

# TIMES-NEWS



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## New Fire Restrictions Start on Public Lands

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**TWIN FALLS** • Fire officials will begin enforcing fire restrictions on state and federal lands now that wildfire danger remains high in parts of south-central Idaho.

Starting Monday, building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire or stove fire will longer be allowed except within a designated recreation site. Smoking is also prohibited on state or federal lands unless you're in an enclosed vehicle, building or in an area at least three feet in diam-

eter that is barren or cleared of wildfire materials.

The last time this level of fire restrictions was enforced was in 2007, said Kyli Gough, spokeswoman for the BLM. During that year, the Murphy Complex wildfire consumed 650,000 acres west of Rogerson, making it one of the worst fires on record in Idaho.

Gough said the ban will be in place until further notice. Fire restrictions cover an area south of U.S. Highway 20 to the Utah and Nevada border. This includes Twin Falls, Lincoln, Cassia, Minidoka, Jerome and Gooding coun-

ties and parts of Blaine and Camas counties that are south of the highway. Sections of Oneida and Power counties in the Minidoka Ranger District of the Sawtooth National Forest are also included in the restrictions.

Exceptions are allowed within city boundaries, and for people with written permission or who are conducting activities in designated areas where fire activity is allowed by written posted notice.

For a detailed map of the fire restrictions visit [www.idahofireinfo.blm.gov/south/firerestrictions.html](http://www.idahofireinfo.blm.gov/south/firerestrictions.html).

### Recent Fire Activity

As thunder and lightning storms rolled in on Friday afternoon, mild rainfall helped keep wildfire damage to a minimum.

The storms may have sparked two wildfires.

West of Rogerson, lightning caused a 100-acre wildfire to ignite just south of Juniper Butte, said Kyli Gough, a spokeswoman for the BLM. Two engines and

one water tender responded to the fire. Fire crews expect to control the fire by this afternoon.

Near Brown's Bench, BLM and Salmon Tract Rural Fire Protection District firefighters responded to a two-acre wildfire, Gough said.

"In both fires, the rain helped keep the fires at a smolder," she said.

### CRIME REPORT



## Annual Crime Report Offers Context for Local Agencies

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**TWIN FALLS** • While crime statistics may show a snapshot of a community, there's a bigger picture behind the numbers, local law enforcers say.

The Idaho State Police recently released its 2011 Crime in Idaho Report, compiled from law enforcement agencies across Idaho.

Lt. Craig Stotts with the Twin Falls Police Department said his agency puts the numbers to use, especially to track crime rates over

longer periods of time. The city of Twin Falls' crime rate may have gone up about 6.5 percent from 2010 to 2011, but compared to 1997 the city's crime rate is down 39 percent.

"You just go back to 2003 and the total number is still down 25 percent," he said. "Just remember this crime report is a snapshot."

With reported crime rising in Twin Falls, the number of people arrested went up as well, by 9.5 percent.

"That tells me our officers are out on the streets," Stotts said. "We're being more proactive arresting the violators of crime and polic-

ing the community."

When the department saw Internet crimes going up several years ago it got a grant to deal with the problem. That grant will end soon, but since the importance of having a full-time person dealing with Internet crimes has become apparent, the department is keeping the position, he said.

Yearly reports on crime rates are important, but law enforcement generally looks at monthly reports to see more immediate trends, said Capt. Tim Miller with the Twin

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## Blue Lakes Roadwork Starts Monday

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**TWIN FALLS** • Blue Lakes Boulevard near the Perrine Bridge will be limited to two-lane traffic at night starting Monday evening to accommodate road repaving.

The affected area of Blue Lakes Boulevard stretches from the intersection of Bridgeview Boulevard and Fillmore Street to the Perrine Bridge.

The restrictions are scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Monday until 7 a.m. Tuesday and 6:30 p.m. Tuesday until 7 a.m. Wednesday.

## INMATE FROM T.F. ESCAPED ST. ANTHONY WORK CAMP

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Padilla

**ST. ANTHONY** • An inmate serving a seven- to 15-year sentence stemming from two grand theft convictions in Twin Falls County has walked away from a work camp in St.

Anthony, according to the Idaho Department of Correction.

Tarango Deforest Padilla, 39, was declared a "walkaway" at 8:32 p.m. Thursday. He was last seen leaving the minimum security facility at 4:08 p.m., wearing a brown coat, blue jeans, white tennis shoes and a white shirt, according to a statement from IDOC.

According to the statement, Padilla is 5 feet 9 inches tall and weighs 190 pounds with a medium complexion, brown hair and brown eyes.

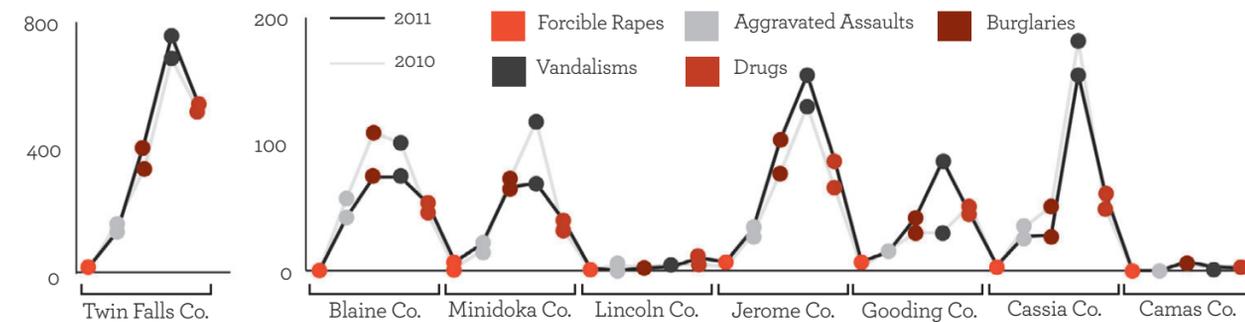
Padilla would have been eligible for parole in 2017.

IDOC is asking anyone with information about Padilla's whereabouts to contact any local law enforcement agency.

Online court records indicate Padilla is in the midst of appealing his theft case to the Idaho Supreme Court. The records list a string of

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### Reported Crimes for 2010-2011 in Magic Valley



## Oakley's Cemetery Inscriptions Reflect Its History



Laurie Welch • Times-News

Keith Warr, former sexton of the Oakley cemeteries, picks up a tumbleweed Friday from a gravesite at the Oakley Cemetery.

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**OAKLEY** • A couple of thousand marked graves scattered across five cemeteries hint at the winding tendrils of the Oakley Valley's deep roots.

For any who care to stop, the inscriptions on the stones whisper about a century of history. The gravestones that speak the loudest bear etchings worn away by harsh mountain winters and no one left to care.

The cemeteries sprang up as a necessity soon after the first settlers arrived in 1878, said Marge Woodhouse, treasurer for the Oakley Valley Historical Association.

Mormons from Utah and ranchers were the first pioneers to see the valley and want call it home.

The Basin, Oakley, Marion, Island and Warm Springs Creek cemeteries sprang up to serve the needs of the various communities in the valley, said Woodhouse. At only two graves, Warm Springs Creek is the smallest.

Frank Carl Bedke, who came from Germany, was one of the first settlers in the valley and was laid to rest in the Basin in 1916.

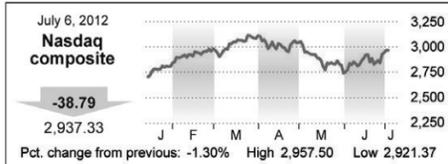
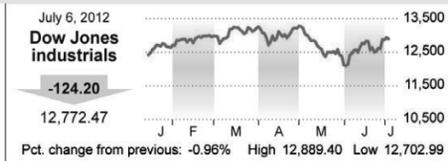
"When you are walking through the cemeteries and looking at the markers you can tell a lot about the people," Woodhouse said. "The younger women probably died in

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**THE MARKET AT A GLANCE**

**U.S. Stocks Plunge after Weak June Jobs Report**

**NEW YORK (AP)** • Investors abandoned stocks Friday after the U.S. government reported that only 80,000 jobs were created in June, the third straight month of weak hiring. The Dow Jones industrial average fell 124.20 points to close at 12,772.47. The loss wiped out the Dow's gain for the week. The reluctance of U.S. employers to add jobs shows that the economy is still struggling three years after the recession officially ended. An average of just 75,000 jobs were created every month in the April-June quarter.



**STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST**

AlliantEgy	1.80	19	45.56	-10	+3.3	Keycorp	.20f	8	770	+01	+1
AlliantTch	.80	6	49.33	-93	-13.7	Lee Ent	...	...	1.63	...	+131.2
AmCasino	.50	8	18.06	+11	+4.5	MicronT	...	...	6.72	-10	+6.8
Aon plc	.60	16	47.28	-79	+1.0	OfficeMax	...	18	5.27	-15	+16.1
BallardPw	...	...	1.14	-01	+5.6	RockTen	.80	24	54.58	-75	-5.4
BkofAm	.04	...	7.66	-16	+7.8	Sensient	.88f	15	36.77	-33	-3.0
ConAgra	.96	28	25.72	-05	-2.6	SkyWest	.16	...	6.97	+24	+44.6
Costco	1.10f	26	93.68	-32	+12.4	TeradyN	...	14	13.67	-72	+3
Diebold	1.14	13	37.21	-112	+23.7	Tuppre	1.44	15	55.26	-18	-1.3
DukeEn rs	3.06f	17	66.23	-234	...	US Bancrp	.78	12	32.01	-28	+18.3
DukeRtly	.68	...	14.72	-02	+22.2	Valhi s	.20f	17	13.28	+08	-34.1
Fastenal	.68	32	40.68	-61	+6.7	WalMart	1.59	15	71.36	-28	+19.4
Heinz	2.06f	19	54.85	+08	+1.5	WasHfed	.32	14	16.68	+15	+19.2
HewlettP	.53f	7	19.57	-71	+24.0	WellsFargo	.88	11	33.05	-08	+19.9
HomeDep	1.16	20	52.15	+04	+24.0	ZionBcp	.04	22	19.39	-03	+19.1
Idacorp	1.32	13	42.37	-33	-1.1						

**MAGIC VALLEY COMMODITIES**

Mon	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change	Dec	1Yen	1.2609	1.2544	1.2601	+ .0058
Aug	Live cattle	119.50	119.08	119.45	+ .30	Sep Euro-currency	1.2414	1.2278	1.2292	- .0109	
Oct	Live cattle	123.65	123.28	123.55	.xx	Dec Euro-currency	1.2425	1.2299	1.2312	- .0104	
Aug	Feeder cattle	146.95	146.85	146.85	+ .90	Sep Canada dollar	9847	9786	9790	- .0061	
Nov	Feeder cattle	154.28	153.95	153.03	.xx	Dec Canada dollar	9833	9770	9770	- .0062	
Jul	Lean hogs	96.73	96.30	96.35	+ .53	Sep Swiss Franc	1.0343	1.0232	1.0242	- .0090	
Aug	Lean hogs	93.80	93.10	93.20	+ .33	Dec Swiss Franc	1.0360	1.0360	1.0360	.xxxx	
Jul	Wheat	837.00	806.00	813.50	-24.50	Sep U.S. Dollar	83.59	82.89	83.51	+ .56	
Sep	Wheat	846.00	818.50	827.75	-19.25	Aug Comex gold	1610.16	1576.4	1580.5	-28.9	
Jul	KC Wheat	840.25	810.75	818.00	-25.00	Oct Comex gold	1610.19	1578.8	1582.0	-29.6	
Sep	KC Wheat	859.25	813.25	840.00	-22.50	Jul Comex silver	27.68	26.89	27.64	.xx	
Jul	MPS Wheat	933.00	901.50	916.25	-24.50	Dec Comex silver	27.81	26.99	27.06	-.69	
Sep	MPS Wheat	935.00	904.25	918.00	-16.50	Sep Treasury bond	150.0	148.3	149.3	+1.1	
Jul	Corn	766.00	746.00	752.50	-15.50	Dec Treasury bond	151.0	150.6	150.3	+1.0	
Sep	Corn	768.00	699.25	693.75	-15.00	Jul Coffee	179.75	177.15	177.45	-1.80	
Jul	Soybeans	1634.75	1605.00	1626.00	- .50	Dec Coffee	184.10	179.10	179.50	-3.75	
Nov	Soybeans	1526.00	1507.00	1509.75	-16.75	Jul Cotton	71.86	71.86	71.86	+ .94	
Jul	BFP Milk	16.79	16.69	16.71	-.05	Aug Crude oil	87.13	84.26	84.81	-2.41	
Aug	BFP Milk	17.55	17.42	17.52	+ .04	Aug Unleaded gas	2.7586	2.7159	2.7267	- .0381	
Sep	BFP Milk	17.87	17.80	17.82	-.05	Aug Heating oil	2.7575	2.7056	2.7151	- .0533	
Oct	BFP Milk	17.80	17.71	17.74	-.11	Aug Natural gas	3.060	2.812	2.816	- .249	
Jul	Sugar	21.86	21.15	21.81	+ .60						
Oct	Sugar	22.38	21.69	22.17	+ .25						
Sep	B-Pound	1.5549	1.5458	1.5473	-.0049						
Dec	B-Pound	1.5538	1.5469	1.5471	-.0047						
Sep	1Yen	1.2623	1.2508	1.2562	+ .0055						

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**GRAINS & METALS REPORT**

**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. Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture, pinto, \$50; pinks, \$45-\$48, V Ltd.; garbanzo, \$40-\$42. Quotes current July 5.

**VALLEY GRAINS**

Prices for wheat per bushel; mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundredweight. Prices subject to change without notice. Barley, \$10.10; oats, \$8.90; corn, \$1.40 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangen's in Buhl. Prices current July 5. Corn, \$1.34; barley, \$11.90 (cwt). Prices quoted by JD Heiskell. Prices current July 5.

**CHEESE**

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange. Barrels: \$1.6750, nc. Blocks: \$1.6400, nc

**INTERMOUNTAIN GRAINS**

POCATELLO, Idaho (AP) - Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain and Livestock Report for Friday, July 6.

POCATELLO - White wheat 700 (steady); 11.5 percent winter 6.50 (down 32); 14 percent spring 8.17 (down 26); barley 10.10 (steady); hard white 7.30 (down 32).

BURLEY - White wheat 707 (down 33); 11.5 percent winter 700 (down 20); 14 percent spring 8.37 (down 13); barley 10.50 (up 25); hard white 7.54 (down 21).

OGDEN - White wheat 6.86 (down 30); 11.5 percent winter 718 (down 32); 14 percent spring 8.60 (down 26); barley 10.37 (up 10); corn 13.14 (down 24).

PORTLAND - White wheat 8.05 (down 9); 11 per-

cent winter 8.34-8.44 (down 34); 14 percent spring 9.99 (down 27); corn 313.75-314.25 (down 4.75-5.00). NAMPA - White wheat 11.83 cwt (up 13); 710 bushel (up 8).

**INTERMOUNTAIN LIVESTOCK**

LIVESTOCK AUCTION - Producers Livestock Auction in Vale OR. Stock cows n/a; butcher cows 76.00-88.00; Thin Shelly cows 61.00-71.00; butcher bulls 76.00-88.00; heavy feeder steers 109.00-132.00; light feeder steers 132.00-163.00; stocker feeder steers 141.00-170.00; heavy feeder heifers 132.00-135.00; light feeder heifers 124.00-157.00; stocker heifers 144.00-156.00; Remarks: Small numbers offered, hard to get a true test of the market.

**GOLD**

London morning fixing: \$191.75 off \$12.25. London afternoon fixing: \$192.00 off \$17.00. NY Handy & Harman: \$1587.00 off \$17.00. NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$1713.96 off \$18.36. NY Engelhard: \$1590.35 off \$17.03. NY Engelhard fabricated: \$1709.62 off \$18.31. NY Merc. gold June Fri \$1578.40 off \$30.50. NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Fri. \$1580.00 off \$25.00.

**SILVER**

Handy & Harman silver Friday \$27.090 off \$0.625. H&H fabricated \$32.508 off \$0.750. The morning bullion price for silver in London \$27.320 off \$1.010. Engelhard \$27.250 off \$0.540. Engelhard fabricated \$32.700 off \$0.648. NY Merc silver spot month Friday \$26.889 off \$0.749.

-Associated Press

**ASK ST. LUKE'S**

**Keep Your Child Safe this Summer**

**Summer is in full swing and I want to make sure my kids are safe with all of the extra outdoor activities we will engage over the next few months. What tips can you share?**

- Lisa, Twin Falls

Answered by Page Geske, Manager, Safe Kids Magic Valley:

**Water Safety**

Each year, more than 830 children, aged 14 and under die as a result of unintentional drowning. Drowning is the second-leading cause of unintentional death among children aged 1 to 4 years and children 10 to 14 years. For infants less than 1 year, drowning is the third leading cause of death. Most of these deaths occur in bathtubs, buckets or toilets.

**WHERE, WHEN AND HOW?**

Home swimming pools are the most common site for a drowning to occur for a child between the ages of 1 to 4 years. According to a national study of drowning-related incidents involving children, a parent or caregiver claimed to be supervising the child in nearly 9 out of 10 child drowning-related deaths.

Between May and August, drowning deaths among children increase 89 percent over the remaining months of the year.

**PROVEN INTERVENTIONS:**

- Four-sided isolation fencing around home pools could prevent 50 to 90 percent of childhood drownings and near-drownings. When used properly, door alarms, pool alarms and automatic pool covers add extra protection.

- Between 1999 and 2003, it is estimated that 85 percent of boating drowning could have been prevented if the victim had been wearing a personal flotation device.
- Educational efforts focused on personal flotation devices and safe boating practices are effective in increasing usage of these devices.

**Bike Safety**

Nationally, nearly 140 children die each year as a result of bicycle accident injuries and almost 690

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children are injured daily due to bicycle-related crashes. National estimates report that bicycle helmet use among child bicyclists ranges from 15 percent to 25 percent. Apart from the automobile, bicycles are tied to more childhood injuries than any other consumer product.

**WHO?**

It has been estimated that 75 percent of fatal head injuries among child cyclists could have been prevented with a bicycle helmet. Children are five times more likely to be injured in a bicycle-related crash than older riders (15 years and older).

More children aged 5 to 14 are seen in hospital emergency rooms for injuries related to biking than any other sport.

**PROVEN INTERVENTIONS:**

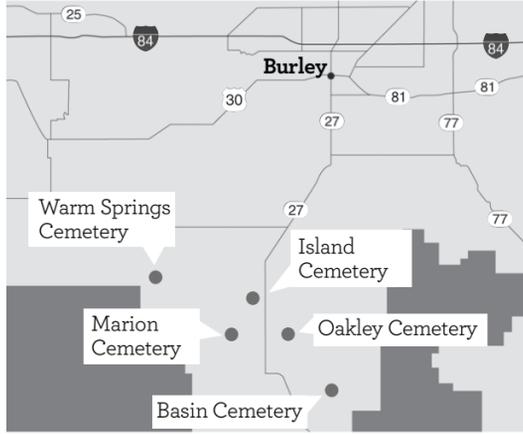
The use of bicycle helmets by children ages 4 to 15 could prevent 135 to 155 deaths, between 39,000 and 45,000 head injuries, and between 18,000 and 55,000 scalp and face injuries annually.

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The graves of Mamie and Angus Okleberry are two of the 38 gravesites in Oakley's Island Cemetery, which lies on the corner of an irrigated field southwest of the city.



