Sacramento	13	41	.241	23½

Monday's Games	
No games scheduled	
Tuesday's Games	
Charlotte 114, Toronto 106	
Indiana 113, Detroit 96	
Houston 108, Detroit 100	
Miami 117, Sacramento 97	
Milwaukee 94, Minnesota 88	
Oklahoma City 111, L.A. Clippers 88	
Denver 120, Memphis 110	
San Antonio at Golden State, late	
Atlanta at L.A. Lakers, late	

Wednesday's Games	
Oklahoma City at San Antonio, 5 p.m.	
Houston at Cleveland, 5 p.m.	
Detroit at Indiana, 5 p.m.	
Sacramento at Orlando, 5 p.m.	
Washington at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.	
Chicago at Toronto, 5 p.m.	
Milwaukee at New York, 5:30 p.m.	
Memphis at Minnesota, 6 p.m.	
Atlanta at Dallas, 6:30 p.m.	
Atlanta at Phoenix, 7 p.m.	
L.A. Clippers at New Orleans, 7:30 p.m.	
L.A. Lakers at Portland, 8:30 p.m.	

Thursday's Games	
Miami at Chicago, 6 p.m.	
Boston at Denver, 8:30 p.m.	

## NBA Boxes

NUGGETS 120, GRIZZLIES 107	
Allen 8-15 10-14 26, Randolph 6-10 0-2 12, Gasol 3-6 4-5 10, Conley 4-6 0-0 10, Young 5-11 0-3 10, Mayo 8-14 3-5 21, Williams 0-1 0-0 0, Harris 4-8 2-2 10, Carroll 1-2 0-2 2, Henry 2-4 0-0 4, Vasquez 0-0 0-0 0, Thabeet 1-1 0-0 2, Totals 42-78 19-31 107.	

DENVER (120)	
Smith 9-22 22-26, Martin 2-5 12-5, Nene 5-10 5-17, Lawson 8-15 4-5 21, Afflalo 7-12 4-6 21, Forbes 4-12 2-10, Harrington 3-4 0-0 6, Jeter 3-5 2-2 9, Head 3-6 2-2 9, 4-13 26-36 120.	
Memphis	
23 19 34 31 — 107	
3-Point Goals—Memphis 4-10 (Conley 2-2, Mayo 2-7, Williams 0-1), Denver 12-28 (Smith 6-11, Afflalo 3-7, Harrington 1-1, Lawson 1-4, Forbes 1-4, Nene 0-1).	
Fouled Out—Gasol, Arthur, Nene, Harrington.	
Rebounds—Memphis 49 (Allen, Randolph 8), Denver 51 (Smith 8), Assists—Memphis 21 (Williams, Harris), Denver 28 (Lawson 7), Total Fouls—Memphis 21, Denver 25.	
Technical—Memphis defensive three second, Denver defensive three second. A—14-638 (19,155).	

HEAT 117, KINGS 97	
Casspi 4-10 12-10, Cousins 3-14 2-4 8, Thompson 6-7 1-4 13, Udris 4-7 1-2 9, Taylor 5-11 2-2 13, Dalember 8-12 2-2 18, Greene 3-9 0-0 6, Jeter 3-5 2-2 9, Head 3-6 2-2 9, Jackson 1-3 0-0 2, Totals 40-84 13-20 97.	

MIAMI (117)	
James 14-20 0-3 31, Bosh 8-14 6-6 22, Dampier 0-0 0-0 0, Chalmers 6-7 2-2 14, Wade 11-20 0-0 23, Thomas 5-11 0-0 10, Jones 3-6 0-0 9, Anthony 3-3 0-0 6, Arroyo 1-1 0-0 2, Howard 0-1 0-0 0, Magloire 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 51-90 8-11 117.	
Sacramento	
16 28 26 27 — 97	
3-Point Goals—Sacramento 4-14 (Jeter 1-1, Head 1-3, Casspi 1-3, Jones 1-3, Jackson 0-1, Greene 0-3), Miami 7-18 (James 3-5, James 3-6, Wade 1-3, Bosh 0-1, Chalmers 0-1, House 0-2), Fouled Out—None.	
Rebounds—Sacramento 44 (Dalember 13), Miami 49 (Bosh 9), Assists—Sacramento 18 (Udris, Cousins, Jeter 4), Miami 20 (Wade 7), Total Fouls—Sacramento 14, Miami 19. Technicals—Magloire. A—19,754 (19,600).	

PACERS 113, WIZARDS 96	
Granger 7-17 2-7 21, McCroberts 2-5 8-9, Hibbert 5-9 6-9 16, Collison 5-11 1-1 11, Dunleavy 2-5 3-4 8, Hansbrough 4-10 9-10 17, George 5-11 1-1 11, Foster 2-4 0-0 4, D Jones 3-7 0-0 6, Posey 0-2 2-3 2, Price 3-9 0-0 6, Rush 0-1 2-2 2, Totals 38-88 34-45 113.	

WASHINGTON (96)	
Howard 7-16 0-0 14, Blatche 9-16 3-3 21, McGee 2-4 1-2 5, Wall 5-15 5-7 15, Young 4-15 6-16, Saraphin 3-6 1-1 7, Lewis 0-3 0-0 0, Booker 2-4 1-2 5, Thornton 2-3 0-0 4, Armstrong 0-0 0-0 0, V.I. 1-4 0-0 2, Martin 2-7 3-4 7, Totals 37-93 20-26 96.	
Indiana	
25 33 32 23 — 113	
Washington	30 19 19 28 — 96
3-Point Goals—Indiana 3-16 (Granger 2-4, Dunleavy 1-2,	