JESSA MOSER • TIMES-NEWS

**Cemetery**

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childbirth and you can tell when the diseases and flu epidemics came through. And there are a lot of children's graves."

Island Cemetery was originally on an island in Goose Creek, when the creek - now dried up - flowed from Oakley to Burley.

Florence Wilson, who lived for only one day in August 1882, was one of the first buried there.

Keith Warr, 80, was the sexton for 13 years for the Oakley Valley Cemetery District before his retirement last year. The district cares for all of the cemeteries, except the one at Warm Springs Creek.

Friday, Warr walked around a family plot in the Oakley Cemetery and stooped to remove an errant tumble weed. Like most of the plots in the cemetery, it's been left to the natural prairie grasses and wildflowers.

Community members come out once a year to clean and care for the plots in the valley's cemeteries.

"I was really glad to take care of the cemeteries," said Warr, who lives a quarter-mile from the home he was born and raised in. "I have a lot of ancestors in these cemeteries."

Someday he plans to find a final resting place in the Basin.

"It's really pretty there," he said.

Warr's great-grandfather George Whittle also helped settle the valley and rests in the Oakley Cemetery beneath an ornately carved headstone - and between his two wives.

"He spent a little time in jail for polygamy," Warr said.

A few rows to the west, two white stone spires mark the graves of Daniel Cummins and John Wilson, victims of the Oakley Valley sheep- and cattleherder conflict, which was a microcosm of the battle for grazing land that played out across the West in the late 1800s.

A portion of the inscription depicts the tragedy and grief of those left behind. "Assassinated while on duty sadly in the early spring-time," it reads.

Warr, who spent his years as caretaker looking at every marker, said it's hard not ponder about their lives.

"I think about the families and my own ancestors' trials and what they went through when they first came into this valley," Warr said.

Even death was hard, he said.

Warr said large equipment is now used to open and close graves at the cemeteries. In the early days, it was backbreaking work made even more difficult by a layer of rock not far from the surface.

"When they buried my grandfather it took them four days to dig the grave," said Warr, who was still a child at the time. "I can still see my uncle standing in that hole."

**Padilla**

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convictions for Padilla going back at least 20 years, largely for theft, burglary and drug charges.

In 1993, *Times-News* archives show Padilla, who was 20 at the time, and another inmate, Kristen Bayliss, 19, planned to escape from

the Twin Falls County Jail.

Another prisoner slipped a jailer a note about the plan, the article states. According to that article, a search of the inmates' cells revealed three holes dug in the wall and a metal bar taken from a stool in the jail's exercise room. The 1993 article states the two were prepared to take a hostage to escape, according to the inmate tip.

**COMING UP**

**Fun at the Range**

Andrew Weeks reports about the shooting sports and social scene at area gun clubs.

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**CORRECTION**

**Book Reading to Be Rescheduled**

Due to incorrect information provided to the *Times-News*, an item in Friday's entertainment calendar listed the wrong date for a book reading with author W. Lenore Mobley at the Wendell Public Library. The book reading will be rescheduled at a later date.

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# Wendell to Hear Appeal of Wastewater Contract

BY BLAIR KOCH

For the Times-News

**WENDELL** • The Wendell City Council will hold an appeal hearing regarding a bid for wastewater construction on July 16.

During a special council meeting on June 27, Wendell awarded a \$961,500 contract to Summit Excavation of Twin Falls to complete phase two of its wastewater project.

Summit's bid was the lowest among three bids collected but Boise's Western Construction is appealing the award, arguing the company did not follow Idaho law when completing its bid package.

Western Construction's bid came in at \$971,338 and was the second-lowest price quote for the project, which includes work at the lagoon site.

"Western Construction is guaranteed the right for a

hearing but after that we're not sure what comes next," Mayor Brad Christopherson said Thursday. "We'll have the hearing and then if we need to take further action we'll find out what those are."

The city received Western's formal protest on June 29 through the company's attorney, Jeff Sykes of Boise. Sykes argued that Summit's bid should be set aside and the next lowest bid (West-

ern) be awarded the job because Summit failed to list a licensed plumbing contractor to disconnect the pumphouse from the sewer system and convert it for a supplemental irrigation system.

Awarding the bid was delayed a week so the city could investigate whether work to the pumphouse required a licensed contractor.

City Attorney Calvin Campbell issued an opinion to the city arguing the spe-

cific job did not need a licensed plumbing contractor, likening it to a demolition project.

"For example if the current pumphouse and its facility were to be demolished and replaced in its entirety there would be no need to have a plumber either demolish it or construct the new facility for purely irrigation purposes," Campbell wrote.

Christopherson said phase

two is already several weeks behind schedule and further delays could mean the project won't be completed before winter.

"We have a narrow window of opportunity for seepage testing but we can't pull water from the canal while farmers are still using it, but we can't be so behind schedule to finish and then the water not be there for testing," Christopherson said. "It's going to be close."

## Children, Teens Help at Idaho Horse Rescue

BY BRANDON MACZ

Moscow-Pullman Daily News

**MOSCOW** • When Randy and Rhonda Kent retired, they were hoping to settle down with a few riding horses and take it easy. But the abundance of neglected and abused horses in Latah County was a harsh reality they couldn't tolerate, they said, and other rescue facilities were already at maximum occupancy in their minds.

So the Kents started the Retired Equine And Care Habitat, using their pasture north of Deary to address the medical, nutritional and physical training needs of horses in need.

"Ours are a lot of law enforcement seizures, it's what we try to focus on," said Rhonda. "By the time we seize them, they're pretty bad."

"We do take in from the public, but it's got to be the right situation," Randy said.

There are 24 horses of various ages and stages of recovery from their sordid pasts at the R.E.A.C.H. facility, the older ones benefiting last weekend from

several extra sets of hands coming from the Ponderosa 4-H group in Deary and members of the Washington State University's Center for Civic Engagement.

Started just this year, the Ponderosa 4-H group consists of 14 members from kindergartners to high school seniors. Younger members gathered Saturday to learn about grooming horses and trimming their hooves.

"We try to get them to do community service once a month," said 4H leader Cathy Williams.

Emily Suswal, 8, jumped at every opportunity to brush a horse — a step ladder was required — and eventually got the opportunity to go for a ride.

"I like horses," she said. "They're nice. They're happy. ... I have chickens, though. They don't lay eggs yet, but they will."

Laura Chellson, 10, owns three horses, and has a soft spot for animals.

"I can't stand the commercial on TV about cats and dogs at the pound," she said.

Rhonda said while many

horses are past their prime and unadoptable, R.E.A.C.H. has a respectable 40-percent turnover rate.

Mary Zuhn and her 15-year-old daughter, Bekka, have three rescue horses they keep at their home in St. Paul, Minn., and while on vacation, they decided to drop by the Deary rescue facility after finding out about the organization online.

"We thought we'd come out and hang out and help," she said. "They're very nice people, and they do good stuff."

While WSU students with CCE are sparse in the summer, project leader Nick Montanari said he still gets out to the horse rescue when he can. Typically, students come out every weekend during the school year.

"I use to live on a farm and that's what really attracted me out here," he said as he braced a horse's leg on his and began clipping its gnarly hoof. "Getting out from behind the desk and getting dirty, that's what I really want to do."

## Crime

Continued from the front page

Falls County Sheriff's Office.

"If there's increases in burglaries we look at certain areas to increase patrols," he said."

Jerome County uses similar methods, said Sgt. Rick Cowen

Last year there was a rash of burglaries in Jerome County. Once the crimes were solved, the number of property crimes dropped.

"There's no reason to continue allocating resources when what's going on today doesn't match those results," Cowen said.

Out of the different types of crime, violent crimes are the most important to track, Miller said.

"That's protection of the community," he said.

Miller said regular citizens can also use the statistics to judge whether they want to move to a place.

## Local Stats

The following is the change in local counties' crime rates from 2010 to 2011, as listed in the 2011 Crime in Idaho Report:

**Twin Falls County:**

+6.4 percent

**Minidoka County:**

+8.1 percent

**Lincoln County:**

-21.5 percent

**Jerome County:**

+40.8 percent

**Gooding County:**

+22.9 percent

**Cassia County:**

+0.5 percent

"If I was looking at moving to Idaho it would kind of give me an idea of certain communities I might be moving to," he said.

A high rate of violent crimes such as assaults could mean an area isn't very safe, Miller said.

While crime rates rise and fall, Magic Valley residents should feel safe in general,

**Camas County:**

No change

**Blaine County:**

-18.5 percent

Crime rates can change drastically from year to year, but looking at rates over several years reveals trends. For example, in Jerome County's 40 percent jump in crimes in 2011 actually brought it back on par with the number of crimes reported there from 2007-2009. View the complete 2011 Crime in Idaho report at [Magicvalley.com](http://Magicvalley.com).

Cowen said. He recommends people look at the report and educate themselves.

"We live in a fairly low crime area. The Magic Valley is a good place to raise your kids," he said. "We don't have a lot of things like metro areas like Ada County, but not to say we don't have bad things happen from time to time."

BY BLAIR KOCH

For the Times-News

(Editor's note: Read an extended version of this story at [Magicvalley.com](http://Magicvalley.com).)

**WENDELL** • Another Wendell Library Board resignation was read into the record during Thursday's City Council meeting.

Mayor Brad Christopherson received Briana Low's letter on Tuesday. Although he had a few days to let the news sink in, the disappointment was obvious as he relayed Low's message to the community.

"I've decided to resign my position with the library board effective immediately. I'd like to thank all of the volunteers who were so generous with their time, energy and effort. I truly hope the library will be back on its feet quickly and that you can acquire a team that can successfully manage the library," Low wrote.

Low's is the latest resignation in the continuing drama that is the Sherburn Smith Memorial Library Board. Within the past month, director Suzanne O'Berry and board president Stephanie Green quit, board vice president Kali Lasater was removed by the council and member Octavio Saldana resigned after getting a job out of town.

When reached by phone Friday, remaining board member Carrie Bellum said she was on vacation and declined to comment.

"We're not giving up," Christopherson said, stressing the need to reopen the library, which has been closed

for nearly two weeks, and discussing the city's next steps.

Christopherson said the city closed the library due to lack of personnel and no functioning board.

Hiring a library director is a function of the library board, so identifying and filling the library's governing body is a must.

Christopherson said a good board member would be someone willing to attend meetings, pay bills, give direction to the librarian and who then "stays out of the way."

He said part of the library's problems arose because board members volunteered at the library.

"I don't know if board members shouldn't or can't volunteer, but there seems to be problems when they do because librarians feel like they can't do their job and hurt feelings among other board members arise when they do," Christopherson said during a phone interview Thursday.

After O'Berry resigned in mid-June, Lasater said she continued volunteering at the library to make sure it stayed opened.

Christopherson wouldn't comment directly about why Lasater was removed from the board.

Adequate staff at the library is a dilemma, Christopherson admits, but not one the city can tackle head on.

"The city is still working to pay back its deficit and the library's portion of that is still \$42,000. We can't really afford more employees," he said.

"All that the mayor wants

is a board that is willing to cooperate and board members should do that," Green said. "When he asks for something, they should do it and the board should understand the vision comes from the city. Because without the city there would be no library."

Christopherson hopes a possible new library building will solve some of the problems.

"When you have 70 kids in there that's a great thing when it's for the Summer Reading Program, but you can't have that many kids just hanging out," Christopherson said. "We really do need a bigger facility ... it's a good problem to have."

The possible deal involves a facility swap trading a city/rural fire department building for a school district building.

"I think getting the bigger building will solve a lot of the problems," Christopherson said. "I've been working on it for two years. The building is about three times the size of our current library, which is about 1,800 square feet. It just isn't big enough to meet everyone's needs."

Right now, the school district is determining if the building's doors can be raised.

Trustee Cole Prestwich said the district planned to use the building for bus maintenance. If the door can't be raised, the buses won't fit and the building won't meet the district's needs.

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## WANTED

### Jacob Patrick Berger



Berger

**Wanted for:** Lewd conduct with minor, delivery

**Age:** 19  
**Description:** 5 feet, 11 inches; 162 pounds; brown hair; blue eyes

of a controlled substance, trafficking, three other warrants; \$287,500 bond

**The Cassia County Sheriff's Office** asks anyone with information about Berger to call 878-2511, or Crime Stoppers at 878-2900. Tipsters can remain anonymous.

## COMING UP

### Ice Cream in the Park

Screaming for ice cream? Reporter Tetona Dunlap shares some of the unique flavors you'll find at Rotarians' second annual Ice Cream Funday fundraiser. **Wednesday in Food**



## HAVE YOU BEEN CONVICTED OF A DRUG CHARGE?

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If this information affects you, a friend, or a loved-one, please call Fuller Law Offices at 208-734-1602 or 1-800-967-1133 to schedule a free consultation.

## 5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

### TWIN FALLS COUNTY

#### FRIDAY ARRAIGNMENTS

**Samuel Edward Allen**, 26, Twin Falls; fugitive (Washington warrant), \$2,374.95 bond, public defender appointed, fugitive hearing July 13.

**Samuel Edward Allen**, 26, Twin Falls; felony possession of a controlled substance, \$25,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary July 13.

**James Miguel Cavazos**, 25, Twin Falls; domestic battery, \$500 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial Aug. 14.

**Archie Braun**, 23, Twin Falls; domestic battery, own recognizance release, public defender appointed, pretrial Aug. 14.

**Bryan Adare Stever**, 32, Twin Falls; burglary, grand theft, bond previously posted, private counsel, preliminary July 13.

**Lamont Jess Dewitt**, 50, Twin Falls; felony driving under the influence, bond previously posted, private counsel, pretrial July 13.



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## IDAHO

# Ore. Marijuana Finds Its Way to Idaho

BY NIGEL DUARA

Associated Press

**ON THE OREGON-IDAHO BORDER** • Hurling down I-84 with a bag of medical marijuana and no legal right to possess it, the 23-year-old Idaho man with the crooked grin drove out of Oregon, making a break for home.

But he was soon glancing at his rearview mirror as it filled with blue bursts from a cruiser's lights. He pulled over, studying his rearview, and watched as a very big Idaho State Police officer wearing a black Stetson walked his way.

The trooper said he smelled pot. The young man thought about lying, but didn't. He stepped out of the car, accepted a pat-down and a ticket and was sent on his way.

David Kosmecki was on the same trip dozens of others make on this hilly spit of four-lane asphalt every week, leaving Idaho to buy medical marijuana in Oregon. Police argue the number of travelers is more likely in the hundreds.

Even in Oregon, Kosmecki doesn't have legal access to pot, but a friend does, one who strolled into a border marijuana co-op and walked out with an ounce of Hindu Kush. In his home city of Kuna, Idaho, marijuana costs Kosmecki \$300 per ounce and the quality is iffy. In Oregon, he gets high-quality, sticky bud every time, and it's \$60 cheaper.

More than a decade ago, voters made medical marijuana legal in Oregon, which critics say sent plentiful supplies into markets gray and black. They added a quirk unique to Oregon's law: Out-of-staters can get in-state pot cards, too, as long as they have an Oregon doctor's signature. Across the border in Idaho, simple possession can mean a trip to jail.

The difference creates a kind of tectonic fault line where the states meet. At the epicenter of where it might break loose is Idaho State Police Trooper Justin Klitch.

Klitch, the trooper who arrested Kosmecki, is a six-year veteran. His father served 30 years in the state police and his grandfather was a city cop in Ohio. Klitch tried to leave Idaho and avoid law enforcement, first in Alaska and then in Puerto Rico. He saw the toll of the job etched on his father's



In this photo taken June 20, David Kosmecki, left, 23, talks to Idaho State Police Trooper Justin Klitch, right, in Fruitland, Idaho. Kosmecki was stopped and charged with possession of marijuana after leaving Oregon.

AP PHOTO • NIGEL DUARA

face. But home beckoned.

He applied to other places, but turned down job after job. Finally, the Idaho State Police called.

Now, he has a month-old son of his own. He has earned professional accolades for making more DUI stops than any other trooper, and he prefers that to pot busts at the state line — drunks kill people, he said.

"I'd take a drunk over a pound of dope any day of the week," Klitch said.

But pot possession is often what Klitch finds.

Forty percent of pot seizures in Idaho came from Oregon medical marijuana, according to Idaho State Police records. In Klitch's sector along the border, it was 53 percent.

Officially, only 196 people in Idaho have medical marijuana cards from Oregon, and their best hope for purchasing the drug is Bill Esbensen.

Esbensen and three co-founders opened the 45th Parallel marijuana cooperative in 2010, and its location in Ontario, Ore. about 5 miles from the border isn't a coincidence. Esbensen said he knows people from Idaho, Utah and Nevada need medical marijuana.

"We have oncologists all

over the state of Idaho and other states sending patients to our clinic," Esbensen said. "They're afraid to speak out in their state, but they're willing to send them over here."

Eastern Oregon is not a traditional fit for a medical marijuana cooperative. Hours from Portland and sparsely populated, the eastern third of the state is part of one massive Congressional district, the only one in Oregon where Republicans outnumber Democrats.

Kosmecki, the 23-year-old arrested in Idaho, said his friend got his marijuana from Esbensen's establishment. While not surprised, Esbensen said there's nothing he can do about it. He compares his operation to a pharmacy. Once the prescription drugs go out the door, he has no further control.

Esbensen said he has raised two daughters, each in college, and sold a successful car dealership. With enough money to leave, Esbensen could relocate to a place friendlier to his lifestyle. But that, he says, would violate the trust he's established in the area, leaving behind hundreds of people who rely on him for marijuana.

Now, he devotes all of his

time to the clinic.

He said he knows of people who have moved to Oregon, just to make sure they're following the law. He also knows of several Idaho

every time.

Jeffs said she is a recovering addict, mostly meth. While atop a moving onion harvester a year after getting clean, her hand caught in a

**"It's like crossing the Berlin Wall. It's like going into another country."**

Kendall Jeffs, 41, an Idaho resident who buys medical marijuana in Oregon

patients who regularly make what can be a harrowing journey across the border and back.

People like Kendall Jeffs.

When Klitch, the state trooper, looks for signs a driver is concealing something, he checks for sweaty palms, visibly-thumping heart, thrumming carotid artery.

Jeffs, 41, would be an easy mark. "I just tighten up," she says, and indeed as the Idaho border approaches on I-84, her hands grip the steering wheel tighter. She breathes faster. Her toes curl. Her eyes widen.

Jeffs won't say how often she makes this run, nor will she reveal the route she typically uses. But traveling back from the 45th Parallel to her family farm in Idaho, she's visibly shaking.

This, she says, happens

weed. The weed yanked her arm into the gears, severing two fingers. She got one finger sewed back.

Marijuana is the only way she says she can treat the pain from her missing finger, she said. She picks at her hand often when she's nervous.

Klitch, the state trooper, makes her very nervous.

She's been stopped by him before, though her boyfriend took the charges of marijuana and paraphernalia possession. She herself is facing marijuana charges, for a home search she said was illegal. She knows Klitch is somewhere close, and thinks about him every time she crosses back into her home state.

"It's like crossing the Berlin Wall," she said of the trip. "It's like going into another country."

## Pocatello Revokes Day Care Center's License

**The city's unusual step — the first time it's yanked a license — comes after a 4-year-old boy was abandoned on a park trip.**

**POCATELLO (AP)** • City Council members in the eastern Idaho city of Pocatello have revoked the license of one of the region's largest daycare centers after police say workers left a 4-year-old boy alone at a park for about 90 minutes.

Councilman Roger Bray told the *Idaho State Journal* that Thursday's decision to pull Adventure for Kids' operating license — which effectively shuts it down — marked the first time the city has taken such a measure.

"We have to set aside adult concerns and look at kids," Bray said. About 70 children attend the daycare, and their parents now have 10 working days to find new daycare arrangements.

City leaders made the decision on the recommendation of the Pocatello Police Department, which is investigating the daycare owned and operated by Marianne Cowgill.

Police Capt. Jim Peterson said the department responded to a lost-child call June 13, after a 4-year-old boy was found wandering around Alameda Park. Peterson said the daycare had taken kids to the park on a field trip, but left the boy behind when the rest of the group returned to the facility. He said the daycare workers had no idea the child was even missing until the boy's mother arrived that afternoon to pick him up.

"We have several issues were dealing with here," Peterson said.

The department also is investigating allegations that one of the adult workers at the daycare was unlicensed, and that a similar incident happened in 2007 when an unattended child was left sleeping in a van after a field trip.

Cowgill's attorney, Kyle Hansen of Idaho Falls, asked the council for a less harsh punishment, and said it was unfair to bring up the 2007 incident because the facts of that case are in dispute. He said Cowgill, who has operated the daycare for 16 years, understands how serious it was to leave a child behind and has taken steps to ensure it won't happen again.

"She takes that responsibility very seriously," Hansen said of his client.

Cowgill apologized to the council for leaving the child at the park and said her employees were overcome with regret.

## Areva Could Delay Idaho Uranium Enrichment Project

BY JOHN MILLER

Associated Press

**BOISE** • Areva has yet to announce a financial partner to help build its proposed gas centrifuge uranium enrichment plant near Idaho Falls, raising the potential that construction on the \$3 billion project will be delayed until 2014.

By then, the French-based company said Friday, its balance sheet will have recovered sufficiently to tackle the nuclear fuel facility independently.

Initially, Areva hoped to build in 2011, but deep losses scuttled those plans. The company began searching for a partner and pushed back building until 2013.

Spokesman Mike French said Friday that Areva continues to seek an investor to help with the project. If nobody suitable is found or steps forward, however, that would push construction back months more.

Since the facility's first phase will take about 3 1/2 years to complete, it wouldn't be done until at least mid-2017, in that event.

Even so, Areva remains firmly committed to the Idaho Falls project, is continuing engineering work and is confident signed contracts

with U.S. utilities for a "significant" share of the plant's projected enriched uranium output are intact, French said.

"We've worked with our utility customers and negotiated agreements that satisfy what their needs are, based on our strategy with moving this project forward," he said, from the company's U.S. offices in Bethesda, Md. "They are comfortable."

The French state-controlled nuclear giant lost more than \$3 billion in 2011, a year plagued by management changes, a soured uranium mining venture and jitters following the earthquake and tsunami that caused a nuclear disaster in Japan.

Given Areva's shortfall and existing financial commitments including to complete a new uranium enrichment plant in France, it decided in January it didn't have the capital to stick to its initial Idaho Falls construction schedule.

That meant workers from URS Nuclear, the company due to help build the plant, had to be diverted outside of Idaho, including a streetcar project in Atlanta.

Areva has already secured a federal license to build the

plant and has received a \$2 billion loan guarantee from the U.S. Department of Energy, which French said wouldn't be endangered by pushing the project back until 2014.

"We've briefed the department on everything we're doing," he said.

The Idaho Falls region is banking on thousands of construction jobs from the project to help bolster an economy that's already anchored by the Idaho National Laboratory nuclear energy research station.

There would be another 700 permanent positions, once operations commence.

State economic development officials said they've been kept abreast of Areva's construction projections and are aware of the potential for a 2014 start.

Even if building is delayed again at the site on former agricultural land in the desert west of Idaho Falls, Department of Commerce Director Jeffery Sayer says that doesn't give him pause about prospects of the plant being completed.

"That's the encouraging part, we're hearing strong indicators they want to move forward, it's just a matter of financing," Sayer said. "It's a matter of time and money."

## Idaho Falls Resident Shoots Home Intruder

**IDAHO FALLS (AP)** • Police in eastern Idaho are investigating after an Idaho Falls man shot and injured an intruder in his home.

Idaho Falls Police spokeswoman Joelyn Hansen says 32-year-old Charles Hopkins told police he was sleeping in his basement early Thursday morning when his dogs began barking and woke him up. Hansen says that's when Hopkins apparently

grabbed his pistol and went upstairs to investigate, where he found an intruder using his bathroom.

Hopkins said he told the intruder not to move but the man charged him, so he shot the man twice in his left leg, after which the intruder fled.

Hopkins' 15-year-old daughter called police, and the responding officers found a 22-year-old Idaho Falls man with gunshot wounds nearby.

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## Farm Bill's Food-Stamp Cuts Raise Alarms

BY ALAN BJERGA  
Bloomberg News.

**WASHINGTON** • A House Agriculture Committee plan to push cuts in farm spending beyond levels the Senate approved relies mostly on reductions in food stamps, alarming nutrition activists.

Of \$35.1 billion that would be saved over a decade under the draft plan released Thursday, about \$16.1 billion would come from food stamps, while growers of corn, cotton and other crops would see subsidies reduced by about \$14.1 billion, according to congressional estimates. The cuts in nutrition assistance would be about four times more than those included in legislation the Senate passed last month and about half the size of an earlier House plan that would have dropped 1.8 million people from assistance rolls.

"It's pretty disturbing — these are needy people" being targeted, said Ellen Vollinger, food-stamp lobbyist with the Food Research and Action Center, a Washington-based anti-hunger advocacy group. "They're living at or near poverty, and there doesn't

seem to be a connection to that reality."

About 46.2 million people — more than one in seven Americans — received food-stamps in April, the last month for which statistics are available. That was down 0.7 percent from the record in December. Funding for the program reached a record \$75.7 billion last year, double the level of four years earlier. This expenditure plus record farm profits are making the agriculture bill — a five-year reauthorization of U.S. Department of Agriculture programs — a target for budget cutters.

Under the House proposal, which will be considered by the agriculture committee July 11, subsidies would fall by about \$14 billion over 10 years, or \$1 billion less than the Senate plan. That legislation calls for a total of \$23.6 billion in savings across all programs.

The House plan, which cuts farm subsidies and crop insurance by 9.2 percent and food stamps by 2 percent, is "reform-minded, fiscally responsible policy that is equitable for farmers and ranchers in all regions," Rep. Frank Lucas, R-Okla., said in an emailed statement.

## More States Freed from No Child Left Behind

BY DONNA GORDON  
BLANKINSHIP  
Associated Press

**SEATTLE** • Although more than half the states are now exempt from the toughest requirements of the federal "No Child Left Behind" education law, Education Secretary Arne Duncan said Friday his goal remains to help Congress fix the law, not to sidestep the stalled overhaul effort.

The Obama administration's announcement Friday that Washington and Wisconsin have been granted waivers from the education law brought to 26 the number of states now free from many of its requirements.

The Idaho State Department of Education submitted a waiver in February, but it hasn't been approved. If approved, schools could be held accountable under a new five-star system.

Allowing waivers has brought a level of creativity to education reform that was unexpected when Duncan and

President Barack Obama opened the waiver process nearly a year ago.

Congress could come up with a great plan for reauthorizing the federal law by adopting the best ideas from the states' waiver applications, Duncan said at a news conference Friday.

Lawmakers remain at a stalemate over the long overdue rewrite of the widely criticized law, which was a signature accomplishment of the George W. Bush administration. Obama sent Congress an overhaul proposal two years ago.

Making the law formally known as the Elementary and Secondary Education Act irrelevant is not the Obama administration's goal, Duncan said.

"Our Plan A is to reauthorize. We stand ready to reauthorization if it's on Monday or next week or six months from now," he said.

The Education Department began granting waivers in February in exchange for promises from states to improve how they prepare and evaluate

students and their teachers. The executive action by Obama is part of an ongoing effort to act on his own when Congress is rebuffing him.

"A strong, bipartisan reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act remains the best path forward in education reform, but as 26 states have now demonstrated, our kids can't wait any longer for Congress to act," Duncan said in a statement released Friday.

The 10-year-old law requires all students to achieve proficient math and reading scores by 2014, a goal that many educators say is impossible.

Members of both parties say No Child Left Behind is broken, but they have been unable to agree on how to fix it. While the law has been praised for focusing on the performance of minorities, low-income students, English language learners and special education students, it has also labeled thousands of schools as "failing" because of the stringent ways it measures success.



A U.S. Marine sweeps for land mines in the Helmand Province of southern Afghanistan in September 2011. U.S. troops in Afghanistan have quietly achieved one small but important victory over the past year: They are finding and avoiding more improvised explosive devices, or IEDs, than a year ago.

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## U.S. Improves Bomb Detection



U.S. Marines patrol with the help of a metal detector in September 2011, in Sangin district, Helmand province.

U.S. troops score a win against IEDs in Afghanistan over the past year.

BY KIMBERLY DOZIER  
Associated Press

**WASHINGTON** • U.S. troops in Afghanistan have quietly achieved one small but important victory over the past year: They are finding and avoiding more improvised explosive devices, or IEDs, than a year ago.

That's thanks to a surge in training, equipment and intelligence.

Lt. Gen. Michael Barbero is director of the Pentagon's effort to defeat the bombs. Barbero says half as many bombs hit their mark from January through March as during the same time last year.

Bomb-planters have picked up the pace again during the summer months, planting explosives along roadsides or footpaths.

But new figures released to The Associated Press show a slow, steady decline over the past three years in the effectiveness of IEDs, which had been the leading cause of death and injury in Afghanistan.



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In this Feb. 22, 1971, photo, Army Chief of Staff Gen. Mustafa Tlass (front row, 2nd from right) and Air Force General Najji Jamil (1st right) surrounded by other members of Parliament on election day in Damascus, Syria.

## U.S., Allies Press Assad as Top Syrian General Flees

BY BRADLEY KLAPPER  
Associated Press

**PARIS** • U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton on Friday hailed an accelerating wave of defections in President Bashar Assad's inner circle as the United States and its international allies pleaded once again for global sanctions against the Syrian regime. Frustrated by the slow pace of diplomacy, Clinton lambasted Russia and China for standing in the way.

Speaking after a 100-nation conference in Paris, Clinton said Syria's "regime insiders and the military establishment are starting to vote with their feet" by abandoning the four-decade Assad dynasty. She spoke after Western officials reported top Assad aide Brig. Gen. Manaf Tlass had left the country.

"Those with the closest knowledge of Assad's actions and crimes are moving away," Clinton told reporters. "We think that is a very promising development. It also raises questions for those remaining in Damascus, who are still supporting

this regime."

Tlass' departure from Syria provided welcome news for the U.S. and its European and Arab partners after another gathering of the "Friends of Syria" group that demonstrated the international community's continued inability to end 16 months of bloodshed that activists say has killed some 14,000 people.

The defection of Tlass, a member of the elite Republican Guards and a son of a former defense minister, is the first major crack in the upper reaches of Assad's regime, which has remained largely cohesive throughout the uprising.

Tlass has not spoken publicly since his defection and his whereabouts remain unknown, though French Foreign Minister Laurent Fabius announced that the general was en route to France, where Tlass' sister lives. Fabius later backtracked, saying he was not sure of Tlass' final destination.

Even those closest to him "are starting to realize that you cannot support a butcher like Mr. Bashar Assad," Fabius said.

## \$?(&! What Did that Politician just Say?

BY JENNIFER PELTZ  
Associated Press

**NEW YORK** • What the \$?(&! is going on with our politicians?

The mayors of New York and Philadelphia and the governor of New Jersey let loose with a few choice vulgarities over the past two weeks in otherwise G-rated public settings, including a town-hall meeting and a City Hall event.

And all three men knew full well the microphone was on.

While foul language has been uttered in politics before, the blue streak is making some wonder whether it reflects the coarsening effects of pop culture in this reality-TV era of "Jersey Shore" and "The Real Housewives," a decline in public discourse, a desire by politicians to come across as average Joes, or just a really hot summer.

First there was famously blunt New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie branding a lawmaker "one arrogant S.O.B." at a

town hall last month (and using some stronger epithets in discussing his passion for the music, though not the politics, of Bruce Springsteen in an interview published in *The Atlantic* this month.)

Then New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg, apparently having trouble stomaching a slew of puns in his prepared remarks for Tuesday's contestant weigh-in at City Hall before the Fourth of July hot dog-eating contest, chuckled, "Who wrote this s---?" to guffaws from the crowd.

Then it was Philadelphia Mayor Michael Nutter's turn on Thursday at a news conference where he discussed a shooting a few blocks from the center of the city's July Fourth celebration. He said he wasn't going to let the city's image be harmed by "some little ass — 16-year-old."

"My sense is: Because they want to appear to be in tune with popular culture, politicians feel free to express themselves in profane ways," said Rut-

gers University political scientist Ross K. Baker. And he finds that troubling: "I honestly do believe that, in aping the coarseness of popular culture, people in public life are really dragging us into a discourse of fang and claw."

President Harry S. Truman was criticized for his use of such salty language — for his time — as "hell" and "damn!" And many Americans were shocked by Richard Nixon's liberal use of profanities on the Watergate tapes, which made "expletive deleted" a pop-culture catchphrase.

In more recent years, then-candidate George W. Bush was caught on what he didn't realize was a live microphone describing a reporter as a "major-league ass —," and Vice President Dick Cheney hurled the F-word at Vermont Sen. Patrick Leahy on the Senate floor.

In 2010, Vice President Joe Biden was heard using the F-word on live television in a whispered congratulation to President Barack Obama at the signing of his health care bill.

# OPINION

*"I think that we have had 12 kinds of sanctions so far and none of them affected or stopped the killings in Syria."*

Adib Shishakly, a member of the opposition Syrian National Council, on the eve of the "Friends of the Syrian People" gathering of 80 nations in Paris.

## CHEERS & JEERS

**JEERS** to another year of struggling to pay for fireworks. By all accounts, this year's 20-minute fireworks display was a crowd hit. Even though it was a couple of minutes shorter than prior years, there were lots of surprises.

The problem this year was that raising the money to fund the \$1,000-per-minute fireworks display was well-publicized fiasco.

The problem, said pyrotechnics specialist Neil Chrstensen, is the same every year. Everyone expects others to pay for it.

While the Fourth of July funding trouble is still on everyone's mind, now is a good time to sit down and examine what will be done for next year so we aren't singing the same chorus next June. If and when the community's help is needed, let us know well before it's time to hit the panic button.

**CHEERS** to the city of Twin Falls for its showing at the Association of Idaho Cities Conference in Boise. The city won five awards. The awards were for improving water quality, the city's recycling program, the city's five-year budget forecasting model, the Chobani project and the arsenic-reduction project. Congratulations.

**CHEERS** to the Magic Valley and Sun Valley firefighters who spent the Fourth of July far from home, battling blazes in Pocatello, Nevada, Colorado and Alaska.

Firefighters from Sun Valley, Hagerman and Minidoka County helped to fight and then mop up the 1,038-acre-fire near Pocatello. Twin Falls firefighters were in Wyoming and Utah this week fighting wildfires.

And it's only the beginning of July.

Thanks for all you do to keep lives and property safe at home and around the West.

## LETTERS OF THANKS

### Contributions Helped Make Car Show a Success

The Snake River Corvette Club would like to thank our major sponsor, Con Paulos, for his continuing support during our recent car show. We would also like to thank other sponsors of the show:

Magic Valley Spine and Joint, Mike Casel, Kurt's Pharmacy, Kren-  
gle's Hardware, SavMor Drug and Twin Falls Automotive.

Businesses who also donated for the car show are Beno's Jewelers, Hands On, Title Fact, Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce, Rudy's — A Cook's Paradise, Valley Brake and Truck Parts, Jeff Marler and AAA Insurance, Tony's 2T Auto Wash, Franklin Building Supply, Mandarin House, Daylight Donuts, Keegan's, United Dairy-men's Association, Subway, Pepsi, Rogerson Mall, Auto Zone Twin Falls, Starbuck's, Buzz's Antique Mall, Quick Draw Embroidery, Gollay's Twin Falls Granite and Marble, and Quality Roofers.

Thank you to each of these contributors.

SRCC is a nonprofit organization which supports children's charities. Charity beneficiaries for this year are Safe Kids of Magic Valley,

Camp Hodia for children with diabetes, Jerome Coats for Kids, Twin Falls Coats for Kids, Pregnancy Crisis Center of Twin Falls, Foster Kids, and donations to several area schools for supplies, help with student fees and other student expenses.

Your contributions helped make the car show a success.

**JUDY SCHROEDER**  
Secretary  
Snake River Corvette Club  
Twin Falls

### Thank You for the Great Customer Service

In today's modern world of hustle and bustle, hurry up and stand in line, it is great to see some good old great customer service.

Last October, we traded in a camp trailer on a "modern" trailer with slides and all the goodies we had missed. Returning from our winter in Yuma, Ariz., we found a problem that needed repair, so we contacted our dealer. Not only were we very pleased with the deal on our new purchase, the repair was way above and beyond anything that we expected.

Thank you, Mike Schrank from Intermountain Motor Homes. We will be back.

**DENNIS MOORE**  
Jerome



## ONLINE COMMENTS

**The online conversation continues in response to "Letter to the Editor: Animal Trapping an Unfortunate Addition to Hunt Amendment:"**

**jaye:** "Hurray for the legislature. Most people are not opposed to hunting, fishing or trapping, and the hunters and fishermen should support trapping as it improves the game and fish numbers that are available for them. Some studies show a 98 percent increase of waterfowl, also a study shows coyotes killing 86 percent of antelope fawns in the first two weeks of being born. Also an animal caught in a foothold trap cannot wrench

itself free with the offset jaws, lamination and swiveling of the traps that are stressed in the best management practices. A lot of the time, the animal is asleep when the trapper approaches. This is about non-informed emotional responses that want to stop hunting, fishing and trapping, starting with trapping. ... If you think that trapping a coyote, for example, isn't fair chase, try and go catch one. ..."

**A Magicvalley.com reader responded to the editorial "Playing with Fire on the Fourth of July:"**

**garcia72:** "I agree. I couldn't sleep Wednesday or

Thursday night because of all the illegal fireworks going off in my neighborhood. I was afraid my house would start on fire. My yard was full of weeds and I had sprayed them and they were dying and dry. And I have a huge pine tree and with all the dry heat I was afraid that if a spark came into my yard it would ignite. There is a reason certain fireworks are illegal."

**An online reader responded to the article "New Idaho Laws In Effect Today:"**

**read22:** "What you fail to mention about the animal cruelty felony is that it is a

completely fake felony. A person must be charged "intentional and malicious infliction of pain, suffering, injury or death." It is virtually impossible to prove malicious intent even once, let alone three times by the same person. No one will ever be charged with a felony under this horrible, fake piece of legislation authored by the Cattle Association and Woolgrowers and sponsored by Sen Bert Brackett. What in the world are they afraid of? Every other western state has real felonies that include torture; This felony in name only leaves something as horrible as torture as a misdemeanor!"

## LETTERS OF THANKS

### Family of Ralph Peters Grateful for Community Support

The family of Ralph Peters would like to thank you all for the cards, flowers, food and memorials during this difficult time.