Posey 0-1, Rush 0-1, Collison 0-2, Price 0-3, George 0-3), Washington 2-10 (Young 2-4, Howard 0-1, Martin 0-1, Lewis 0-2, Wall 0-2), Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Indiana 62 (Granger 10), Washington 61 (Wall, McGee 8), Assists—Indiana 14 (Collison 6), Washington 22 (Wall 10), Total Fouls—Indiana 22, Washington 33. Technicals—Hansbrough, Indiana defensive three second, Wall. A—14,328 (20,17).	
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BOBCATS 114, RAPTORS 101	
TORONTO (101)	
Weems 9-13 0-0 19, A.Johnson 1-2 4-6 6, Bargnani 7-15 4-5 18, Calderon 3-7 0-0 6, DeRozan 7-15 0-0 14, Davis 4-8 0-0 8, Bayless 1-0 11-12 11, Barbosa 2-6 0-0 4, Ajinca 4-6 1-2 10, Wright 2-2 1-1 5, Dorsey 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 39-78 21-26 101.	
CHARLOTTE (114)	
Wallace 3-6 14-15 20, Diaw 6-10 3-3 16, K.Brown 3-6 2-3 8, Augustin 8-15 5-5 23, Jackson 5-11 2-2 13, Mohammed 4-9 0-2 8, Henderson 5-11 5-8 15, Najera 0-1 1-2 1, Livingston 2-7 2-2 6, D.Brown 0-1 0-0 0, Carroll 0-2 0-0 0, McGuire 2-2 0-0 4, Totals 38-81 34-42 114.	
Toronto	
27 17 25 32 — 101	
3-Point Goals—Toronto 2-9 (Weems 1-1, Ajinca 1-2, Bayless 1-0, Barbosa 0-2, Bargnani 0-3), Charlotte 4-14 (Augustin 2-7, Jackson 1-3, Diaw 1-3, Wallace 0-1).	
Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Toronto 47 (Bargnani 8), Charlotte 48 (Mohammed 14), Assists—Toronto 25 (Calderon 11), Charlotte 25 (Diaw 9), Total Fouls—Toronto 32, Charlotte 19. Technicals—Calderon, Toronto defensive three second, Charlotte defensive three second. A—12,976 (19,077).	

ROCKETS 108, PISTONS 100	
HOUSTON (108)	
Battier 3-6 0-0 8, Scola 4-15 0-0 8, Hayes 4-7 0-0 8, Lowry 2-4 3-4 9, Martin 4-12 7-7 16, Hill 1-2 0-0 2, Lee 4-8 0-0 9, Brooks 2-9 4-4 9, Miller 2-3 4-9 9, Budinger 3-8 4-4 10, Patterson 8-11 4-5 20, Totals 37-85 26-28 108.	
DETROIT (100)	
Prince 0-9 1-2 1, Monroe 6-13 0-0 12, Wallace 1-2 0-0 2, Stuckey 7-15 5-5 19, McGrady 4-11 2-2 10, Gordon 1-2 0-0 15, Dymun 9-14 2-2 21, Villanueva 1-4 2-5 5, Wilcox 3-4 0-0 6, Daye 3-9 2-9 2, Totals 41-81 15-10 100.	
Houston	
20 31 27 30 — 108	
Detroit	28 23 24 25 — 100
3-Point Goals—Houston 8-23 (Battier 2-4, Lowry 2-4, Miller 1-1, Lee 1-2, Martin 1-3, Brooks 1-5, Scola 0-1, Budinger 0-3), Detroit 4-14 (Gordon 1-2, Bynum 1-2, Villanueva 1-3, Daye 1-5, Stuckey 0-1, McGrady 0-1).	
Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Houston 56 (Scola 9), Detroit 47 (Monroe 12), Assists—Houston 26 (Brooks 6), Detroit 19 (Bynum 6), Total Fouls—Houston 14, Detroit 16. Technicals—McGrady. A—12,353 (22,076).	

BUCKS 94, TIMBERWOLVES 88	
MINNESOTA (88)	
Beasley 10-17 12-21, Love 6-10 6-9 20, Millicic 2-6 1-2 5, Ridnour 5-14 1-1 12, Johnson 5-14 3-4 14, Tolliver 0-2 5-6, Pekovic 2-3 1-4 5, Telfair 0-7 2-2 2, Webster 2-7 0-1 4, Ellington 0-4 0-0 0, Totals 32-84 20-31 88.	
MILWAUKEE (94)	
Delino 10-12 2-13, Mbah a Moute 0-3 2-2 2, Bogut 3-5 1-2 7, Jennings 7-17 11-27 3, Salmons 1-4 0-0 2, Iyavosa 2-7 0-0 4, Dooling 2-4 0-5, Brockman 1-3 2-3 4, Maggette 7-17 6-7 20, Boykins 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 30-79 27-31 94.	
Minnesota	
23 21 23 27 — 88	
Milwaukee	26 18 23 21 — 94
3-Point Goals—Minnesota 4-19 (Love 2-4, Ridnour 1-3, Beasley 0-1, Telfair 0-2, Webster 0-2), Milwaukee 7-30 (Delino 3-9, Jennings 2-8, Dooling 1-3, Salmons 1-4, Iyavosa 0-1, Mbah a Moute 0-1, Maggette 0-1), Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Minnesota 62 (Love 17), Milwaukee 54 (Brockman 14), Assists—Minnesota 18 (Love 6), Milwaukee 19 (Jennings 7), Bogut 4-13-10 (18,177).	

THUNDER 111, CLIPPERS 88	
L.A. CLIPPERS (88)	
Gomes 1-5 0-0 3, Griffin 9-15 10-17 28, Jordan 3-4 1-2 7, Iyavosa 1-8 0-1 2, Foye 5-9 1-12, Bledsoe 5-9 1-4 13, Aminu 5-6 1-12, Kase 2-3 0-2 8, Diogu 1-2 1-3 3, Cook 0-3 0-0 0, Butler 0-0 0-0 0, Warren 0-2 0-0 0, Totals 33-72 17-29 88.	
OKLAHOMA CITY (111)	
Durant 8-21 4-6 21, Green 7-12 2-22, Krsitic 1-5 3-3 5, Westbrook 3-11 7-8 13, Seferovich 3-4 0-0 6, Ibaka 3-3 0-0 6, Collison 0-0 2-2 2, Aldrich 1-2 0-0 2, Harden 6-12 3-3 19, Maynor 3-5 2-3 9, D.Cook 1-2 0-0 3, Ivey 1-1 0-0 0, Totals 37-78 28-32 111.	
L.A. Clippers	
23 23 21 21 — 88	
Oklahoma City	23 19 16 33 — 111
3-Point Goals—L.A. Clippers 5-11 (Bledsoe 2-2, Aminu 1-1, Gomes 1-2, Foye 1-3, Warren 0-1, Davis 0-0), Oklahoma City 9-22 (Harden 4-8, Ivey 1-1, Maynor 1-2, D.Cook 1-2, Green 1-4, Durant 1-4, Seferovich 0-1), Fouled Out—None.	
Rebounds—L.A. Clippers 51 (Griffin 11), Oklahoma City 45 (Ibaka 10), Assists—L.A. Clippers 20 (Griffin 8), Oklahoma City 18 (Westbrook 7), Total Fouls—L.A. Clippers 22, Oklahoma City 23. Technicals—A—18,203 (18,203).	