We would also like to thank the Air Force Honor Guard who took part in the memorial ceremony and the Navy Honor Guard who helped celebrate Ralph's brother, William Frank Peters, who gave his life in World War II.

We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to Guardian Hospice for their wonderful care of our beloved husband and father. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

**BLANCHE PETERS**  
Peters Family  
Jerome

### A Huge Thank You to Firefighters for Saving our Home

To our local firefighters: Because of you, those of us living at 3434 E. 4000 N. are able to continue enjoying the comfort of our homes and property due to the prompt and efficient action of our Rock Creek and Twin Falls fire departments when you stopped a wildfire speeding toward us on June 27, 2012. My husband and I came

to Kimberly three years ago after living in the San Bernardino Mountains of Southern California, where we lived with threat of forest fires, mudslides, debris flows, huge flash floods from the surrounding mountains, snow and ice, falling trees and branches and widow-maker pine cones, prolonged power-outages, water shortages, earthquakes (one of the quakes showered huge boulders, one of which was house-sized, down the slope that landed 40 feet away) and an often-closed road to safety, leading to numerous evacuations every year.

After breathing sighs of relief at being safe from years of such excitement, we have to laugh at this recent close call from a planned burn. On behalf of our neighbors and us, we say a huge "Thank you and God bless you!"

**RICHARD ECKROTH**  
**SUE ECKROTH**  
Kimberly

### Thank You for Making Little Boys' Wish Come True

The Magic Valley Chapter for the Wishing Star Foundation would love to thank all who were involved in the granted wish June 27 and 28.

Steve at All Season's Landscaping and his crew were working all day

Thursday in 95-degree weather installing little Tucker's custom built sandbox and the Byron and Ruthie Webb family of Twin Falls spent nine hours in the heat installing the amazing swing set for Carter! A special, huge thank you goes to George Bobango for sponsoring the boy's shopping spree to ToyTown and Walmart! We need to mention how wonderful ToyTown's staff is and how grateful we are for their support! We also want to thank Trent Stimpson with Reynold's Funeral Home for the generous use of the limo and its wonderful driver, Justin Welker!

It takes many generous hands to grant wishes and and, of course, lots of generous donations! We are so grateful for Magic Valley's wonderful community and all its support!

Please visit our website at [www.wishingstar.org](http://www.wishingstar.org) if you want to donate, get involved or need to refer someone to our foundation for a wish.

**ALLIE VARGAS**  
President  
Magic Valley Chapter  
Wishing Star Foundation  
Twin Falls

### Thank You for 50 Years of Support from the United Way

On behalf of the United Way of South Central Idaho, I would like to thank the

citizens, companies and organizations of Blaine, Camas, Custer, Gooding, Lincoln, Twin Falls, Butte, Cassia, Elmore, Jerome and Minidoka counties, and Jackpot, Nev., for your support over the past 50 years since our founding here in Twin Falls on June 27, 1962.

Over those 50 years, our citizens have helped us raise and distribute more than \$9 million to needy organizations in our communities. We thank you for that but want everyone to know that there is still much need to be met, and we need everyone's help. Please encourage your employers to hold Workplace Giving campaigns so that everyone can have a chance to make a donation to the United Way. Just a few dollars a paycheck goes a long way in helping many organizations and individuals, including providing Meals on Wheels for senior shut-ins.

Please also join us Saturday, Sept. 15, at Twin Falls City Park for our Community Partnerships in Action from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. where many of our partner agencies will be on hand to tell how they assist those in need.

Thanks again to all of our citizens who help us "Live United" — by uniting people and resources for a stronger community.

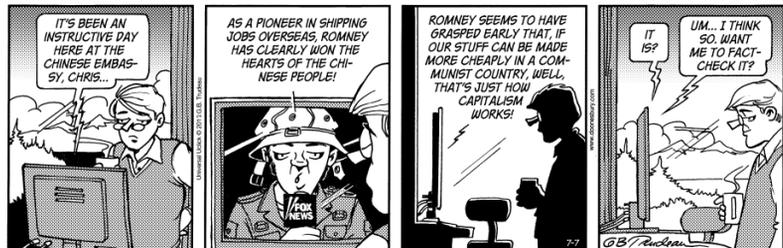
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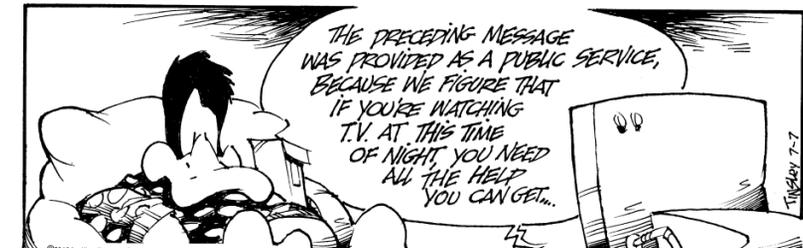
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## Libyan Election: Winning Means Standing out in Crowd

BY NANCY A. YOUSSEF

McClatchy Newspapers

**TRIPOLI, Libya** • Shukri Baker's notion of politics — like most Libyans' — was once limited to the four-decade push to get rid of former Libyan leader Moammar Gadhafi, in Baker's case as an underground organizer during last year's uprising that led to Gadhafi's fall.

On Saturday, Baker will experience an overdose of democracy during Libya's first election in more than 50 years. He is one of 158 candidates for three seats in a district of 300,000 people. Baker is one of 4,000 candidates vying for 200 parliamentary seats.

His job for the last month as a candidate has not been to sell his views or his vision for Libya, but to stand out in the crowd.

With so many candidates running in such a short election cycle, a vote slated to redefine Libyan politics in the post-Gadhafi era has very little to do with political vision. The winning candidates will largely consist of those with the most posters, the largest tribes, the best social network or the most number of friends, Baker and other parliamentary candidates said.

## New Phase of Flight Program Begins

**LOS ANGELES (AP)** • The Defense Department's research arm will seek proposals next month for solutions to technology hurdles in super-high-speed flight with a goal of testing a full-scale hypersonic X-plane in four years.

The Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency said Friday it will host a so-called Proposers' Day on Aug. 14 to lay out technical areas for which proposals are being sought.

DARPA has tested highly experimental versions of a rocket-launched unmanned glider designed to fly at speeds 20 times the speed of sound, or Mach 20. The goal is to give the U.S. a defense capability of reaching any spot on Earth in an hour.

But such aircraft have to endure blast-furnace heat and require extraordinary controls.

# Farm Parody of 'Sexy and I Know It' Goes Viral

BY ROXANA HEGEMAN  
Associated Press

**WICHITA, Kan.** • Kansas State University student Greg Peterson and some friends were unwinding at a drive-in restaurant when LMFAO's song "Sexy and I Know It" came on the radio. He groaned.

But as the chorus droned on, the 21-year-old found inspiration. He switched "sexy" to "farming" as he began rapping. Then he started coming up with lyrics. It would be fun, he thought, to do a video parody with his brothers when he returned home to the family farm in central Kansas.

Peterson said the brothers aimed the video at their city



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*This frame grab from video shows Assaria, Kan., brothers, from left: Kendal, Greg and Nathan Peterson in their video parody on 'Sexy and I Know It.'*

friends on Facebook because they "hardly knew anything about the farm." They ended up educating the world. "I'm Farming and I Grow It" video

has become an Internet sensation with more than 3.2 million views since it was posted June 25 on YouTube.

Its success has been hailed

by farm groups, documented by newspapers and even won the brothers a whirlwind trip to New York City for a television appearance on Fox News Channel's "Fox & Friends."

Peterson said he and his family have been a little bit overwhelmed by all the attention and he's doing "some normal things" now to keep sane.

"I am just trying to rest my brain a little bit and get back to, you know, this is reality," he said by cellphone. "This is something I can understand, whereas when I was in New York, everything was just hitting my mind, and it was kind of like, 'I can't believe this, I can't believe this!'"

The 21-year-old Kansas

State University senior isn't the first to parody LMFAO's club hit. Spoofs include "Elmo and I Know It," which features the popular "Sesame Street" character, "I'm Average and I Know It," and "Santa and I Know It."

Peterson's 3:32-minute video begins at the break of dawn with him and his brothers, Nathan, 18, and Kendal, 15, walking across a field of golden wheat that sways gently in the wind. The scenes then shift rapidly to the song's beat, showing the brothers doing chores, driving combines and tractors and jumping on hay bales. It ends with the three walking off into the sunset across a field where the wheat has been harvested.



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*A U.S. Air Force plane flies over the Waldo Canyon fire west of Colorado Springs, Colo. The demise of a California company that built the device that sprays fire retardant from these U.S. military C-130 cargo planes has some experts worried that a lack of spare parts and maintenance could create more problems for a program with a long record of success in fighting wildfires.*

## No New Parts for Wildfire Planes

BY MEAD GRUVER  
Associated Press

**CHEYENNE, Wyo.** • The demise of the only company that manufactured a device specially designed to spray fire retardant from the back of U.S. military C-130 cargo planes has some experts worried about the future viability of a program that has helped fight wildfires for 40 years.

The Modular Airborne Firefighting System is a bus-sized device that can be shoved into the belly of a cargo plane and then used to spray retardant, or slurry, at 3,000 gallons in less than 5 seconds. The \$4.9 million device's only manufacturer, Sacramento, Calif.-based Aero Union, went out of

business in August, and no other company has replaced it. Critical spare parts also are no longer being made.

The MAFFS C130s are operated by three National Guard and one reserve unit in Wyoming, Colorado, North Carolina and California. Wyoming's MAFFS have been deployed as far away as Indonesia. Last year, MAFFS C-130s flew to wildfires in Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, Oregon and Mexico. They've been critical again this year against wildfires in Colorado, Montana, Wyoming and South Dakota.

"Thank God we have them. Can you imagine if we didn't have them?" said Tony Morris with the Wildfire Research Network, a Pacific Palisades, Calif., group

that advocates for improved means to fight wildfires.

"At what point can we maintain control, or at what point do these fires burn out of control?"

Aero Union closed after the U.S. Forest Service canceled a contract worth a guaranteed minimum \$14.5 million a year for firefighting services by six P-3 Orion air tankers. The Forest Service said Aero Union wasn't keeping up with inspections for those planes.

Aero Union is contesting the revocation in federal administrative court. Dallas-based Comerica bank foreclosed on Aero Union and offered the MAFFS-related assets at auction last winter. They failed to sell.

A bank spokesman de-

clined to discuss any plans for those assets.

The Forest Service has stockpiled enough major parts, can source many smaller parts, and can mend the biggest parts no longer being made to keep the system running, said Scott Fisher, MAFFS coordinator for the Forest Service.

"The system was built for at least 20 years," he said. "I would not be surprised to see this thing fly for a full 30 years."

Eight of the planes were flying until a North Carolina Air National Guard C130 crashed in South Dakota on July 1, the first major accident in MAFFS program history. The crash killed four of six crew members and was still being investigated.

## Baby Beluga Whale's Rescue in Alaska Marks a Hopeful Milestone

BY LAURA J. NELSON  
Los Angeles Times

**LOS ANGELES** • The two Alaskan fishermen had stopped to examine a bald eagle when they noticed something sleek and gray in the Bristol Bay surf: a baby whale in the shallows, faintly whistling and clicking.

The beluga whale, already dehydrated and disoriented, soon swam away, but then circled back to shore.

The fishermen began making phone calls. In almost no time, marine specialists raced in. The Alaska SeaLife Center — a research and rehabilitation organization — grounded local flights, then settled the whale calf on an air mattress, draped him in wet towels and airlifted him toward safety.

"It was a nail-biting hour and a half," SeaLife President and Chief Executive

Tara Riemer Jones told the Los Angeles Times. "They thought they lost him a couple times."

But the baby beluga is a fighter, his handlers say. He survived the June 18 rescue and continues to recuperate, marking the first successful American rescue of a baby beluga whale on record.

Such a recovery is so rare that teams from around the country — including the Shedd Aquarium in Chicago, the Georgia Aquarium in Atlanta and SeaWorld in San Diego — have flown in to help with the calf's around-the-clock feedings and care. The efforts cost more than \$2,000 a day, Jones estimates.

The newborn was most likely separated from his mother during a fierce windstorm off the southwestern coast of Alaska, Jones said, and never drank her milk. A baby mammal's first feedings provide anti-

bodies that build a strong immune system. The beluga now has little to no protection against disease.

Recovery from the trauma of starting life alone in a big ocean may take months, Jones said. Typically, baby whales stay with their mothers for two years.

"Just like a baby in the NICU, it can go either way," Jones said. "He's on the

path, but not out of the woods."

The calf was underweight, dehydrated and hypoglycemic when he was checked into the pool. Feedings through a stomach tube and a bottle, when he takes it, have brought the 5-foot calf's weight up to 115 pounds. He has begun to tentatively whistle and click again through his

blowhole, the cetacean version of a newborn's first wails.

Until his weight improves and his immune system stabilizes, two marine mammal workers remain with the calf at all times. To keep him alert and entertained, they use the whale version of pool

toys: foam noodles, plastic kelp and weighted balls.

When he's tired, he swims slowly, one side of his brain asleep. When he's alert, he darts in circles around his handlers, nuzzling them with his rubbery skin, his broad nose stretched in what looks like a smile.

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# Two Dead as Violent Storm Lashes Great Smokies

BY ERIK SCHELZIG  
Associated Press

**TOWNSEND, Tenn.** • Crews spent Friday clearing trees and reaching stranded visitors at Great Smoky Mountains National Park in Tennessee, a day after violent thunderstorms swept through the popular tourist spot, killing at least two people and injuring several others.

The storms hit Thursday evening at the west end of the 500,000-acre, densely forested reserve on the Tennessee-North Carolina line. The storms then moved down the mountains to the Tennessee River Valley.

At Abrams Creek Campground, a tree fell into a swimming hole, killing 41-year-old Rachael Burkhart, of



Boats and covered docks litter the shore after a severe storm Thursday evening at the Mountain Cove Marina on Friday in Sevier County Tenn. No injuries were reported.

Corryton, Tenn., park officials said. The same tree struck a family, including a 7-year-old girl, who was

unconscious when pulled from the water, but revived after her mother performed CPR. The father suffered

vertebrae fractures, multiple broken ribs and a collapsed lung and the mother was injured less seriously.

Carole Cooper came upon the scene when she was returning to her private cabin nearby after swimming with friends.

Campers helped bring the 7-year-old to Cooper's SUV, where Cooper performed first aid. Meanwhile Cooper's friends, one of whom is a physician, went to the creek to try to help Burkhart and the girl's father.

Cooper used her OnStar satellite communications service to call for help, but with the roads blocked, emergency workers had to walk in to the campsite, she said. Her vehicle became a makeshift command post as the rescue workers

used her OnStar to communicate with other first responders.

"We were many hours with the injured because we couldn't get them out," she said.

After about four or five hours, enough trees had been cleared that emergency workers could drive Cooper's SUV partway out of the park, but they still had to walk the injured on stretchers to waiting ambulances.

The girl and her father were airlifted to a Knoxville hospital. Their conditions were not available Friday.

Also killed in the park was Ralph Frazier, 50, of Buford, Ga., who was riding a motorcycle when a falling limb struck him in the head, park officials said. His passenger was uninjured.

## California OKs Funding for High-speed Rail Line

BY JUDY LIN  
Associated Press

**SACRAMENTO, Calif.** • California lawmakers approved billions of dollars Friday in construction financing for the first segment of what would be the nation's first dedicated high-speed rail line, eventually connecting Los Angeles and San Francisco.

The state Senate voted 21-16 on a party-line vote after intense lobbying by Gov. Jerry Brown, Democratic leaders and labor groups.

The bill authorizes the

state to begin selling \$2.6 billion in voter-approved bonds to build an initial 130-mile stretch in the Central Valley. That would allow the state to collect about \$3.2 billion in federal funding that could have been rescinded if lawmakers failed to act Friday.

Critics call the bullet train a boondoggle, but supporters hailed the vote as the start of a much-needed infrastructure project. The bill also includes about \$1.9 billion in funds for local rail projects.

The bill, which passed the state Assembly, now heads to the governor. The final cost

of the completed project from Los Angeles to San Francisco would be \$68 billion.

"This is a big vote," Senate President Pro Tem Darrell Steinberg said before lawmakers took the action. "In the era of term limits, how many chances do we have to vote for something this important and long-lasting?"

Dan Richard, chairman of the California High-Speed Rail Authority, which is managing the project, said California would have lost billions of dollars in federal aid if the Senate failed to pass

the bill before adjourning Friday for a monthlong recess.

Richard said California entered a contract that called for the federal government to provide money for building the Central Valley segment if the state also put up its share.

The bill allows the state to begin selling bonds to finance the first 130 miles of track from Madera to Bakersfield.

California was able to secure more federal aid than expected after Florida, Ohio and Wisconsin turned down money.

## Onetime Michael Jackson Attorney Loses License

**LOS ANGELES (AP)** • Brian Oxman, who was once an attorney for Michael Jackson, will no longer be able to practice law in California.

The California Supreme Court has denied an appeal of a state bar ruling that found Oxman and his wife mixed clients' and personal funds to evade creditors. Oxman's wife is his law partner.

The state bar said Ox-

man was disciplined previously and that was among reasons for seeking revocation of his license.

The allegations against Oxman did not involve the late pop star or his family.

Oxman was on Michael Jackson's molestation trial defense team until being dismissed in 2005. He later represented the singer's father and appeared on talk shows as a legal expert.

## U.N.: Peacekeeper Killed in Congo

BY SALEH MWANAMILONGO  
Associated Press

**KINSHASA, Congo** • The United Nations said a peacekeeper in Congo was killed by an exploding shell as rebels allegedly backed by Rwanda made major advances in the country's volatile east, taking a border crossing into Uganda and threatening a strategic town.

Panicked residents were fleeing the town of Rutshu-

ru on Friday night amid reports that the rebels had advanced within shelling distance, according to a statement from the North Kivu Civil Society. Fears were heightened by the evacuation of U.N. and independent aid agencies, followed in the late afternoon by the retreat of Congolese army soldiers, it said.

The Indian peacekeeper was killed overnight on Thursday as fighters from the M23 rebel group attempted to take the town of

Bunagana, said Madnodje Mounoubai, the United Nations spokesman in Congo.

"I confirm the death of a peacekeeper of Indian origin working for the United Nations mission in Congo," he said. "He was hit by shrapnel from an exploding shell during an attack by the M23 mutineers in Bunagana last night."

Congo's two-year-long peace was shattered in April when an army unit led by Gen. Bosco Ntaganda defected.

## Yahoo, Facebook Strike Patent Truce

BY BARBARA ORTUTAY AND MICHAEL LIEDTKE  
Associated Press

**SAN FRANCISCO** • Facebook and Yahoo have agreed to settle a months-long patent dispute, averting a potentially expensive battle over the technology running two of the Internet's most popular destinations.

In dropping the lawsuits, the companies agreed to license their patents to each other and form an advertising and content-sharing alliance that expands their existing partnership. Friday's settlement involves no exchange of money.

Now that the antagonism is dissolving into an accord that could benefit both companies, the hundreds of millions of Web surfers who use both Yahoo and Facebook should

find even more common ground on the two services.

The advertising alliance could help Yahoo recover some of the revenue that it has been losing as marketers shift more of their spending to a larger and more engaged audience on Facebook's online social network. Facebook, in turn, gains the opportunity to show the ads tai-

lored to fit the individual interests of its 900 million users in other heavily trafficked areas besides its own website.

The truce ends a conflict provoked by Yahoo's short-lived CEO, Scott Thompson, who was dumped from the job two months ago after misinformation on his official biography raised questions about his integrity.

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**Kenseth Wins Pole Position for Sprint Cup Series' Daytona Race • S2**

**Twin Falls Track Gets A House Call**

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**TWIN FALLS** • The track encircling the football field at Bruin Stadium recently got a visit from the doctor. Make that The Track Doctor.

That's the business operated by Robert Stone, Jerome High School Class of 1983, who in addition to Twin Falls High School has cured several schools of their track ailments, most notably Filer and Declo.

"He did it for us last time we (repaired the track), eight years ago," Twin Falls track coach Marty Grindstaff said. "He did a great job then and I trusted him."

It cost the high school in excess of \$60,000 to fix the



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A view of the new track at Twin Falls High School from the visitors' grandstands inside of Bruin Stadium.

track, which was besieged by cracks and shoddy short-term repair, the kind one often finds on side streets and parking lots.

"You can't repair a track

like you do a parking lot," Grindstaff said.

"It took about four days longer than I thought it would to fix the cracks," Stone said. "The crack bud-

et went out the window?" Stone has made a name in the track construction and repair world, and has the list of clients to back it up. In addition to the hundreds of high school track facilities The Track Doctor has worked on nationwide, Stone has upgraded facilities at the University of Oregon for the 2008 U.S. Olympic trials, at the Idaho Center for when Boise State hosted the 2012 NCAA Indoor Championships and for the same event at the University of Arkansas in 2003.

"I do it all from the ground up," Stone said when asked how involved he can be in track construction and repair. "I do the surveying; (supervise) the laydown of

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**WIMBLEDON**

**Federer vs. Murray, History in Final**

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**WIMBLEDON, England** • Roger Federer is back in the Wimbledon final for the first time since 2009. If that seems like a long gap for the six-time champion, imagine how all of Britain feels: Andy Murray is the first man from the host country to play for the title at the All England Club in 74 years.

Both are playing for history.

Already the owner of a record 16 Grand Slam titles, but none in the past 2½ years, Federer can equal two marks held by Pete Sampras with one more victory Sunday: seven Wimbledon championships, and 286 weeks at No. 1 in the ATP rankings. So far 0-3 in major finals, without claiming even one set, Murray can become the first British man to collect any Grand Slam title since Fred Perry won Wimbledon and the U.S. Championships in 1936.

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Pete Sampras

Yes, Federer still has Wimbledon. And Wimbledon still has Federer. After seeing his grip on the grass-

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**Wimbledon Glance**

**Weather:** Partly cloudy. High of 70 degrees.  
**Men's Semifinals:** No. 3 Roger Federer beat No. 1 Novak Djokovic 6-3, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3; No. 4 Andy Murray beat No. 5 Jo-Wilfried Tsonga 6-3, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5.  
**Stat of the Day:** 1938 - The last time a British man reached the Wimbledon final; Murray's victory ended an 11-match losing streak for Brits in the semifinals.  
**Quote of the Day:** "There's a lot on the line for me. I'm not denying that. I have a lot of pressure, as well. I'm looking forward to that." - Federer, seeking a record-tying seventh Wimbledon title.  
**On Court Saturday:** No. 3 Agnieszka Radwanska vs. No. 6 Serena Williams in the women's final.  
**Today's Forecast:** Chance of rain. High of 66 degrees.



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Andy Murray plays a shot to Jo-Wilfried Tsonga during their men's semifinals match Friday at Wimbledon.

**LEGION BASEBALL**



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Hunter Elam of the Twin Falls Cowboys goes untouched by Idaho Falls Royals catcher Jade Rencher during American Legion Class A baseball Friday at Bill Ingram Field.

**Cowboys Shower Royals With Hits, Runs**

**Twin Falls got hits from eight of the nine slots in the order. Cleanup hitter Wyatt Doyle's lone hit, a three-run single snapped a 2-2 fourth-inning tie.**

BY DAVID BASHORE  
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**TWIN FALLS** • Friday's rain couldn't postpone the Twin Falls Cowboys' hit parade, just delay it.

After seeing their scheduled doubleheader scrubbed in favor of a single nine-inning game, the Cowboys cranked out 10 hits and capitalized on shaky Idaho Falls Royals pitching to run away with a 13-3 win in Class A action at Bill Ingram Field.

Twin Falls got production from top to bottom in its lineup, getting hits from eight of the nine slots in the order. None was bigger than cleanup hitter Wyatt Doyle's lone hit, a three-run single that snapped a 2-2 fourth-inning tie and saw the Cowboys race into the distance.

"I thought about getting to second ... maybe I need to go to speed school or something."

Wyatt Doyle, Twin Falls Cowboys cleanup hitter

"I thought about getting to second ... maybe I need to go to speed school or something," quipped Doyle, who is also a lineman on the Twin Falls High School football team. "When I hit it I didn't think it was going to do anything, and I definitely didn't think it would score all three runs. But we just go hard all the time, because we want to make it harder for them than for us."

Doyle went 1-for-4 and drove in four runs, while four other Cowboys drove in at least one run.

That was more than enough support for Robert Montoya, who got into the fifth before giving way to Cody Root.

Root settled in almost immediately, striking out six — including five in a six-batter stretch spanning the sixth to eighth innings — and walking just one.

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DREW NASH • TIMES-NEWS

Right fielder Garrett Moore of the Twin Falls Cowboys dives for the ball against the Idaho Falls Royals during an American Legion Class A baseball Friday at Bill Ingram Field in Twin Falls.

**LEGION ROUNDUP**

**Mills, Ferrin Keep Pace for Green Sox; Kimberly Splits**

TIMES-NEWS

Burley (17-4) visits Jerome today.

The Astros play Walla Walla, Wash., and Madison today.

hits but committed three errors in a 6-4 loss to the Stars, a game that came less than 24 hours after they blew a 1-0 lead in the final innings to fall 3-2 to Gillette.

Jake Mills tripled, homered and drove in two runs as Burley kept up its winning ways Friday, drubbing visiting Snake River 13-5 in American Legion Baseball action.

**KIMBERLY SPLITS IN POCATELLO**

The opening day of a wood bat tournament in Pocatello was a mixed bag for Kimberly, which beat the Idaho Falls Grizzlies 10-2 but lost 7-5 to the Pocatello Razorbacks.

**CLASS AA COWBOYS STRUGGLE IN TREASURE VALLEY**

The Twin Falls Cowboys kept searching for their first win of the River City Classic, falling to the Treasure Valley Stars Friday afternoon after losing to Gillette, Wyo., on Thursday.

Twin Falls played Rocky Mountain late Friday evening. A result was not available at press time.

The Cowboys will finish their stay in the Treasure Valley today when they play the Twin City Titans, from the Tri-Cities area of Washington.

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# Serena Close to Capping Comeback

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**WIMBLEDON, England** • More than once during the past fortnight, Serena Williams has won an important point at Wimbledon and then returned to the baseline, her clenched fist leading the way.

The ferocity of the gesture is understandable, given the obstacles she has beaten back in the past couple of years.

A succession of health issues led to a long layoff that forced Williams to mount a career comeback, and she'll try to cap it Saturday when she plays Agnieszka Radwanska, the first Polish player to reach a Grand Slam final since 1939.

Williams seeks her 14th major title, and would tie her sister Venus with a fifth win at Wimbledon.

"I'm so happy to be playing," she said. "I've been through so much in the past year or two years, it has been unbelievable."

This week Radwanska has been ailing herself, battling an upper respiratory illness that makes it difficult to speak and forced her to cancel a news conference Friday.

"I will do whatever it takes to make sure I'm ready to play the best I can," she said in a statement.

With older sister Venus' fortunes in decline as she deals with an autoimmune disease, some speculated the family might never win another

major title.

Now, with one more victory, Wimbledon will again become the Williams Open. Serena, Venus or both have reached the final in 11 of the past 13 tournaments. They've combined to win nine titles at the All England Club, and the sisters will try for their fifth Wimbledon doubles title on Saturday.

While Serena's a familiar finalist, her perspective these days is different.

"I have so much appreciation for every moment on the court," she said. "I really take pride in playing, especially playing such big, amazing tournaments like this. I just want to do the absolute best that I can at all moments."

After scares in the third and fourth rounds, Williams has lately been close to her absolute best. She eliminated defending champion Petra Kvitova in the quarterfinals, then defeated reigning Australian Open champion Victoria Azarenka on Thursday, winning both times in straight sets.

"It's a different Serena we see now," said 18-time Grand Slam champion Chris Evert, an analyst for ESPN. "We haven't seen Serena play as well as she has these last two matches since before she hurt her foot. She has great foot and movement, and the confidence she needs to go with that."

white uniforms with grass and dirt stains by diving for volleys.

After a replay review to make sure that last shot was in, Tsonga and Murray hugged. The Frenchman put his hand on the scruff of Murray's neck and they had a lengthy chat near the net. Then Murray sat in his sideline chair, tilted his head back and closed his eyes, the sounds of a raucous standing ovation ringing through Centre Court.

"A big relief," Murray said. "It was a very emotional end to the match. I've just got to try to keep it together for the final."

He had lost in the semifinals each of the past three years, part of an 0-11 rut for British men in the final four. For decades, the locals who love their tennis dealt with the angst of seeing their players come so close, yet so far.

"He's got sort of one monkey off the nation's back with the first finalist in 74 years, but I think a good opportunity to kill two birds with one stone," said Tim Henman, a Brit who lost in four semifinals from 1998-2002, twice to Sampras. "It seems like it could be destiny."

Even Prime Minister David Cameron weighed in on what he called the "great news."

"I'll be watching the final on Sunday and like the rest of the country, will be getting right behind Andy Murray," Cameron said in a statement. "I wish him the best of luck."

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# Kenseth Wins Pole at Daytona

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**DAYTONA BEACH, Fla.** • Daytona 500 winner Matt Kenseth will start from the pole Saturday night at Daytona International Speedway, where he'll try to pull off a season sweep.

No driver since Bobby Allison in 1982 has won both NASCAR races at Daytona in the same season, but Kenseth thinks he has a good chance. The restrictor-plate package at Roush Fenway Racing is powerful, and its engines have been strong all season: Roush driver Carl Edwards opened the season by winning the pole for the Daytona 500.

"That'd be pretty cool," Kenseth said about tying Allison. "I never thought, especially early in my career the way speedway went and I don't feel like I'm particularly good at it and never thought I'd be able to win. So it's pretty neat. Certainly I think for our team, our confidence is high."

Kenseth turned a lap at 192.386 mph Friday in his Roush Fenway Racing Ford to



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**Matt Kenseth, right, laughs with Carl Edwards, left, after winning the pole position for the NASCAR Sprint Cup Series auto race at Daytona International Speedway on Friday.**

earn the top starting spot. It's the first pole of the season for the series points leader, and his first pole in 26 races at Daytona.

Tony Stewart was second, turning a lap at 192.361 in a Chevrolet, but his time was thrown out by NASCAR after the session. NASCAR said an open cooling hose was found pointed inside the cockpit — the same violation discovered earlier Friday after Austin Dillon's

pole-winning run in the Nationwide Series.

Dillon had to forfeit his pole and will start at the back of the field in Friday night's race. Stewart, the three-time series champion, will start in the back of Saturday night's Sprint Cup race.

Stewart's teammate, Ryan Newman, qualified third at 192.353.

"I think the biggest advantage of us qualifying well is we've got a better chance

of missing whatever happens," Newman said. "If there's a crash early in the race, there's a better chance of it being behind us."

Kasey Kahne qualified fourth and was followed by Greg Biffle, Kenseth's teammate.

Jeff Gordon was sixth, followed by Bill Elliott in a Turner Motorsports entry. Casey Mears was eighth, AJ Allmendinger was the highest qualifying Dodge at ninth and Penske Racing teammate Brad Keselowski rounded out the top 10.

Keselowski, the winner at Talladega this year, likes his chances Saturday night.

"Our car is one of the fastest race cars that I've ever driven," Keselowski said. "It's fast. We just need to keep all the fenders on it and go get 'em at the end."

Denny Hamlin, who sat out of all activity Thursday because of a bad back, qualified his Joe Gibbs Racing car. He'll start 24th and is not planning to have a driver on stand-by.

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# Paul Leaves First Practice With Thumb Injury

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**LAS VEGAS** • The U.S. men's basketball team held its first practice Friday, and there was a quick reminder of the rocky run-up to the London Games.

Chris Paul was forced to leave the opening day of training camp to get an X-ray after hurting his thumb. The Americans don't believe the injury is serious, USA Basketball chairman Jerry Colangelo calling it a tweak of a previous injury, and they hope Paul can practice Saturday.

That would be some rare good news for a team has been severely weakened by injuries. Dwight Howard, Derrick Rose, Dwyane Wade and Chris Bosh all were forced to pull out, leaving the Americans with 15 players vying for 12 spots. The roster will be announced Saturday night.

Colangelo said he would discuss the roster with the coaching staff on Friday night but would put off any judgments until after Saturday's practice.

"Tonight we'll have some deliberations about what took place today, but we're still not making the final decision until we practice tomorrow," he said. "We told the players we were going to do that and we're not going to change."

LeBron James, about two weeks removed from winning NBA Finals MVP honors after Miami's champi-



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**U.S. men's national basketball team member LeBron James, left, laughs with Rudy Gay during practice at the Mendenhall Center on the University of Nevada-Las Vegas campus Friday.**

onship, didn't scrimmage Friday so he could get some extra rest. Deron Williams sat out as planned because he still can't sign his \$98 million extension with the Nets, and top draft pick Anthony Davis remained sidelined because of a sprained ankle.

That allowed the Americans time for extra looks at some of the players on the bubble, such as Rudy Gay, Eric Gordon, James Harden and Andre Iguodala.

"You could build a case

for each of the contenders if you will, depending on what you want," Colangelo said. "It's like a menu: Another shooter, it's Eric Gordon. You want a scoring guard, it's Harden. You want a defensive specialist, it's Iguodala. You want another guy with length who can shoot the ball and run the court, it's Rudy Gay."

What the Americans really want is another big body, having lost their 2008 center rotation with the absences of Howard and Bosh.

James and Carmelo Anthony even could see time at center, which would create offensive mismatches for the Americans but would leave them undersized on defense.

The need for size has Colangelo intrigued by Davis, the shot-blocking college player of the year who led Kentucky to the national title. But he's not ready to go full speed yet after hurting himself less than a week ago while working out with the Hornets, leaving him frustrated but eager.

## Wimbledon

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court Grand Slam tournament slip away with a pair of quarterfinal losses the past two years, the third-seeded Federer reasserted himself by beating defending champion and top-seeded Novak Djokovic 6-3, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3 Friday.

Djokovic or Rafael Nadal won the nine previous majors, and both surpassed Federer in the rankings. But after losing six of his last seven matches against Djokovic, all on clay or hard courts, Federer had the upper hand on grass, the first time in 27 career meetings they've played each other on that surface.

"People were like, 'How are we going to survive a Wimbledon final without you?'" Federer joked about his earlier-than-usual exits in 2010 and 2011. "For me, it was no problem. I went on vacation and relaxed. Of course, it feels great to be in the Wimbledon final."

No need to tell that to Murray.

Not since Bunny Austin in 1938 had someone representing Britain won a men's semifinal at Wimbledon — until, that is, Murray hit a forehand return winner that clipped a sideline to eliminate No. 5 Jo-Wilfried Tsonga of France 6-3, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5. It was a thrill-a-minute match, with both players smearing their

## Legion

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"I was just in the zone today. Coming in with a lead really took the pressure off," Root said. "It's relaxing when you know you can just throw strikes and count on the defense to back you up. It's tough for a team to get that many hits and runs together."

Twin Falls drew 10 walks and capitalized on five Idaho Falls errors. All three of the

Royals' runs were unearned. The Cowboys piled six runs on in the eighth inning to end the game on account of the 10-run rule.

Twin Falls is off for the weekend, returning to action Monday against the Idaho Falls Grizzlies.

### TWIN FALLS COWBOYS 13, IDAHO FALLS ROYALS 3

**Idaho Falls** 002 000 01 -365  
**Twin Falls** 200 401 06 -13103  
LEADING HITTERS - Idaho Falls: Erikson 2-2; Johnson 2-2; Twin Falls: Doyle 1-4 (4 RBI); Boyd 2-4 (2B, RBI).  
PITCHERS - Idaho Falls: Stenquist (L) 4 IP, 4 H, 6 R, 5 ER, 7 BB, 5 K; Brown 3.2 IP, 6 H, 7 R, 6 ER, 3 BB, 3 K; Twin Falls: Montoya (W) 4.1 IP, 3 H, 2 R, 0 ER, 6 BB, 2 K; Root 3.2 IP, 3 H, 1 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 6 K.

### LEGION BOX SCORES

#### BURLEY 13, SNAKE RIVER 5

**Snake River** 000 221 000 -569  
**Burley** 211 412 20x -13111  
LEADING HITTERS - Burley: Mills 2-2 (3B, HR, 2 RBI); Ferrin 3-5 (2 2B).  
PITCHERS - Burley: Kunz (W) 4 IP, 2 H, 2 R, 2 ER, 3 BB, 3 K; Timmons 4 IP, 4 H, 3 R, 2 ER, 5 BB, 2 K; Carson 1 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 2 BB, 0 K.

#### KIMBERLY 10, IDAHO FALLS GRIZZLIES 2

**Kimberly** 310 042 0 -1062  
**Idaho Falls** 100 100 0 -245  
LEADING HITTERS - Kimberly: Mathews 3-4 (2 RBI); Morris 2-3 (RBI).  
PITCHERS - Kimberly: Dayley (W) 4 IP, 2 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 8 BB, 4 K; Higginbotham 3 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 3 K.

#### POCATELLO RAZORBACKS 7, KIMBERLY 5

**Kimberly** 100 040 0 -5103  
**Pocatello** 022 210 x -795  
LEADING HITTERS - Kimberly: Higginbotham 2-3 (2

RBI); Bright 3-4.  
PITCHERS - Kimberly: Morris (L) 3 IP, 3 H, 4 R, 3 ER, 6 BB, 1 K; Petterson 3 IP, 6 H, 3 R, 3 ER, 0 BB, 0 K.

#### TREASURE VALLEY 6, TWIN FALLS 2

**Treasure Valley** 010 010 3 -640  
**Twin Falls** 002 000 0 -273  
LEADING HITTERS - Treasure Valley: Martarano 2-3 (2 RBI); Alexander 1-3 (2B, 2 RBI); Twin Falls: Stutzman 1-1 (RBI).  
PITCHERS - Treasure Valley: Blackwell (W) 5 IP, 2 H, 2 R, 2 ER, 1 BB, 3 K; Baker 2 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 2 BB, 3 K; Twin Falls: Slotten (L) 6.2 IP, 3 H, 6 R, 5 ER, 5 BB, 4 K; Johnson 0.1 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 0 K.

#### GILLETTE, WYO. 3, TWIN FALLS 2

**Twin Falls** 010 000 1 -272  
**Gillette** 000 001 2 -352  
LEADING HITTERS - Twin Falls: Johnson 2-3; Byce 2-3.  
PITCHERS - Twin Falls: Jones (L) 6.1 IP, 4 H, 3 R, 2 ER, 5 BB, 6 K; Berg 0 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 1 BB, 0 K.

## Track

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asphalt, the drainage. I'm trying to break into consulting now that I'm old and decrepit. It's not so taxing."