## Men's College Scores

Far West	
Utah 50, TCU 48	
Weber St. 63, Idaho St. 39	
Southwest	
Houston Baptist 70, Middle Tennessee 68	
Texas 76, Iowa St. 53	
Midwest	
Illinois St. 51, Bradley 50	
Indiana St. 76, N. Iowa 74	
Michigan St. 53, Minnesota 48	
Ohio St. 89, Illinois 70	
Saint Louis, Chicago St. 52	
Tennessee Tech 92, SIU-Edwardsville 69	
Juarez 100, La Salle 62	

South	
Charleston Southern 72, Gardner-Webb 61	
Memphis 69, Houston 58	
Southern Carolina 79, Mississippi 73	
Southern Miss. 78, Loyola, N.O. 67	
Tennessee 60, Vanderbilt 51	
UNC Asheville 61, Coastal Carolina 58	
Virginia Tech 76, Wake Forest 62	
East	
Louisville 55, Rutgers 37	
Maine 70, New Hampshire 53	

## NJCAA Division I Men's Basketball Poll

Team	Rec.	Pts.	Pys.
1. Missouri St.-West Plains	26-2	320	1

## Scenic West Athletic Conference

Team	W-L		Pct.	
	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
CSI	10-3	.769	24-4	.857
Eastern Utah	10-3	.769	23-5	.821
Salt Lake CC	8-6	.571	22-7	.759
Snow College	7-7	.500	18-11	.621
North Idaho	5-8	.385	20-8	.714
Colo. NW CC	0-13	.000	7-20	.259

	Women's Conf.		Overall	
Team	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
Salt Lake CC	12-2	.857	22-4	.846
North Idaho	10-3	.769	24-3	.889
CSI	7-6	.538	20-8	.714
Snow College	6-8	.429	16-11	.593
Eastern Utah	4-9	.308	9-17	.346
Colo. NW CC	1-12	.077	7-20	.259

## Women's College Scores

Southwest	
TCU 71, Utah 60	
Texas A&M 84, Texas Tech 60	
Midwest	
Bowling Green 60, Seton Hall 59	
Nebraska 76, Missouri 34	
Syracuse 55, Cincinnati 53	
Tennessee Tech 68, SIU-Edwardsville 52	
W. Michigan 72, N. Illinois 70, OT	
East	
Connecticut 80, Princeton 68	
Marquette 62, Stonham 46	
Notre Dame 72, West Virginia 60	
St. John's 57, Villanova 46	

## USA Today/ESPN Women's Top 25 Poll

The top 25 teams in the USA Today/ESPN women's college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Feb. 21, points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and previous ranking:

	W-L	Pts	Pys
1. Connecticut (30)	26-1	774	2
2. Stanford (1)	24-2	737	3
3. Baylor	24-2	699	1
4. Tennessee	26-2	693	4
5. Texas A&M	22-3	649	5
6. Xavier	23-2	630	6
7. Notre Dame	24-3	643	8
8. Michigan St.	24-3	520	10
9. Duke	24-3	515	7
10. UCLA	22-2	515	9
11. DePaul	25-3	501	11
12. Florida St.	22-5	444	12
13. Wisconsin-Green Bay	19-1	366	14
14. Miami	24-3	343	16
15. Oklahoma	25-7	354	15
16. North Carolina	22-5	297	13
17. Maryland	21-6	293	17



# CSI men take No. 3 ranking into showdown against CEU

No. 14 Eastern Utah brings nine-game streak to Twin Falls

By Mike Christensen  
Times-News writer

One thing is certain: The Golden Eagles will win the Scenic West Athletic Conference title. The only question is whether it will be the Golden Eagles of the College of Southern Idaho or those from the College of Eastern Utah. CSI, which jumped four spots to No. 3 in this week's NJCAA Division poll, hosts No. 14 CEU in a winner-take-all showdown at

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The complete NJCAA Division I poll.

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7:30 p.m. Thursday. The victor earns at least a share of the Scenic West Athletic Conference title and will own the No. 1 seed for the Region 18 Tournament March 3-5 in Twin Falls. "I'm excited for it. We've worked hard to get to this point and it'll be a great indicator of how far we've come in a year's time," said CSI head coach Steve Gosar. "They've got a really talented team, but I wouldn't trade any of our guys for any one of

their guys." CSI's No. 3 ranking is the highest for the program since the 2007-08 team was No. 3 on Feb. 26, 2008, the final poll of that season. Only Missouri State-West Plains and San Jacinto-Central (Texas) are ranked above CSI (24-4, 10-3 SWAC) this week. They aren't the only Golden Eagles having an impressive season. Since starting 2-3 in SWAC play, Eastern Utah (23-5, 10-3) has won eight straight in league play and nine in a row overall entering Thursday's contest. A balanced lineup led by forwards Jonathan Mills (13.0 ppg, 11.0 rpg) and Brady Hurst (13.6 ppg, 7.7 rpg) has made CEU tough

to beat. But CSI's players said Eastern Utah's momentum isn't a big concern. "We're at home, so we're going to have the home crowd and all the momentum is going to shift to us," said freshman guard Fabyon Harris. "It doesn't matter how many a team's won in a row because each game's a different game," added sophomore point guard Darius Smith. CSI snapped North Idaho's 38-game home win streak earlier this season and would love to keep Eastern Utah's run of wins from reaching double figures. "We're snapping that streak as soon as they come here," said Harris.