Ultimately, the purpose of every track, whether it's an entirely new facility or a resurfaced one, is about performance and health. The tricky thing is that both conditions can't always be satisfied.

As Stone and Grindstaff both explained, track performance im-

proves as the surface gets harder. That's why Stone's efforts at Oregon were a one-shot deal — as soon as the Trials were over, a more forgiving surface was installed.

Obviously, a high school does not have the kind of money to do that with its track. The new surface at Twin Falls, which is actually two coats of rubber, is more forgiving on runners' legs, but yields slower times. At the same time, the "squishiness" — Grindstaff's term — is easier on jumpers, especially triple jumpers.

"It saves on kids with shin splints and things like that," Grindstaff said. "The harder the surface, the more shin splints you have. This new surface will be good for our kids to train on over the next couple of years."

Even the color of the surface plays a factor in usage. The option was there for Twin Falls to have the track rubberized with a shade of Bruin blue. That, however, would have pushed the price tag near, or in excess of, six figures.

The flip side is that black tracks absorb the sun's rays better than

any other color. That's important because the track can more quickly dry itself after a morning rain or light snowfall, something not uncommon in Twin Falls during the track season's early months.

And by the time the summer sun turns the track into an "inferno" — another Grindstaff term — the track season is long over.

Ultimately, an entirely new track will be needed at Twin Falls. The asphalt under the track's surface is cracking in spots, and eventually there will be so many cracks that merely slapping on more rubber

will not be an effective method of repair. Ideally, it will be another five years before The Track Doctor will head back to Bruin Stadium. With a few more mild seasons such as this year's spring, it could last even longer.

But that's a distant concern for Grindstaff.

"I'd rather have a softer track and work our runners harder and not tear up their legs," he said.

"The big key is it's better to train on and getting rid of the trip hazards was the big issue out there," Stone said.

SCOREBOARD

Odds MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Table with columns: FAVORITE, LINE, UNDERDOG, LINE. Lists MLB games and odds for various teams.

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Table with columns: East, West, Central. Shows win/loss records and percentages for NL teams.

Friday's Games

Table listing MLB games for Friday, including matchups and broadcast info.

Saturday's Games

Table listing MLB games for Saturday, including matchups and broadcast info.

BRVES 5, PHILLIES 0

Box score for Braves vs Phillies game, including batting and pitching stats.

CUBS 8, METS 7

Box score for Cubs vs Mets game, including batting and pitching stats.

ROCKIES 5, NATIONALS 1

Box score for Rockies vs Nationals game, including batting and pitching stats.

BREWERS 3, ASTROS 1

Box score for Brewers vs Astros game, including batting and pitching stats.

MARLINS 3, CARDINALS 2

Box score for Marlins vs Cardinals game, including batting and pitching stats.

Box score for Miami vs San Francisco game, including batting and pitching stats.

GIANTS 6, PIRATES 5

Box score for Giants vs Pirates game, including batting and pitching stats.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: East, West, Central. Shows win/loss records and percentages for AL teams.

CHAMPIONS TOUR NATURE VALLEY FIRST TEE OPEN

Table listing golf scores for the Champions Tour Nature Valley First Tee Open.

TIGERS 4, ROYALS 2

Box score for Tigers vs Royals game, including batting and pitching stats.

MINNESOTA 3, TEXAS 2

Box score for Minnesota vs Texas game, including batting and pitching stats.

NEW YORK 10, RED SOX 8

Box score for New York vs Red Sox game, including batting and pitching stats.

NEW YORK 5, BOSTON 4

Box score for New York vs Boston game, including batting and pitching stats.

Box score for White Sox 4, Blue Jays 2 game, including batting and pitching stats.

Table with columns: Toronto, Chicago. Shows win/loss records and percentages for White Sox and Blue Jays.

TORONTO 30, CHICAGO 2

Box score for Toronto vs Chicago game, including batting and pitching stats.

GOLF PGA GREENBRIER CLASSIC

Table listing golf scores for the PGA Greenbrier Classic.

MONTE CARLO

Table listing golf scores for the Monte Carlo tournament.

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MLB ROUNDUP



Milwaukee's Norichika Aoki connects for an RBI single against Houston in the seventh inning of his team's game Friday in Houston.

first inning and Rickie Weeks later hit a two-run shot, leading Yovani Gallardo and Milwaukee over slumping Houston.

Braves Spoil Return of Phillies' Howard

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PHILADELPHIA • Brian McCann hit a grand slam, stage 7, Tomblaine to La Planche des Belles Filles, France (same-day tape)

GOLF HBO — Super middleweights, Kelly Pavlik (39-2-0) vs. Will Rosinsky (16-1-0); champion Nonito Donaire (28-1-0) vs. Jeffrey Mathebula (26-3-2), for WBO/IBF junior featherweight title, at Carson, Calif.

CYCLING NBCSN — Tour de France, stage 7, Tomblaine to La Planche des Belles Filles, France (same-day tape)

GOLF CBS — PGA Tour, The Greenbrier Classic, third round, at White Sulphur Springs, W.Va. NBC — USGA, U.S. Women's Open, third round, at Kohler, Wis.

4-30 p.m. TGC — Champions Tour, First Tee Open, second round, at Pebble Beach, Calif.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL 10:30 a.m. MLB — NY Yankees at Boston

2 p.m. WGN — Chicago Cubs at NY Mets

5 p.m. FOX — NY Yankees at Boston

8 p.m. MLB — Regional coverage, Cincinnati at San Diego or Baltimore at L.A. Angels

ROOT SPORTS NW — Seattle at Oakland

MOTORSPORTS 2 p.m. NBCSN — AMA Motocross

SOCCER 9 p.m. NBCSN — MLS, Colorado at Seattle

TENNIS 7 a.m. ESPN — Wimbledon, women's final

WNBA 8 p.m. ESPN2 — Seattle at Los Angeles

FRANCE, 6:3-6:4, 3-6, 7-5. Doubles Men Semifinals

Jonathan Marray, Britain/Frederik Nielsen, Denmark, def. Bob/Mike Bryan (2), U.S., 6-4, 7-6 (9), 6-7 (4), 7-6 (5). Robert Lindstedt, Sweden/Horia Tecau (5), Romania, def. Jurgen Melzer, Austria/Philipp Petzschner (10), Germany, 6-4, 6-7 (10), 6-4, 6-3.

Women Semifinals Serina/Venus Williams, U.S., def. Liezel Huber/Lisa Raymond (4), U.S., 2-6, 6-1, 6-2. Andrea Hlavackova/Luce Hradecka (6), Czech Republic, def. Flavia Pennetta/Francesca Schiavone, Italy, 2-6, 6-3, 6-4.

GIANTS 6, PIRATES 5 PITTSBURGH • Melky Cabrera hit his eighth home run of the season, Ryan Theriot drove in two runs and San Francisco beat Pittsburgh.

CYCLING TOUR DE FRANCE At Metz, France 127.4-mile flat ride from Epernay to Metz, with one easy climb

1. Peter Sagan, Slovakia, Liguigas-Cannondale, 4 hours, 37 minutes.

2. Andre Greipel, Germany, Lotto Belisol, same time.

3. Matthew Harley Goss, Australia, Orica GreenEDGE, same time.

4. Kenny Robert van Hummel, Netherlands, Vacansoleil-DCM, same time.

5. Juan Jose Gomez, Argentina, Team Saxo Bank-Tinkoff Bank, same time.

6. Gregory Henderson, New Zealand, Lotto Belisol, same time.

7. Alessandro Petacchi, Italy, Lampre-ISO, same time.

8. Luca Paolini, Italy, Katusha, same time.

9. Daryl Impey, South Africa, Orica GreenEDGE, same time.

10. Brett Lancaster, Australia, Orica GreenEDGE, 4 seconds behind.

Overall Standings, Top 10 1. Fabian Cancellara, Switzerland, RadioShack-Nissan, 29 hours, 22 minutes, 36 seconds.

2. Bradley Wiggins, Britain, Sky ProCycling, 7 seconds behind.

3. Sylvain Chavanel, France, Omega Pharma-QuickStep, same time.

4. Tejay Van Garderen, United States, BMC Racing, :10.

5. Denis Menchov, Russia, Katusha, :13.

6. Cadel Evans, Australia, BMC Racing, :17.

7. Vincenzo Nibali, Italy, Liguigas-Cannondale, :18.

8. Peter Sagan, Slovakia, Liguigas-Cannondale, :19.

9. Andreas Kloeber, Germany, RadioShack-Nissan, same time.

10. Maxime Monfort, Belgium, RadioShack-Nissan, :22.

Transactions BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE BOSTON Red Sox — Placed 2B Dustin Pedroia on the 15-day DL, retroactive to July 4. Selected INF Pedro Grifano from Pawtucket (IL). Transferred LHP Rich Hill to the 60-day DL.

CHICAGO White Sox — Claimed LHP Daniel Moskos off waivers from Pittsburgh and optioned him to Charlotte (IL).

CLEVELAND Indians — Activated OF Shelley Duncan from the paternity list. Optioned INF Jason Donald to Columbus (IL).

TORONTO Blue Jays — Agreed to terms with LHP Alonzo Gonzalez, OF Nathan Desrochers and 1B Daniel DeVoshire on minor league contracts.

NATIONAL LEAGUE ATLANTA Braves — Activated 1B Ryan Howard from the 15-day DL. Optioned 3B Hector Luna to Lehigh Valley (IL).

ST. LOUIS Cardinals — Placed C Yadier Molina on the bereavement list. Recalled C Bryan Anderson from Memphis (PCL).

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION BROOKLYN Nets — Signed G Tyschawn Taylor. GOLDEN STATE Warriors — Signed F Festus Ezeli.

HOCKEY NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

COLUMBUS Blue Jackets — Signed LW Nick Foligno to a three-year contract.

LOS ANGELES Kings — Signed D Andrew Bodnarчук to a one-year contract.

MONTREAL Canadiens — Signed D Kyle Hage to a one-year AHL contract.

PHOENIX Coyotes — Re-signed F Kyle Chipchura to a one-year contract.

ST. LOUIS Blues — Signed F Andrew Murray to a one-year contract.

TAMPA BAY Lightning — Signed G Anders Lindback to a two-year contract and D Matt Taormina to a one-year contract.

WINNIPEG Jets — Agreed to terms with F Ben Maxwell and G Mark Dekanich.

APPALACHIAN STATE — Named Billy Jones baseball coach. BRADLEY — Named Michael Brooks women's basketball coach.

CHARLOTTE — Named Bethany Byers assistant volleyball coach.

NORTH CAROLINA STATE — Named Shawn Rychick softball coach.

AMATEURS, celebrities and pros from dozens of countries begin 10 days of play at noon Saturday, with opening rounds continuing Sunday and Monday.

The tournament field will narrow until July 16, when a final table of nine players will emerge with a chance to share in a prize pool topping \$60 million. They'll resume

**BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST**

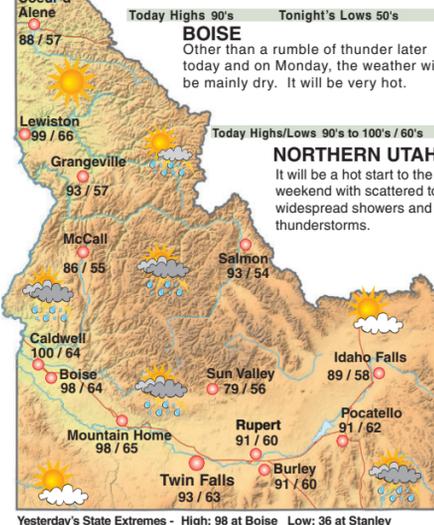
Today: Isolated thunderstorms possible. High 91.  
 Tonight: Mostly cloudy. Low 60.  
 Tomorrow: Hot. High 93.

**ALMANAC - BURLEY**

Temperature		Precipitation	
Yesterday's High	89°	Yesterday's	0.00"
Yesterday's Low	54°	Month to Date	0.12"
Normal High / Low	85° / 53°	Avg. Month to Date	0.08"
Record High	102° in 1999	Water Year to Date	7.74"
Record Low	36° in 1986	Avg. Water Year to Date	8.87"

**IDAHO'S FORECAST**

**SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.**  
 A handful of thunderstorms will be around this weekend and Monday. Significant precipitation, however, is not expected.



Yesterday's State Extremes - High: 98 at Boise Low: 36 at Stanley  
 weather key: su-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, mc-mostly cloudy, c-cloudy, th-thunderstorms, sh-showers, r-rain, sn-snow, ll-furries, w-wind, m-missing

**TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST**

Today	Tonight	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Partly cloudy, possible thunder	Partly cloudy	Mostly sunny and very hot	Sunny	Isolated thunderstorms	Scattered clouds
High 93°	Low 63°	96° / 64°	97° / 67°	96° / 66°	94° / 63°

**ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS**

Temperature		Precipitation		Humidity		Barometric Pressure		Sunrise and Sunset	
Yesterday's High	88°	Yesterday's	0.12"	Yesterday's High	84%	5 pm Yesterday	30.12 in.	Today	Sunrise: 6:08 AM
Yesterday's Low	52°	Month to Date	0.20"	Yesterday's Low	27%	Today		Sunday	Sunrise: 6:09 AM
Normal High / Low	84° / 53°	Avg. Month to Date	0.06"	Today's Forecast Avg.	37%	Monday		Monday	Sunrise: 6:09 AM
Record High	99° in 2007	Water Year to Date	8.22"			Tuesday		Tuesday	Sunrise: 6:10 AM
Record Low	38° in 1986	Avg. Water Year to Date	9.92"	A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30		Wednesday		Wednesday	Sunrise: 6:10 AM

Moon Phases				Moonrise and Moonset		Today's U. V. Index		
Last	New	First	Full	Today	Moonrise: 11:31 PM	Moonset: 10:44 AM	12	Low
July 11	July 19	July 26	Aug. 2	Sunday	Moonrise: 11:57 PM	Moonset: 11:49 AM	1	Moderate
				Monday	Moonrise: none	Moonset: 12:51 PM	3	High

**REGIONAL FORECAST**

City	Today	Tomorrow	Monday	City	Today	Tomorrow	Monday
Boise	98/64	th/101/66	pc/102/66	Atlanta	96/74	th/93/73	th
Bonnars Ferry	89/53	su/95/57	pc/97/57	Atlanta City	93/75	pc/96/71	th
Burley	91/60	th/93/60	pc/95/60	Baltimore	99/77	pc/94/71	th
Challis	89/57	th/90/55	th/94/55	Billings	92/63	th/95/64	pc
Coeur d'Alene	88/57	su/95/60	pc/96/60	Birmingham	96/74	th/92/74	th
Elko, NV	94/60	th/97/60	pc/99/60	Boston	94/72	th/92/65	pc
Eugene, OR	86/57	su/91/54	pc/88/54	Charleston, SC	93/76	pc/94/77	pc
Gooding	91/61	th/95/61	pc/96/61	Chicago	98/73	th/80/68	th
Grace	87/56	th/88/58	pc/92/58	Chicago	98/73	th/80/68	th
Hagerman	104/62	th/106/63	pc/106/63	Cleveland	94/69	th/82/66	th
Hailey	87/60	th/88/60	th/90/60	Denver	79/63	th/77/58	th
Idaho Falls	89/58	th/91/60	pc/92/60	Des Moines	93/71	pc/88/67	pc
Kalispell, MT	87/54	pc/92/56	pc/95/56	Detroit	97/69	th/82/64	pc
Jerome	93/64	th/96/63	pc/97/63	El Paso	94/77	th/97/77	th
Lewiston	99/66	pc/103/70	pc/102/70	Fairbanks	77/53	pc/69/39	pc
Malad City	91/60	th/92/62	pc/95/62	Fargo	87/62	pc/85/57	pc
Malta	90/63	th/91/62	pc/94/62	Honolulu	83/73	pc/84/73	sh
McCall	86/55	th/90/54	th/90/54	Houston	93/77	th/91/77	th
Missoula, MT	93/62	th/95/63	pc/98/63	Indianapolis	105/77	pc/91/69	th
Pocatello	91/62	th/93/68	pc/96/68	Jacksonville	94/75	th/96/75	pc
Portland, OR	89/60	su/92/61	pc/87/61	Kansas City	105/76	th/91/70	th
Rupert	91/60	pc/94/62	pc/97/62	Las Vegas	105/85	pc/107/88	pc
Rexburg	85/56	th/87/58	pc/90/58	Little Rock	99/75	th/94/74	th
Richland, WA	98/65	su/101/68	pc/102/68	Los Angeles	81/64	su/81/66	su
Riggins	82/60	th/86/61	th/86/61	Memphis	99/78	th/94/76	th
Salmon	93/54	th/93/56	pc/96/56	Miami	89/79	th/89/79	th
Salt Lake City, UT	93/73	su/95/75	su/96/75	Milwaukee	82/68	th/86/67	pc
Spokane, WA	92/59	su/98/62	pc/99/62	Nashville	101/75	th/96/73	th
Stanley	81/47	th/83/50	th/86/50	New Orleans	93/77	th/88/75	th
Sun Valley	79/56	th/80/54	th/83/54	New York	101/77	pc/87/69	th
Yellowstone, MT	76/39	th/79/41	th/81/41	Oklahoma City	99/75	su/96/72	th
				Omaha	89/71	pc/87/68	pc

**CANADIAN FORECAST**

City	Today	Tomorrow	City	Today	Tomorrow
Calgary	72/50	th/77/50	Saskatoon	81/56	pc/81/59
Cranbrook	79/48	pc/86/54	Toronto	79/59	sh/74/55
Edmonton	78/54	th/82/57	Vancouver	70/54	pc/74/55
Kelowna	80/45	pc/86/52	Victoria	69/61	pc/73/59
Lethbridge	80/52	th/87/54	Winnipeg	81/57	th/78/47
Regina	82/55	th/82/59			

**Yesterday's Weather**

City	Hi	Lo	Prp
Boise	98	65	0.00"
Challis	90	49	0.00"
Coeur d'Alene	84	46	0.00"
Idaho Falls	87	47	0.01"
Jerome	88	58	0.00"
Lewiston	96	58	Trace
Lowell	93	52	0.00"
Malad City	n/a	n/a	n/a
Malta	n/a	n/a	n/a
Pocatello	91	45	0.00"
Rexburg	86	48	0.01"
Salmon	83	48	0.00"
Stanley	83	36	0.00"
Sun Valley	81	44	0.00"

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**GREG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY**  
 "Create a definite plan for carrying out your desire and begin at once, whether you're ready or not, to put this plan into action."  
 Napoleon Hill

**TOUR DE FRANCE**

**Sagan Wins Crash-filled Sixth Stage**

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**METZ, France** • Peter Sagan of Slovakia avoided a bloody, across-the-road pileup to capture a stage for the third time at the Tour de France on Friday while Fabian Cancellara of Switzerland also steered clear of the mayhem to keep the yellow jersey.

The 129-mile ride from Epernay to Metz began in the Champagne region of France, with roadside fans holding aloft glasses of bubbly to cheer the riders.

But as the pack picked up speed to chase four break-away riders with about 16 miles to go, at least two dozen riders spilled across a rural road. Many were downed and dazed, looking for team staffers in a jumble of injured riders and bikes.

"It was like a trench hit by a (grenade) when I entered the crash to give my bike to Bauke," Rabobank's Laurens Ten Dam said on Twitter, referring to teammate Bauke Mollema. "Lots of blood and screaming. Carnage."

The U.S. Garmin-Sharp team bore the brunt of the crash.

Tom Danielson, who finished in last year's Tour in eighth place, was already nursing a separated shoulder from a crash earlier in the week. In Friday's spill, he was briefly knocked unconscious, and later rushed to a



Thomas Danielson of the U.S. sits in the grass Friday after a crash in the pack at some 20 kilometers from the finish line of the sixth stage of the Tour de France in Metz, France.

hospital for hip, collarbone and elbow injuries. He was one of at least four riders to drop out of the race because of the crash.

"It was the scariest crash I've ever been in," Garmin veteran David Millar said. He had black marks of chain-grease all over his arm and said the riders were going at least 43 mph at the time.

"God knows how it happened," Millar said. Garmin's Ryder Hesjedal

of Canada — winner of the Giro d'Italia in May — injured his knee and lost more than 13 minutes, all but ending his chances for a top-three finish. He had started the stage in ninth place, 18 seconds back.

RadioShack leader Frank Schleck of Luxembourg, who was third in last year's Tour, said he had pain in his hip, elbow and shoulder and that team tactics may need to be revised for Saturday. Two

other contenders, Bradley Wiggins and defending champion Cadel Evans, escaped unscathed.

A Tour medical report listed 27 riders as injured on the day — two hospitalized from the first crash, and eight from the second. Aside from Danielson, Tour officials listed the other dropouts as Mikel Astarloza of Eustaltel-Euskadi, Davide Vigano of Lampre and Wouter Poels of Vacansoleil.

**GOLF ROUNDUP**

**Tiger Headed Home After Missing Cut**

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Suzann Pettersen lines up a putt on the ninth green during Friday's second round of the U.S. Women's Open in Kohler, Wis.

**White Sulphur Springs, W.Va.**

One week after he won for the third time this season, Tiger Woods gets a rare weekend off. Woods missed the cut in the Greenbrier Classic by a stroke Friday, following an opening 71 with a 69 to finish at even par. He missed a cut for only the ninth time in his PGA Tour career, and for the third time in a tournament following a victory.

After winning Sunday at Congressional, Woods was on a course he'd never seen before.

"I didn't quite have it," Woods said. "I drove it really good today and I just did not have the feel for the distances. The ball was just going forever. I know we're at altitude, but I just couldn't get the ball hit pin high no matter what I did, and subsequently, I made some bogeys."

Phil Mickelson also failed to advance to weekend play, the first time Woods and Mickelson have missed the cut in the same tournament as professionals. Mickelson shot his second straight 71.

U.S. Open champion Webb Simpson topped the leaderboard at 9 under when play was suspended because of darkness in the round that was delayed because of rain.

Simpson made a 6-foot birdie putt on the par-3 18th

for a 4-under-66. **LPGA U.S. WOMEN'S OPEN KOHLER, Wis.** • Even as she climbed into the lead in the second round, Suzann Pettersen took some time to admire Michelle Wie's big move into contention.

Pettersen, the Norwegian star ranked sixth in the world, shot a 4-under 68 at Blackwolf Run and moved to 5 under for the tournament. But Wie was even better on the day, carding a 6-under 66 to reach 4 under and put herself in position to break out of a season-long slump.

Wie was tied with Cristie Kerr, the 2007 Open winner, one stroke off the lead. Pettersen was playing in the group directly behind Wie, giving her a pretty good view of what turned out to be an impressive display of accurate approach shots and made putts.

**CHAMPIONS TOUR FIRST TEE OPEN PEBBLE BEACH, Calif.** • John Cook closed with a 30-foot eagle putt on the par-5 ninth hole at Del Monte for a 5-under 67 and a share of the lead with 62-year-old Tom Kite.

**FRENCH OPEN SAINT-QUENTIN-EN-YVELINES, France** • Germany's Marcel Siem shot a 3-under 68 on Friday in wet and windy conditions at Le Golf National to take a one-stroke lead after the second round.

**After Landing Kidd, Knicks Can Focus on Lin**

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The New York Knicks view Jason Kidd as Jeremy Lin's teammate, not a replacement.

And once they finish the deal that would bring Kidd to New York, they can move on to keeping Lin.

They have a chance for a tantalizing tandem at point guard, the 39-year-old veteran who is one of the most accomplished ever at the position and the undrafted Ivy Leaguer who took the NBA by storm last season.

"If we can get Jeremy back, I would love that," forward Carmelo Anthony said. "Overall just to have him back him and Jason Kidd, him learning under

Jason Kidd, for however long Jason Kidd is there, I accept that, we accept that, and that's a great opportunity for us."

Step one is nearing its completion. The Knicks and Kidd were still working Friday on terms of the deal that will get him from Dallas to New York, according to a person familiar with the details. Kidd would be able to make a higher salary if the teams are able to work out a sign-and-trade arrangement, rather than him signing in New York as a free agent.

The person spoke on condition of anonymity because deals can't be signed until July 11. Coach Mike Woodson, in Las Vegas to watch

Anthony and Tyson Chandler practice with the U.S. Olympic team, declined comment on the Knicks' moves until then.

That's when Lin will be able to sign the offer sheet he agreed to Thursday with the Houston Rockets. It would pay him a little more than \$5 million in each of the first two years and \$9.3 million in each of the last two years, according to a person with knowledge of the salaries. The fourth season is a team option.

The Knicks will have three days to match the offer for the restricted free agent, and they have repeatedly said they plan to keep Lin, who became a breakout star when he took over the start-

ing point guard role in February.

His season was cut short after 35 games, including 25 starts, because of torn knee cartilage that required surgery. But the Knicks had already seen enough on the court — and at the box office and souvenir stands — to know they don't want Lin to get away.

But as good as he was in his brief stint, questions remain whether he is the player to best complement the Anthony and Amare Stoudemire. Perhaps that would be Kidd, who has played with both on USA Basketball teams and teamed with Chandler on the Mavericks' 2011 NBA championship team.

## OBITUARIES

## DEATH NOTICES

## Lewis Porter

**TWIN FALLS** • Lewis Porter, 95, died Thursday, July 5, 2012, Curry Retirement Estates in Twin Falls. The funeral will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, July 9, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

## Russell Nice

**TWIN FALLS** • Russell Dale Nice, 70, of Twin Falls, died Wednesday, July 4, 2012, at his home. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, July 10, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

## Alena Cowger

**TWIN FALLS** • Alena Erna Cowger, 71, of Twin Falls, died Tuesday, July 3, 2012, at her home. Arrangements will be announced by Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home

in Twin Falls.

## Alvin Walter

**BOISE** • Alvin R. Walter, 89, of Boise, died Tuesday, July 3, 2012, at a Boise care center. Arrangements will be announced by the Alden-Waggoner Funeral Chapel in Boise.

## Alice Hulse

**BLACKFOOT** • Alice Mae Cottle Hulse, 86, of Blackfoot and formerly of Jerome, died Friday, July 6, 2012, at her home. Arrangements will be announced by Hawker Funeral Home in Blackfoot.

## Muriel Francisco

**HEYBURN** • Muriel Helen Francisco, 93, of Heyburn, died Friday, July 6, 2012. Arrangements will be announced by the Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley.

## SERVICES

**Phyllis JoAnn Nelson Barth** of Boise and formerly of Kimberly, celebration of life at 10 a.m. today at the Hillview Methodist Church in Boise; graveside service at 3 p.m. today at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls; celebration gathering for family and friends at 4 p.m. in Twin Falls.

**Helene Mae Moudy Fairbanks** of Kimberly, memorial service at 11 a.m. today at the Redeemer Lutheran Church in Kimberly.

**Pete Oneida** of Shoshone, memorial service at 11 a.m. today at the First Baptist Church in Shoshone (Demaray Funeral Service, Shoshone Chapel).

**James "Jim" Wilson Justice** of Watson, La., and formerly of Hagerman, memorial service at 11 a.m. today at the Hagerman United Methodist Church at Fourth and Salmon streets.

**Chloe W. Coffman** of Rupert, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Rupert LDS West Stake Center; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the church (Hansen Mortuary in Rupert).

**Faye Morrill** of Hazelton, graveside service at 1 p.m. today at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls; visitation from 10 a.m. to noon today at Rosenau Funeral Home in Twin Falls.

**Gary Hoskins Sr.** of Hazelton, service at 11 a.m. today at the LDS Church in Hazelton (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

**Audrey McMillon** of Sacramento, Calif., and formerly of Rupert, graveside service at 11 a.m. today at the Rupert Cemetery; reception follows at the Rupert United Methodist Church (Hansen Mortuary in Rupert).

**Dennis Porter Henson** of Twin Falls, graveside service at 11 a.m. today at the Filer Cemetery; no public

viewing (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

**Shirley Irene Mackie Hurst** of Gooding, celebration of life at 2 p.m. today at the VFW Hall on the corner of Third Avenue and Idaho Street in Gooding (Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel).

**Gladys Tennant Darrington** of Declo, funeral at 2 p.m. today at the Declo LDS Stake Center, 213 W. Main St.; visitation from 1 to 1:45 p.m. today at the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

**Susan Ann Roberts** of Hagerman, funeral at 3 p.m. today at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

**Harold R. Harter** of Jerome, celebration of life at 3 p.m. today at the Twin Falls Reformed Church, 1631 Grandview Drive N. in Twin Falls (Farnsworth Mortuary of Jerome).

**Merl E. Eden** of Kimberly, memorial service at 2 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church, 910 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls; greeting family, sharing memories and having homemade ice cream follows.

**John B. Crawford** of Buhl, funeral at 11 a.m. Monday at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Buhl; visitation from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl; rosary at 7 p.m. Sunday at the church.

**Marvin Speth Reader** of Burley, memorial service at 11 a.m. Monday at the Morrison Funeral Home, 188 S. Highway 24 in Rupert.

**Daniel P. Coates** of Bliss, memorial service at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

**Barbara Donabedian** of Jerome, celebration of life at 2 p.m. Thursday at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

## For Egypt's New Government, Jobs Are First Priority

BY STEVE HENDRIX  
*The Washington Post*

**CAIRO** • After their dramatic rise to power — and it's hard to imagine one more operatic than the clash of revolution, democracy and religion that swept the formerly outlawed Muslim Brotherhood into Egypt's presidential palace — the country's untested new leaders now face a more prosaic first priority: Egypt needs jobs.

The Arab Spring has left the Egyptian economy in shreds. As crowds filled Tahrir Square, foreign investors fled, tourists stayed away and businesses closed. Unemployment soared, especially among the young. Growth has nearly flat-

lined, and by some measures, more than half of Egyptians have slipped below the poverty line.

For President Mohamed Morsi, the first freely elected leader in a history that stretches to the pharaohs, expectations are crushingly high. The Arab world's most populous country is struggling to pay its international bills, and Morsi's moves will be watched to see whether the rise of Islamists will be more about ideology or competence.

On the street, his supporters expect results.

"Morsi is going to solve unemployment, fix security and improve pensions, may God assist him," said Mohamed Salah, 28, a jobless jewelry maker and Muslim

Brotherhood voter, idling in the tiny shade of a vending cart awning on a Cairo sidewalk.

Morsi and his advisers know that Egyptians expect them to make jobs their job one.

"The economic crisis is at the top of our priorities," said Jihad el-Haddad, a member of the economic planning committee of Morsi's Freedom and Justice Party (FJP). "We're nearly out of foreign currency reserves. Foreign investors have come to have no confidence in Egypt. It's a very, very urgent situation."

In the short term, Morsi is scrambling to avoid a balance-of-payments crisis, which could lead to a ruinous devaluation of the Egyptian pound. A billion-dollar loan

from a Saudi-based development bank has bought Egypt a little time, and there are signs that Morsi and the International Monetary Fund are close to an agreement on a \$3.2 billion infusion.

Such a deal would be a huge relief to those who have worried that the Islamist group would not accept the IMF's strict conditions. But doing so would help attract additional international funding and, even more, signal a willingness by the new government to do what it must to shore up finances.

"It's an encouraging first step," said Mustafa Kamel el-Sayed, a political science professor at Cairo University. "They're saying the right things."



Julia Bluhm of Waterville, Maine, holds up a copy of 'Seventeen' magazine in May as she leads a protest outside Hearst Corp. headquarters in New York.

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## Magazine: We Celebrate All Shapes, Sizes

BY LEANNE ITALIE  
*Associated Press*

**NEW YORK** • Score one for girl power.

A 14-year-old Maine ballet dancer who led a crusade against altered photos in *Seventeen* magazine now has a promise from top editor Ann Shoket to leave body shapes alone, reserving Photoshop for the stray hair, clothing wrinkle, errant bra strap or zit.

And when Shoket or her staff do manipulate images, she vowed in the August issue, they'll post before and after shots on the magazine's Tumblr page for full transparency.

Shoket's promises are included in a "body peace treaty" that also commits the

magazine to always feature healthy girls and models regardless of clothing size.

The young activist, Julia Bluhm, said Friday from her summer camp she's "really excited."

"I didn't think it would get this big," she said. "It's a really great surprise for me."

Julia and her mom, Mary Beiter, sat down with Shoket in New York in early May to discuss the thousands of signatures on the Waterville girl's online petition at Change.org. Julia declared victory after Shoket's announcement, ending with more than 84,000 signatures.

Now, two of her fellow bloggers from SPARK Summit, a group of girls and young

women trying to end the sexualization of girls in the media, are targeting Teen Vogue to make the same commitment. They've collected more than 15,000 signatures since Tuesday.

Shoket did not identify Julia by name in her full-page declaration, which also denied the magazine ever changed the shapes of bodies and faces. She had no further comment Friday.

The editor did cite the support of the National Eating Disorders Association. The group's president, Lynn Greffe, lauded the effort as a first step but said far more

must be done to promote positive body image and a more attainable standard of health and beauty in magazines and other media.

"I'm not saying it's a total victory," Greffe said. "Seventeen, Teen Vogue, Vogue, Cosmo, every magazine still has ads for diet products and other things that we find problematic, but in terms of the Photoshopping stuff, I believe that Ann is sincere and wants to really educate the consumer and work with the girls and show them what has been Photoshopped and how to recognize that!"

## U.K. Agency Opens Criminal Probe of Bank Rate Fixing

**LONDON (AP)** • Britain's Serious Fraud Office said Friday that it has formally opened a criminal investigation of the manipulation of a key market interest rate that has shaken Barclays.

The bank was fined \$435 million last week by U.S. and British agencies for making false reports of its borrowing costs between 2005 and 2009, specifically of the London interbank offered rate, or LIBOR, which influences the costs of a range of financial instruments including home mortgages.

Regulators are known to be looking into similar allegations against other banks in Britain and elsewhere, but Barclays is the only bank so far to have been publicly shamed. The Serious Fraud Office announcement did not mention Barclays by name but referred to "the LIBOR matter."

The agency said it was uncertain whether the investigation would result in

charges.

Barclays' share price closed 2 percent lower at 164.75 pence following the announcement.

This week, Bob Diamond resigned as chief executive of the bank and Chairman Marcus Agius announced his intention to leave as soon a replacement has been appointed.

The Serious Fraud Office could prosecute individuals or the company. The U.S. Justice Department said last week that it would not prosecute the Barclays because of its full cooperation in the investigation, but it might pursue charges against individuals.

The British Parliament voted Thursday to launch its own investigation of the banking industry.

Barclays is among several banks which submit daily data on the rates they are paying to borrow from other banks. That data is used to calculate LIBOR.

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## COMING UP

## Ice Cream in the Park

Screaming for ice cream? Reporter Tetona Dunlap shares some of the unique flavors you'll find at Rotarians' second annual Ice Cream Funday fundraiser.

Wednesday in Food

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## James R. Carmichael, Sr.

I have written my own obituary prior to my death, only the final date will be inserted by someone else as I will be unable to do so.

I was born in Iowa to a Mother and Father in 1932 and died \_\_\_\_\_, you can figure out my age. I was married, had 10 sons which were not for religious reasons, was given grandchildren and great-grandchildren. For their names and where they live, refer to the end of this. As for my education, studies, awards, military service, places I worked, interests, hobbies, friends, beliefs, churches, and organizations I belonged to or was the head of, again refer to the end of this. There is no recent picture of me and I did not want one submitted when I was 18, 25, or 40. You would not have recognized me anyway, though you could have said that I looked good for my age when I died.

I am survived by all those that are living and preceded in death by all those in the cemetery. So to find out everything about me and mine, you will have to buy my book which I forgot to write. I have written my own obituary to cut down from taking a column and half, or two, in the newspaper. Besides, who cares about all the hogwash.

There will be no public viewing, services, parades, memorials, etc., for me. Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home has consented to cremate my body to ashes.

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## RELIGION



ED GLAZAR • FOR THE TIMES-NEWS

Zakery Abbott's throw sends Avah Griner into a dunk tank on June 22 at River Christian Fellowship in Twin Falls. The evening's activity was one of many the church hosts throughout the year as part of its children's and youth ministries.

# Ministering to the Young

Magic Valley church leaders say youth ministries are important in developing young people's faith and character.

BY ANDREW WEEKS  
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**TWIN FALLS** • Young people need to be trained in the faith. That's where youth ministries can help, according to some Magic Valley church leaders.

A number of area churches offer children's and youth ministries to inspire and educate the rising generation to live Christian lives.

One of the challenges, leaders say, is keeping youth involved so they want to keep coming back. This especially is true for junior high and high school students — the age bracket for most youth ministries. Children's ministries serve a younger crowd.

The teen years are spiritually important, said Chuck Swoboda, who oversees children and youth ministries at Twin Falls Reformed Church.

"It's an ideal time for them to take ownership from what they've learned in children's ministry," he said.

A number of churches in the valley hold Bible study, service projects or other activities on Sundays or at other times during the week. The Reformed Church holds its youth activities on Sunday evenings, Swoboda said, because it doesn't compete as heavily with other activities the youth might be involved with the rest of the week.

The main focus of the ministry? "Basically, we try to connect with them on their level rather than expecting them to have the faith of adults," he said. "The challenge is to try to help them grow in their faith — where they're at, and not as adults. ... They're not adults and shouldn't be expected to have faith like that of adults."

That means proper friendships are especially important, he said. If youth aren't fellowshiped or have friends during weekly activities they usually have a tough time coming back or

wanting to be a part of the ministry.

But, Swoboda said, he sees a lot of youth who ask questions. They're curious about religion, faith and values, and other important things in life. Many of them do want to be involved, but they also want to feel like they fit in.

They'll go where they are most comfortable, Swoboda said, whether that's in church, at a faith-based activity or something completely away from church.

Brian Phillips, the church's new youth minister, echoed similar thoughts.

"I truly believe that kids are looking to be where the kids are," he said.

Phillips, who moved from Northern California in late June to become the youth pastor, said the church tries hard to make youth feel integrated into worship services. High school age youth often perform music during Sunday services, he said.

### Help the Youth

Youth at Twin Falls Reformed Church will hold a car wash fundraiser from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. today at the church, 1631 Grandview Ave. N. The car wash is free, but donations are accepted. Money raised will go toward an upcoming trip to Creation Festival in Medford, Ore. Information: 733-6128.

Youth ministry also involves fun activities such as backpacking, camping and fundraising.

Today, for instance, the youth are hosting a car wash at the church to raise money for a trip to Creation Festival, a concert of gospel-themed music in Medford, Ore.

Phillips, who has 10 years of experience ministering to youth, said mission trips, service projects, and weekly activities are important to young people's spiritual development.