# UConn avoids postseason ban

Calhoun suspended over recruitment of former CSI player Nate Miles

By Dan Gelston  
Associated Press writer

UConn coach Jim Calhoun was suspended by the NCAA for three games next season for recruiting violations committed under his watch, though the program dodged a major sanction when it was spared a postseason ban. Calhoun was cited by the NCAA on Tuesday for failing to create an atmosphere of compliance within his program and was suspended for the first three Big East games during the 2011-12 season. The NCAA also hit UConn with scholarship reductions for three academic years, recruiting restrictions, permanent disassociation of a booster and three years probation. As a part of the disassociation of the booster, not named

in the report, the university will not be able to accept financial contributions, recruiting assistance or provide him with any benefit and privileges. "We think the penalty is appropriate," said Dennis Thomas, chairman of the Committee on Infractions. "The head coach should be aware, but, also in the same frame, the head coach obviously cannot be aware of everything that goes on within the program. However, the head coach bears that responsibility." Thomas said Calhoun will serve the suspension next year because UConn could appeal the decision. "I am very disappointed with the NCAA's decision in this case," Calhoun said. "My lawyer and I are evaluating my options and will make a deci-



sion which way to proceed. In the meantime, I will not make any further statements about the case as our program prepares for what I hope will be an exciting and successful postseason." The NCAA and the school have been investigating the program since shortly after a report by Yahoo! Sports in March 2009 that former team manager Josh Nochimson helped guide recruit and one-time College of Southern Idaho Nate Miles to Connecticut, giving him lodging, transportation, meals and representation. As a former team manager, Nochimson is considered a representative of UConn's

athletic interests by the NCAA and prohibited from giving Miles anything of value. "We cited the head coach for not being on top of these issues with the agent, the booster," Thomas said. "The head coach stated that the booster was a member of the family during his days as team manager." The school said it found the basketball staff exchanged more than 1,400 calls and 1,100 text messages with Nochimson between June 2005 and December 2008. Members of the coaching staff also provided 32 impermissible complimentary tickets to individuals responsible for teaching or directing activities with prospective student-athletes. Miles was expelled from UConn in October 2008 without ever playing for the Huskies. He transferred to CSI where he played in nine games, averaging 19.1 points and 4.0 rebounds before pursuing a professional career.

# Wrestlers

Continued from Sports 1 team. If they wrestle as tough as they wrestled (at districts), they could definitely bring home a trophy. We're just going to keep working the way we've been working all year and we'll be ready." Jerome will send nine, including district champs Eric Ayala (103), Nick Thorne (135), Joe Carey (152) and Layne Lasike (285). "If we step it up at state and wrestle like we can, like we should, I think we'll be right there," Thorne said. "Last year we were just a couple matches away from getting a trophy. If we work as hard as we can I think we'll be right up there." Wood River and Twin Falls will each have seven competing at state. The Wolverines should get a medal from Kasey Barker (189), while the Bruins' best shot at an individual title is Todd Anderson, who is undefeated and seeded No. 1 at 145. Canyon Ridge qualified six, led by Brayden Metcalf at 152. Burley sends three wrestlers, with Jake Lake (140) and Christian Parke (130) expected to do well.

**Class 3A** Twenty eight wrestlers will represent District IV in Class 3A. District team champion Kimberly qualified the most with 12, including district winners Jacob Herman (119), Tanner Mulberry (125), Tyson Hardy (160) and Lane Albright (171). Herman finished runner-up at state last year, but the rest of the Bulldogs are seeking their first state medal. "You're always trying to improve. I'm just going to do my best and not stop until the end," said Albright, a senior. "I've wrestled most of the guys in my weight in 3A, so I kind of know what I'm up against. But (districts) is a huge confidence boost, knowing I just beat one of the best wrestlers in the state (in Filer's Jacob Bogner)." Bogner, who finished fifth at state as a junior, will lead a

Idaho State Wrestling Tournament		
<b>District IV qualifiers</b> <b>Class 4A</b> <b>Burley</b> 130: Christian Parke; 140: Jake Lake; 171: Juan Labra. <b>Canyon Ridge</b> 103: Gaige Kepner; 112: Connor Stubblefield; 125: Alex LeBlanc; 130: Johnny Perez; 152: Brayden Metcalf; 160: Chase Smith. <b>Jerome</b> 103: Eric Ayala; 103: Riley Thacker; 119: Kaden Luper; 125: Michael Roberts; 135: Nick Thorne; 152: Joe Carey; 189: Cameron Bartlett; 215: Jade Parsons; 285: Layne Lasike. <b>Minico</b> 119: Isaiah Alvarado; 125: Alberto Ramirez; 135: Austin Gilchrist; 140: Joey Gomez; 145: Dakota Rupard; 160: David Borden; 171: Skye Dansie; 189: Salvador Gutierrez; 215: Jacob Barclay; 285: Brett Thompson. <b>Twin Falls</b> 130: Kendon Freeman; 135: Jake Schvaneveldt; 145: Todd Anderson; 145: Marcus Ko; 152: Jordan Staley; 160: Mark Christensen; 171: Brady Barton. <b>Wood River</b> 112: Cooper Bailey; 112: Tyler	 Bartlett; 119: Jared Anderson; 140: Tommy Bailey; 189: Kasey Barker; 215: Auden Ruhter; 285: Alex Thomas. <b>Class 3A</b> <b>Buhl</b> 112: Adam McLean; 130: Stephen Mejia; 130: Coty Thompson; 135: Allen Compton; 140: Michael McDonald; 140: Kenny Gutierrez; 215: Oren Carlton; 285: Nick Castillo. <b>Filer</b> 103: Andrew Juarez; 125: Pedro Nunez; 145: JaCade Jones; 145: Taylor Deaton; 152: Ryan Orr; 171: Jacob Bogner; 189: Brett Packham; 215: John Beer. <b>Kimberly</b> 103: Bryce Wilson; 112: Holt Bright; 119: Jacob Herman; 119: Zach Stumpf; 125: Tanner Mulberry; 135: Adan Diaz; 152: Kiernen Haskell; 160: Tyson Hardy; 160: Chris Chandler; 171: Lane Albright; 189: Cody Nye; 285: Caleb McClimans. <b>Class 2A</b> <b>Declo</b> 103: Jaime Alonzo; 103: Alex Alonzo; 112: Stirland Zollinger; 112: Frankie Juarez; 119: Josh Phillips; 119: Troy Adams; 125:	 Matt Newman; 130: Justin Cameron; 140: Brad Payne; 145: Jacob Miles; 152: Devon Moss; 160: Jason Gillette; 189: Kage Osterhout; 189: Dextron Thrall; 215: Mark Knobbe. <b>Glenns Ferry</b> 119: Alex Bybee; 171: Devon Turner; 189: Ivan Pedroza; 285: Edy Mesillas. <b>Gooding</b> 112: Dan Flick; 130: Christian Fontaine; 135: Junior Ponce; 140: Torin Brunson; 145: Travis Rison; 160: Sam Dalton; 171: Chance Adamson; 215: Cole McGinnis. <b>Oakley</b> 125: Jake Mittton; 152: Stephan Ortiz; 285: Braxton Sagers. <b>Raft River</b> 103: Colton Rose; 119: Layne Ward; 135: Jade Earl. <b>Valley</b> 119: Brad Gerratt; 135: Casey Ivey; 145: Parker Lamun; 160: Brayden Cantu; 215: Lance Sirucek. <b>Wendell</b> 112: Kaleb Bowers; 125: Schuyler Nebeker; 130: Wyatt Smith; 140: Tyler Egbert; 152: Chris Housley; 171: Alberto Gonzalez; 285: Luis Vital.

group of eight Filer wrestlers to state, including previous state placers Ryan Orr (152) and John Beer (215). As juniors last year, Orr was fifth and Beer finished sixth. "You just have to go hard the whole time, all the time. Heart is the difference at state," Orr said. Buhl's Michael McDonald seeks to become a two-time state champ. The senior has a 25-8 record and earned the top seed at 140. The Indians qualified eight grapplers, including senior Allen Compton (135), a third-place finisher from a year ago, and Oren Carlton (215), who was fifth in 2010. In the team race, American Falls, Bonners Ferry and Snake River are the teams to beat.

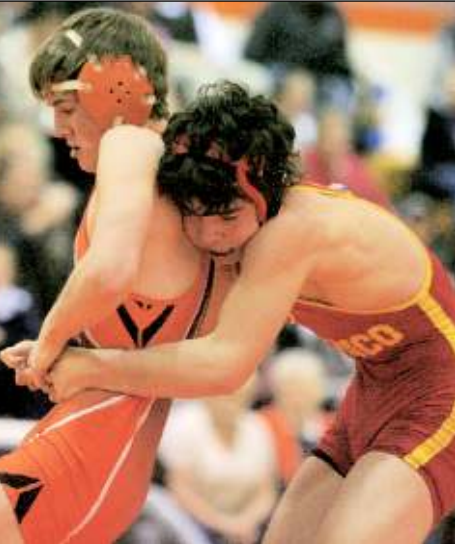
**Class 2A** Declo is expected to compete for a team title along with Challis and North Fremont.

The Hornets qualified more wrestlers than any other Magic Valley team with 15. Jaime Alonzo (103), Stirland Zollinger (112) and Mark Knobbe (215) earned No. 1 seeds while Justin Cameron (130) is seeded second. Zollinger, a sophomore, hopes to become a two-time state champ, while Alonzo and Cameron look to improve from last year's third-place finishes. Oakley junior Stephan Ortiz is a defending state champ, currently 41-1 and seeded first at 152, while teammate Braxton Sagers is No. 2 at 285. "I'm just trying to make sure I stay in good shape so I can outthrust every guy I go against," said Ortiz. "Some other people don't hustle unless it's at the meet, but if you're hustling all the time in practice, you've got an edge." Individual district champs Torin Brunson (140) and Chance Adamson (171) high-

light Gooding's group of eight qualifiers. Valley sends five wrestlers, including Casey Ivey (135), who looks to improve on last year's third-place medal. Also competing for Valley is Brad Gerratt, who didn't qualify from the district tournament due to a scoring error that negated his advancement and allowed Declo's Troy Adams to qualify after Gerratt had already beaten him. However, due to insufficient numbers from across the state in 2A's 119-pound bracket, Gerratt and Glenns Ferry's Alex Bybee, who Adams beat for third place at districts, were both added to the field. Wendell qualified seven, led by senior Tyler Egbert (140). District champ Jade Earl (135) is one of three Raft River wrestlers headed to state, while Glenns Ferry sends four, including last year's sixth-place medalist Ivan Pedroza (189).

# Seniors

Continued from Sports 1 bracket, doesn't dwell on the past, but he certainly learned from it. "I should have realized more the big picture at the state tournament," said Anderson, the only undefeated wrestler in the Class 4A ranks. "Sometimes if I was losing, I kind of lost the mindset. This year I learned that I've got to have the mindset to finish out the year strong, not to get down, but wrestle every match as hard as I can and do what I've been taught." Another senior wrestler who's had an up-and-down journey is Burley's Jake Lake. As a freshman, Lake made the state tournament, only to break his hand in practice the night before it began. As a sophomore, he battled through mononucleosis, strep throat and staph infections. But as a junior last season, it all started to come together for Lake and he finished third at state. He is currently 27-3 and seeded second at 140. "This year things are clicking," Lake said. "Every wrestler has that point where the sport just clicks for him. I hit that toward the tail end of last season and this year it's even more so." Jerome senior Aric Ayala is 31-3 and seeded second at 103. He hopes to improve on his fourth-place finish from a year ago. "I have a big chance this year. It's a challenge I've been waiting for," Ayala said. "The biggest thing for me is to win a state title before I graduate." Ayala's teammate at 135, Nick Thorne, feels confident heading into this weekend after pinning all three of his opponents at districts. He is 37-8 and looks to add to his fourth-place medal from last year. "I feel like I've gotten a whole lot better," Thorne said. "The last couple weeks I kind of lost myself and how I wrestle. The district tournament helped bring me back and hopefully I can keep it going. I'm looking for another medal. If I wrestle as hard as I can I'll get back up where I belong in the higher end of the medals." Another Jerome senior, Joe Carey, is 32-6 at 152 pounds and is seeking his first state medal. "It's everybody's goal to be a state champion. It's everybody's dream," Carey said. "All season comes down to districts and state. I'm going to go wrestle one match at a time, wrestle who I need to when I need to." Burley senior Christian Parke will try to navigate a competitive 130-pound field. "It should be a good tournament," Parke said. "Everybody in my weight is close and I beat the No. 2 kid already." Senior Kasey Barker of Wood River finished sixth last year and is poised for another medal at 189. "I think I'm going to do well," Barker said. "I think all the wrestlers we're taking can do really well. We're pretty young, but we're fighting hard and they have a lot of spirit." In 3A, Buhl senior Michael McDonald is seeded first at 140 and looking to become a two-time state champ. In 2A, two Declo seniors earned No. 1 seeds in Jaime Alonzo at 103 and Mark Knobbe at 215. "I want to help my team win a state championship," Knobbe said "I don't really have a personal goal, but the best way to help my team is to keep winning." Only a few might entertain offers to wrestle in college. That means, for most, this will be the last time strapping on the head gear. "Better make it count," Lake said.



Kaden Luper of Jerome and Isaiah Alvarado of Minico will compete in the 119-pound class at the Class 4A state wrestling tournament Thursday through Saturday in Nampa. Times-News file photo

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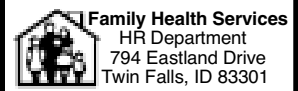
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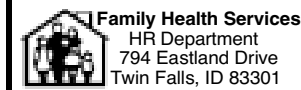
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## Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

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

Difficulty Level ★★★

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8	1	6	2	9	5	4	7	3
9	2	4	3	1	7	6	5	8
5	7	3	4	8	6	2	1	9
2	9	8	1	7	4	3	6	5
7	4	5	6	3	8	9	2	1
6	3	1	9	5	2	8	4	7
1	8	2	5	4	9	7	3	6
3	6	9	7	2	1	5	8	4
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## 216 Sales

### SALES

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## 217 Skilled

### SKILLED

**Field Mechanic** needed in Elko, NV to work on mostly CAT equipment. Must have own tools, have experience with Scrapers, Dozers, Loaders, Blades, etc. Clean Driving Record with CDL Class B License minimum and current MSHA. Wages will be dependent on experience with health insurance and 401k. Need a self starter with the ability to travel. **Send resume to mechanic.elkonv@gmail.com.**

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## 501 Open House

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## 502 Homes For Sale



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Today is **Wednesday, Feb. 23, the 54th day of 2011.** There are 311 days left in the year.

### Today's Highlight:

**On Feb. 23, 1861,** President-elect Abraham Lincoln arrived secretly in Washington to take office, following word of a possible assassination plot in Baltimore.

# TODAY IN HISTORY

### On this date:

**In 1685,** composer George Frideric Handel was born in Germany.

**In 1836,** the siege of the Alamo began in San Antonio, Texas.

**In 1848,** the sixth president of the United States, John Quincy Adams, died in Washington, D.C., at age 80.

**In 1870,** Mississippi was readmitted to the Union.

**In 1927,** President Calvin Coolidge signed a bill creating the Federal Radio Commission, forerunner of the Federal Communications Commission.

**In 1942,** the first shelling of the U.S. mainland during World War II occurred as a Japanese submarine fired on an oil refinery near Santa Barbara, Calif., causing little damage.

**In 1945,** during World War II, U.S. Marines on Iwo Jima captured Mount Suribachi.

**In 1954,** the first mass inoculation of children against polio with the Salk vaccine began in Pittsburgh.

**In 1970,** Guyana became a republic within the Commonwealth of Nations.

**In 1981,** an attempted coup began in Spain as 200 members of the Civil Guard invaded the Parliament, taking lawmakers hostage. (However, the attempt collapsed 18 hours later.)

**Ten years ago:** President George W. Bush opened a two-day summit with British Prime Minister Tony Blair at Camp David. Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld ordered an indefinite moratorium on civilian visitors operating military equipment, a possible factor in the collision of a U.S. submarine collision with a Japanese fishing boat.

**Five years ago:** The snow-covered roof of a Moscow market collapsed, killing 66 people. A United Arab Emirates company volunteered to postpone its takeover of significant operations at six major U.S. seaports, giving the White House more time to convince skeptical lawmakers the deal posed no increased risks from terrorism. Japan's Shizuka Arakawa stunned favorites Sasha Cohen of the United States and Irina Slutskaya of Russia to claim the women's figure skating gold medal at the Turin Winter Olympics.

**One year ago:** The House Energy and Commerce Committee, looking into cases of sudden, unintended acceleration of Toyota automobiles, heard tearful testimony from Rhonda Smith, of Sevierville, Tenn., who said her Lexus raced out of control to speeds up to 100 miles an hour. Dutch skater Sven Kramer lost the Olympic gold medal to Lee Seung-hoon of South Korea when coach Gerard Kemkers sent him the wrong way on a changeover during the 10,000-meter speedskating race at Vancouver.



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**DEAR ABBY:** I am a woman who, after nearly 25 years, is back on the dating scene. Those years were spent in a same-sex relationship. I just happened to fall in love with a woman. I have custody of our child from the union.

I do not put a label on my sexual orientation. I would like to meet a nice man and pursue a new relationship. How do I let interested parties know about my past? Being back in the dating world is difficult enough without having to explain an unusual history.

# — BACK IN THE GAME IN ARIZONA

**DEAR BACK IN THE GAME:** The subject of where you have been for the last 25 years is bound to come up early in a relationship — or even before there's a relationship. My advice is to just be honest. And may I be frank? Some men will find the idea that you were with another woman titillating, while others may even find it a challenge. So don't jump into anything too quickly.



**DEAR ABBY**  
Jeanne Phillips

**DEAR ABBY:** I'm a certified massage therapist who attended a reputable massage therapy school. I worked hard for my certification because my goal is to relieve people of chronic pain issues.

When I'm asked what I do for a living, men start making jokes that imply I'm the type of masseuse who massages naked men for their sexual pleasure. I find this more than a little insulting. They think they're being funny, but I don't!

How can I discourage these innuendos? Should I ignore them and hope they get the point from the expression on my face?

# — OFFENDED THERAPIST IN MICHIGAN

**DEAR OFFENDED:** When someone makes an offensive comment, I see nothing wrong in letting that person know he has "rubbed" you the wrong way. Tell him you studied hard to be in a healing profession — that the innuendo is insulting and not funny, and you're not "that kind" of girl. Period.

**DEAR ABBY:** My hubby is a smoker. He was one when we married. He promised he'd quit before our wedding; it didn't happen. When I became pregnant, he promised again he would stop. Didn't happen.

Our son is now 2 years old and "Tom" still sneaks out to smoke, and I am sure he does at work, too. His mother passed a year ago from cancer — she was a longtime smoker, and his father has now been diagnosed with cancer. (He's a longtime smoker, too.)

I am terrified for Tom and our family. What can I do other than threaten, cry, etc. to get him to stop?

# — KELLY IN TEXAS

**DEAR KELLY:** You're right to be worried and you have my sympathy. Smoking cessation programs are available through the American Cancer Society, but work only if the smoker is willing to avail himself. Nothing you can do will "make" your husband give up tobacco. He has been nicotine-saturated from birth. Smoking is the most preventable cause of death in the U.S. If the fact that both his parents were diagnosed with cancer — probably from smoking — hasn't convinced him to stop, frankly, nothing will.

You can protect your son by insisting that Tom not smoke in the boy's presence — and when he's old enough, that he understands that his father has an addiction and CANNOT stop, as a warning not to start. Then pray the "family tradition" isn't passed down yet again.

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**FILER** 4 rentals for sale. \$50,000 or best offer. Good income property. 208-899-2255

**HANSEN** 2 bdrm., 2 bath, finished bsmt, shop with 5 acres. Call 208-280-3815.

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## 514 Income Property

**RUPERT**



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## 518 Mobile Homes

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**TWIN FALLS** Mobile home, 14'x52', 2 bdrm, 1 bath, Skyline Park #47. \$6400. 280-2333 or 543-6955

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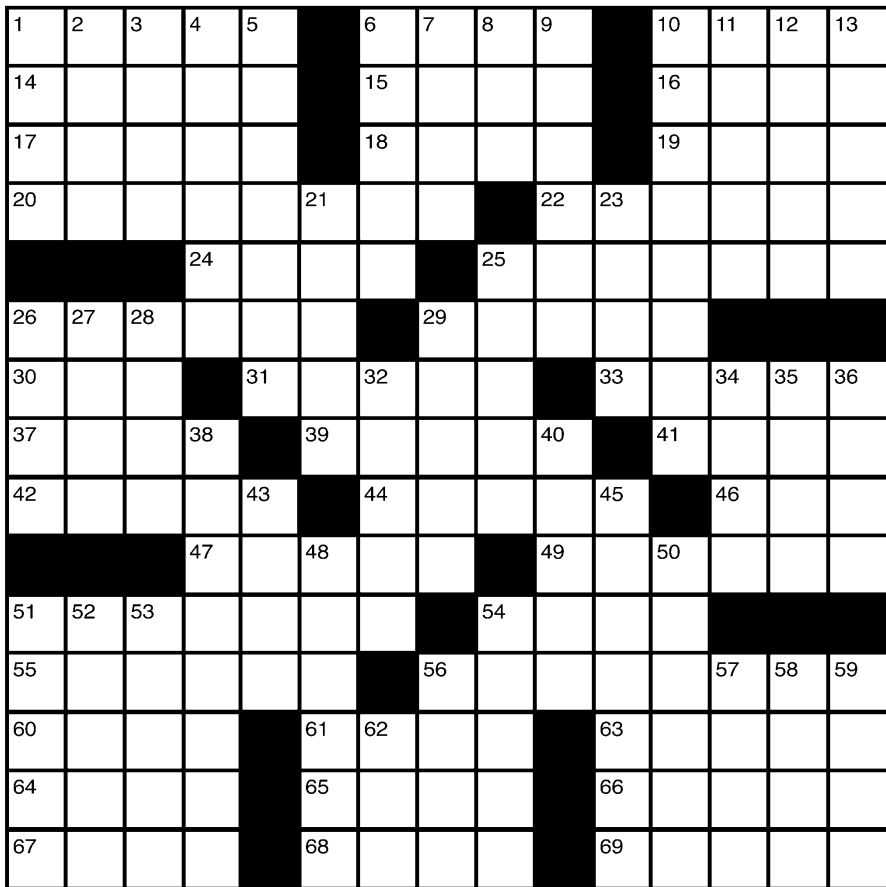


**ACROSS**

- 1 Trial location  
6 Actor —  
Garrett  
10 Has \_\_\_ in one's pants; is jittery  
14 Happening  
15 Bridal veil material  
16 Tight  
17 Spooky  
18 Small bills  
19 Blair or Danza  
20 Make longer  
22 Tooth coating  
24 Finishes  
25 Exact  
26 Property destroyer  
29 "Go get the ball, Fido!"  
30 Actor Wallach  
31 Written slander  
33 "Ode on a Grecian Urn" poet  
37 Jokes  
39 Sleeping place  
41 Urgent  
42 Sooty residue  
44 Nitrogen and oxygen  
46 Meadowland  
47 Spring month  
49 Temporary moral failings  
51 Ardor  
54 Insulting remark  
55 Distributes  
56 Bilateral  
60 Extended family group  
61 Concept  
63 Out of the way  
64 Roof's edge  
65 Rich soil  
66 Overeat  
67 Recolored  
68 Sharp, shrill cry  
69 Go in

**DOWN**

- 1 Cheney or Biden, for short  
2 At any time  
3 Fiddling Roman emperor



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**Tuesday's Puzzle Solved**

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- 40 Phone greeting  
43 Barbecue rod  
45 Bratwurst or knackwurst  
48 In an optimistic way  
50 Penitentiary  
51 Walked back and forth

- 52 Alleviate  
53 One in bondage  
54 Wetland  
56 Greenish blue  
57 Soil  
58 Rim  
59 Bambi, for one  
62 Unknown John

**604  
Unfurnished Apt/Duplex**

**GOODING** Nice newer 1 or 2 bdrm apts available.  
Call **Laura 934-5991 or 961-0011**

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Unfurnished Apt/Duplex**

**SHOSHONE** 1 Bedroom Duplex, \$395, 408 W 5<sup>th</sup>.  
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**TWIN FALLS** 1 bdrm apt. Quiet & secure, downtown, no smoking or pets. Refs. **732-0039** 8am-10pm

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**605  
Rooms For Rent**

**TWIN FALLS** AC, cable, WiFi, all utils. Paid. Weekly/monthly rates. **1341 Kimberly Rd. 208-733-6452.** [www.capriextendedstay.com](http://www.capriextendedstay.com)

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**607  
Office and Retail Rentals**

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**608  
Commercial Property**

**TWIN FALLS** 2-3 booth beauty salon or nail care shop. Good location, willing to improve to suit tenant. \$425/mo utils pd. **539-4907**

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130 Angus Bulls  
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**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** When you're hot, you're hot. Although you might not receive an opportunity to get out on stage where everyone can see you perform, you can make a magnificent impression on someone in private places.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Monkey see, monkey do. For a few hours today, you might be inspired to be more business-like than charming. When you see your partner or others close taking control, you want to try the same thing.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** Those who amplify everything sometimes hear nothing. Concentrate on being charming and persuasive without pumping up the volume. Anyone worth having on your side will hear you loud and clear.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Your emotions aren't in a childproof container. You would like to appear to be the consummate professional, but your feelings can spill out at the wrong moment. Admit that you have a sensitive side.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** The cards you have been dealt might not make a winning hand. If you are playing solitaire, the only thing that hurts is your pride if you lose. If you are betting against others, however, you can lose money.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Follow your dream. Ambitions provide you with an enviable angle from which you can be creative about personal accomplishment. Don't worry about money; steam roll over any obstacles to success.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Sometimes, you must press "O" for the operator. You won't get instant gratification, so you might spend some extra time finding the appropriate individual to hear your ideas. Don't give up too quickly.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** You can scheme and dream. Home and family issues, however, can interfere with your ability to remain poker faced when dealing with financial strategies. Clear thinking, not emotion, is needed.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** Test the waters before diving in. When you are in over your head, it is time to start swimming. Rather than blaming someone or something for your problems, you need to deal with them yourself.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** There is opportunity in crisis. You might find a chance to better your position or improve your net worth, although you would be wise to not begin anything of great importance for another few days.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** Conduct an open dialog as if you're holding the baton at the philharmonic. By giving all a chance to voice their opinion at the appropriate time, you can bring harmony to what might otherwise turn into chaos.

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**SHOAC**  
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**Ans:** " □ □ □ □ " □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □

Yesterday's Jumbles: **YOKE** **CRAWL** **DULCET** **AROUSE**  
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♥ A K Q 8 6  
♦ Q 3  
♣ 7 6 4 2

### WEST

♠ 10 6 5 2  
♥ 3  
♦ K J 9 4  
♣ Q 10 9 3

### EAST

♠ Q J 9 4 3  
♥ J 9 2  
♦ A 10 8 5  
♣ 8

### SOUTH

♠ A K  
♥ 10 7 5 4  
♦ 7 6 2  
♣ A K J 5

Vulnerable: North-South  
Dealer: South

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	2 ♦	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	3 NT	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	4 ♥	All pass

Opening lead: Spade two

### BID WITH THE ACES

02-23-B

South holds:

♠ 8 7  
♥ A K Q 8 6  
♦ Q 3  
♣ 7 6 4 2

South	West	North	East
3 ♦	Pass	2 NT	Pass
?		3 ♥	Pass

ANSWER: Your quick tricks make this hand much better than the typical 11-count. Instead of inviting slam with a quantitative call of four no-trump (no, that is not Blackwood), offer your partner a choice of slams with a jump to five no-trump. If he stops off to offer clubs, you will pass; otherwise, play six hearts or six no-trump.

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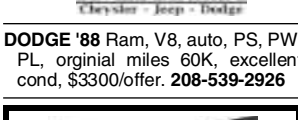
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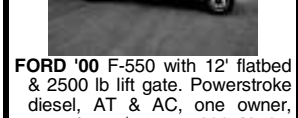
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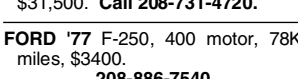
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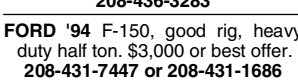
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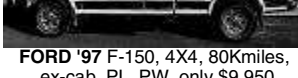
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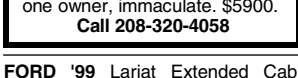
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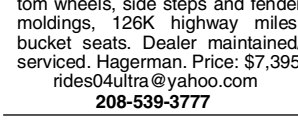
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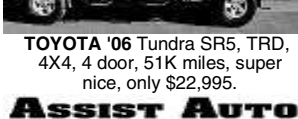
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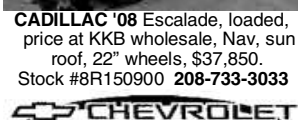


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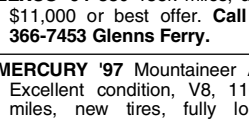
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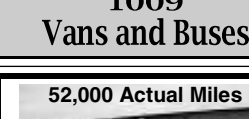
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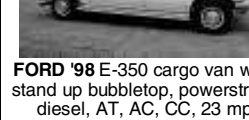
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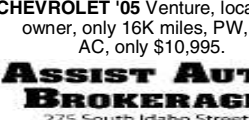
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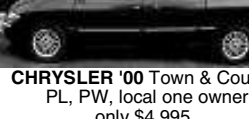
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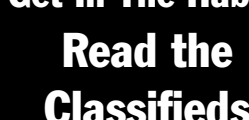
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