The church's youth — about 70 junior high and high school age children — frequently help out at places

like The Mustard Seed.

"I think youth ministry is a good foundation for growing up," said 18-year-old Logan Vander Stelt, a member of the Reformed Church who recently graduated from Lighthouse Christian School. "I get to see people, friends I haven't seen all week. It's a good place to go back and dig deeper into the Bible with people your own age. ... It makes it easier to connect."

His mom, Paula, said she appreciates the youth ministry of the church because it has helped all three of her children develop

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### CHURCH SPOTLIGHT

## Believer's Church

The Believer's Church, 100 East Ave. D., Jerome; 293-8740, believerchurchidaho.com.

**When are church services?**  
We hold services at 9 and 11 a.m. Sundays, and 7 p.m. Wednesday.

**How large is your congregation?**  
We have between 150 and 200 people.

**Who is your church leadership?**  
Pastors Clay and Heather Ramirez have been in ministry the majority of their lives and are committed to the people of Magic Valley. They attended Bible college and are continuing their

education, currently through Northwest University. We have leaders over each department of the church from First Impressions to Production, and Children to Young Adults. All leaders have a foundation in the Bible truths and many are students in Bible school.

**What does the church believe?**  
The Bible is the inspired word of God. We believe in the church as the corporate, all denominations and age groups, working together for the purpose of loving God, loving others and serving our community.



COURTESY PHOTO

**What's a typical service?**  
Typically, we welcome everyone and sing songs with a live band; then Pastor Clay and/or Pastor Heather

share a passionate message relevant to today's life. You are guaranteed to leave refreshed and challenged.

**Do you offer childcare?** Yes,

childcare is available every service. We offer newly remodeled rooms for children up through 12 years of age. Children are welcome in service with parents as well.

**Describe your children's ministry:**

Our children's department is called BC Kids and includes tiny babies through preteens. The motto is, "To love and be loved like Jesus loves." Kids are valued and put first in all we do at Believer's Church. Each age group is taught a Bible-based truth with illustration at their level of learning by knowledgeable caregivers. We have activities scheduled throughout the year to encourage children to have fun serving God. Upcoming events include BC Kids Camp, Summer

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## Looking for Work without Losing Heart



Because I spent nearly 25 years as a vocational rehabilitation counselor, my heart aches for people who are out of work. Our sense of purpose and meaning is so intimately connected to our vocation, our individual calling. Work is the thing that not only puts bread on the table but also helps us to take the world, "This is who I am."

For many Americans, work does not do this. Many people work to live; they find their identity in other roles: spouse, parent and coach, for example. Millions of

Americans would be happy to find any gainful employment — never mind if it is fulfilling or not.

In this role I helped men and women with disabilities to maintain their employment through reasonable accommodations. When people could not perform their jobs, we explored skills that might transfer to new jobs. I also advocated with employers to see the abilities of individuals, not their disabilities. Together we faced the challenges of a changing economy, changing workforce realities (growing computerization and the need for more technical

training) and I watched as many people found new identities while others struggled to make ends meet on disability incomes.

The connection between these two callings of mine is this: as a pastor, my work involves helping people reconnect with their core human vocation — the calling to reflect God in our daily lives. The three great Abrahamic traditions (Jews, Christians and Muslims) believe that humanity was created in God's image. Through sin the image is lost, tarnished, spoiled and now we are on lifelong journeys to restore that image.

Christians see in Jesus the Way to that destination: not only is He the model, his life's work was to draw all people back to their true vocation.

Work is indeed a spiritual issue if you believe that we are "wonderfully and fearfully made" with God-given gifts to develop and use in the service of the world.

That millions of people around the world cannot find meaningful work is not only a tragedy, it is a social sin. The call to faithful people is to recognize our brothers and sisters who struggle to find work, to do more than pray for them.

Churches can support job clubs

and those agencies that help people find meaningful work.

Faithful people consider the impact of broad economic policies on the average American worker and work towards economic justice for all.

Furthermore, we can speak the truth about both, lament and hope — that both of these responses are holy and faithful.

Deb Seles, pastor of Episcopal Church of the Ascension in Twin Falls, may be reached at 733-1248.

# Believer's

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Carnival, Fall Round Up and Harvest Festival.

## Describe your youth ministry:

The Pursuit is our teens group for students ages 13-18 years. Our name comes from 2 Timothy 2:22 "Run from anything that stimulates youthful lust. Instead, pursue righteous living, faithfulness, love and peace. Enjoy the companionship of those who call on the Lord with pure hearts." We do exactly that through activities like rafting, concerts, community service, paint balling, weekend camps and student conferences. Pastors Mike and Stephanie teach teens how to live out what the Bible teaches at 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays.

## What other programs do you provide?

We offer a group just for

adults ages 18-25 that meets at 7 p.m. Thursdays to serve the community and ignite passion for living for God. Believer's Church has men's Bible study every Wednesday at 6 a.m. and Ladies Bible study the second and fourth Tuesday of every month with child care provided. We will also begin a mentoring program this fall; we're excited to start!

## What community service does your church provide?

Believers Church does Faith In Action each summer. The event teams with widows, seniors and anyone else in need of chores, tasks, yard work, building maintenance at no expense to them. We provide all the supplies, necessary skills and time to get the job done. We also hold food give-a-ways that help thousands of people in our community with no regard to their socioeconomic status. We ship truck loads of quality food to our parking

lot, and families come to take full boxes of food. We do it because we enjoy blessing others.

## What mission work does your church do?

We team with others when it comes to missions, both locally and worldwide. We partner with What Matters Ministries in Guatemala, Fire for All Nations, and a local family now doing missions work in Senegal. We believe in the corporate body of Christ and helping those already in place with the resources they need; this includes the Pregnancy Crisis Center and Fellowship of Christian Athletes in the local community.

— Clay and Heather Ramirez

If you'd like to have your church profiled in Church Spotlight, contact Andrew Weeks at 735-3233 or [aweeks@magicvalley.com](mailto:aweeks@magicvalley.com)

# MISSIONS

## PAUL • Elder Jacob Barclay



Barclay Christ of Latter-day Saints. He will enter the Missionary Training Center on Wednesday.

Barclay graduated from Minico High School in 2011 and has been attending BYU-Idaho, majoring in engineering. He is the son of Martin and Judy Barclay of Paul.

## WENDELL • Elder Tyler Lon Egbert



Egbert has been called to serve a mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the Portugal Lisbon Mission. He will speak in sacrament meeting at 9 a.m. Sunday at the Wendell 1st Ward Chapel, 605 N. Idaho St., and will report to the Missionary Training Center in Provo, Utah, on Wednesday.

Egbert graduated from Wendell High School in 2011 and attended Brigham Young University majoring in sports medicine. His parents are Lon and Melanie Egbert of Wendell.

## RUPERT • Elder Zachary ElRay Eskelsen



Eskelsen has returned from serving a mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the Mexico Tampico Mission. He will speak in sacrament meeting at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Rupert 3rd Ward Chapel,

526 F St.

Eskelsen is the son of Jolyn and Steven Bushman of Rupert and the late ElRay Eskelsen. He will attend BYU in the fall.



RUPERT • Elder Steven Bushman and Sister Jolyn Bushman have returned from serving in the Washington DC North Mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

They will speak in sacrament meeting at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Rupert 3rd Ward Chapel, 526 F St.

HEYBURN • Elder Brandon J. Hodge will return Tuesday from serving two years in the California Anaheim Mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of



Hodge

Latter-day Saints. He will speak in sacrament meeting at 11:30 a.m. July 15 at the Heyburn 1st Ward Chapel, 530 Villa.

Hodge is the son of Mark and Lanette Hodge of Heyburn.

To submit information about missionaries, contact Ellen Thomason at 735-3266, or send email to [ellen@magicvalley.com](mailto:ellen@magicvalley.com). Deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday for publication on the Saturday religion page.



# Youth

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positive relationships and reinforce values taught in the home. Besides being educational or inspiring, the weekly activities also are fun, Logan said. That's important, too, he said.

"A lot of it can be a type of outreach kind of thing to those who aren't coming to church. ... Teenagers like to have fun."

Youth connecting with youth is important in ministry, said the Rev. Jackie Roberts, pastor of Calvary Chapel in Buhl. So also is adults trying to connect with youth.

"We try to make that connection," he said. "To me,

ministry is all about people, being able to develop relationships. We can sit in a classroom and get only so far, but taking them out on a hiking trip is an opportunity for them to open up about what's happening in their own life. There's nothing like sitting by a stream with a young person, taking the time to talk and connect."

He said it also allows the youth to see that even though they might have challenges, life isn't all about tough times.

"It's so heavy these days what kids have to deal with. Sometimes they go through-out their childhood without having to be young," Roberts said. "Everything we do is centered on Biblical world views. Christ is the center of

our mission, even if it's backpacking or camping."

Youth ministries might attract some new families to church, said Brian Slusher, assistant pastor of River Christian Fellowship in Twin Falls, but it's an exception and not the rule. That's not the ministry's primary focus.

The focus, he said, is helping youth grow their faith and religious experience. Youth ministries are important to a young person's developing character. And, he said, the experiences they have in ministry help prepare them to become better church leaders.

"I think youth ministry is very important because they are the next generation to continue the church into the future."

# CHURCH NEWS

## First Southern Baptist Church Holds Tent Revival

TWIN FALLS • An old-fashioned tent revival is being held at 7 p.m. today and 11 a.m. Sunday at the First Southern Baptist Church on the corner of Filer Avenue and Washington Street in Twin Falls.

Evangelist Steve Cody from Lenopah, Okla., will be preaching, and Jeff Gore of Coleman, Texas, will minister through guitar and song. A potluck dinner will be served after Sunday's service. The public is invited.

Sunday school is cancelled this week only.

Kid's activities will be held from 9 a.m. to noon today. Hot dogs will be served. All children are welcome.

## Ascension Episcopal Church Hosts Guest Celebrant

TWIN FALLS • Ascension Episcopal Church will host Scott Ellsworth as guest celebrant and preacher for services of Holy Communion at 8 and 10 a.m. Sunday. Ellsworth is a deacon at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Boise.

At Ascension Cafe at 9 a.m., Dylan Stone will lead a discussion, "Ascension Communication — What's Involved?" Summer Fun Sunday school for youth of all ages will meet at 10 a.m. Healing prayer will be held at 7 a.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Tom Kennedy will also lead a Bible study at 11 a.m. and will celebrate Holy Communion and Healing Prayer at 12:15 p.m.

Anyone is welcome at all services. Pastor Deb Seles is participating in a work camp mission trip to Fort Yates, N.D. and will return July 14.

Ascension Episcopal Church is located at 371 Eastland Drive N. in Twin Falls. Regular services and Christian Education are held Sundays and Wednesdays. Information: [www.episcopalstwin-falls.org](http://www.episcopalstwin-falls.org)

falls.org or 733-1248. Ascension is handicapped accessible.

## Pastor Begins Six-Week Series on David

TWIN FALLS • The Rev. Phil Airhart will begin a six-week sermon series, "David: From Shepherd Boy to King," for worship at 10 a.m. Sunday at First United Methodist Church, 360 Shoshone St. E. in Twin Falls. This week's sermon is "Sheepfold to Palace: God Chooses a King."

David was a much-renowned and sometimes larger-than-life character from the pages of the Old Testament. The intent of this sermon series is to help people see and understand David, not as a "plaster saint" or unmarred subject of a Michelangelo sculpture but rather as a real flesh-and-blood person who was wonderfully gifted but also, at times, tragically flawed. However, because David had a heart for God, God was able to use him to bring blessing and hope to God's people. The miraculous thing is, God wants to do those same things through people now.

Information: 733-5872 or [www.tffumc.com](http://www.tffumc.com).

## Magic Valley UUF Discusses Back Door to Happiness

TWIN FALLS • The Magic Valley Unitarian Universalist Fellowship will host a discussion, "Unlocking the Back Door to Happiness and Understanding the Buddhist Key that Can Open the Door," at 10:30 a.m. Sunday at the Twin Falls Senior Center, 530 Shoshone St. W. in Twin Falls.

Facilitator Michael Johnson will discuss how we can't find the door because of the human dilemma we seem to be stuck with but which we can manage if we really want to find happiness wherever we are, whatever we are doing. Newcomers are welcome. Information: Ken Whitling at 734-9161.

## New Life Assembly Hosts Clown 'n' Ministry

HEYBURN • New Life Assembly will host Doulos and Checkers — Clown 'n' Ministry at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday through Friday and 10:30 a.m. July 14 at the church, 254 S. Highway 24.

Clown 'n' Ministry will bring family fun as they deliver hope of the gospel. There will be hot dogs and chips and "Heyburn's longest ice cream sundae" at the end of the Saturday ministry.

Prizes will be awarded to each boy and girl who brings the most friends; good listeners may earn a trip to the treasure chest for daily rewards.

The award-winning clowns will share their unique blend of music, humor, illusions, ventriloquism and the gospel message. These two have been clowning together for 21 years since beginning in Las Vegas, Nev. They've performed across the United States and were named American Clown Idols in 2009. They have performed and taught clowning at conferences in Las Vegas, Nev.; Branson, Mo.; Tacoma, Wash.; and Boise, Nampa and Twin Falls. They are featured in the book, "A Couple of Clowns" by Steve Kissell.

Doulos and Checkers relocated to the Mini-Cassia area, where they are more commonly known as Mark and Nettie Burgess, lead pastors at New Life Assembly in Heyburn.

Admission is free and the public is invited. Information: 434-2004 or 539-5249.

## Life Church Offers Open Heaven Training Conference

JEROME • An Open Heaven Training Conference will be held Friday through July 15 at Life Church of the Magic Valley, 425 Nez Perce (100 S. 25 E.) in Jerome.

This conference is designed to equip the people

of God in supernatural ministry. It will cover several topics, including prophetic worship, prayer/intercession, soaking into the third heaven, worship dance/flags, worship banners, supernatural alter ministry, prophetic art, dead rising, imagine with God, healing the sick, prophetic evangelism, casting out demons/deliverance and developing a prophetic church.

If you are hungry for more of God and getting equipped with tangible tools that were present in the ministry of Christ, this conference is for you.

For full schedule and description of all teachings being offered, visit [www.lifechurchmv.com](http://www.lifechurchmv.com).

## Magic Valley Bible School Presents 'SonGames'

TWIN FALLS • The Magic Valley Bible Church will present its Vacation Bible School, "SonGames," from 8:30 a.m. to noon July 16 through 19 at the church, 204 Main Ave. N. (formerly Cain's Furnishings) in Twin Falls.

Children ages 4 through sixth grade are encouraged to participate. To register, visit [www.mvbible.org](http://www.mvbible.org) or called 733-5248.

## Methodist Church Holds Vacation Bible School

RUPERT • The United Methodist Church, 605 H. St. in Rupert, will hold Vacation Bible School from July 16 through 20.

Children ages 3 through fifth grade are invited. A light lunch will be served. Information: 436-3354.

The Times-News welcomes news of church events. Send information to [ellen@magicvalley.com](mailto:ellen@magicvalley.com). Deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday for publication on the Saturday religion page.

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## Presbyterians Reject Redefinition of Marriage

BY RACHEL ZOLL  
associated press

The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) narrowly rejected a proposal to revise the traditional definition of marriage on Friday, a year after it struck down a barrier to ordaining gays.

The Presbyterian General Assembly, meeting in Pittsburgh, voted 338-308 against changing how marriage was defined in the church constitution from a "civil contract between a woman and a man" to a "covenant between two people."

Other mainline Protestant churches have approved gay ordination or permitted individual parishes to celebrate same-sex unions in recent years.

The U.S. Episcopal Church, which is holding its national convention through next week in Indianapolis, will consider prayer services for same-sex unions. However, only one major mainline group, the United Church of Christ, has endorsed same-sex marriage outright.

The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), like many Protestant groups, has debated for decades whether the Bible prohibits same-sex relationships. The discussion has focused mainly on whether to ordain gays and lesbians who aren't celibate. But as gay acceptance has grown in the broader culture, the church debates have started to include the issue of gay marriage.



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George Zimmerman leaves the Seminole County Jail after posting bail Friday in Sanford, Fla. Zimmerman left the Seminole County Jail a day after Circuit Judge Kenneth Lester granted a \$1 million bail.

## George Zimmerman Leaves Florida Jail

BY MIKE SCHNEIDER  
Associated Press

ORLANDO, Fla. • Former neighborhood watch volunteer George Zimmerman was released from jail Friday for a second time while he awaits his second-degree murder trial for fatally shooting Trayvon Martin.

Zimmerman left the Seminole County Jail a day after Circuit Judge Kenneth Lester granted a \$1 million bail with strict conditions. He wore a white shirt and dress jacket as he walked out and got into an SUV, ignoring shouted questions from nearby reporters.

The judge is requiring Zimmerman to stay in Seminole County. He was allowed to leave Florida after his first release in April. Now he must be electronically monitored, can't open a bank account, obtain a passport or set foot on the grounds of the local airport. He has a 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. curfew.

"He's very happy to be out!" Don West, one of Zimmerman's attorneys, told reporters outside the jail. "Cer-

tainly it's been a sobering experience spending the last month in jail in that kind of environment."

Zimmerman had been released on a \$150,000 bond in April in the shooting of the unarmed black teenager, but the judge revoked it last month after prosecutors presented evidence that he and his wife misled the court about how much money they had available to pay for the bond. They didn't tell the judge that donations from a website for Zimmerman's legal defense had raised around \$135,000 at the time of his first bond hearing.

Prosecutors argued Zimmerman and his wife talked in code during recorded jailhouse conversations about how to transfer the donations to different bank accounts. For example, George Zimmerman at one point asked how much money they had. She replied "\$155." Prosecutors allege that was code for \$155,000. Their reference to "Peter Pan" was code for the PayPal system through which the donations were made, prosecutors said.

## Abuse by Sri Lanka's Army Rubs Salt in Wounds of War

BY SIMON DENYER  
The Washington Post

JAFFNA, Sri Lanka • In the final days of Sri Lanka's civil war, as the army closed in for the kill against Tamil Tiger rebels, tens of thousands of civilians covered in the crossfire.

"The children were crying because they were so hungry, so when we heard congee in coconut soup was being given out, we let them leave the bunker where we were sheltering," a 35-year-old woman from the northern district of Thunukkai recalled recently. "Then the army bombed the place. Most of the kids were killed on the spot, including my son."

Three years have passed since the end of the war. But for members of the Tamil minority of northern Sri Lanka — who suffered a heavy civilian death toll

during the three-decade conflict, and years of fear and oppression when the Tigers controlled the area — the peace has been a painful disappointment.

Gathering in a spot that they judged safe enough to speak freely, a group of Tamil women recounted the daily humiliation of life under the victorious Sri Lankan army — almost exclusively made up of ethnic Sinhalese Buddhists.

Twice a month, the women said, soldiers enter their homes to photograph everyone. Permission from the military is required for even the smallest gathering or just to collect firewood in the nearby forest.

"I even have to go and ask someone for permission to have a birthday party for my daughter in my own home," said a 46-year-old mother of six from the Kandavalai area.

## Obama, Romney Use Ruling to Rally Backers

BY THOMAS BEAUMONT  
Associated Press

DES MOINES, Iowa • President Barack Obama and Mitt Romney both are using the Supreme Court decision upholding the federal health care insurance requirement, loved by liberals and hated by conservatives, to rally core supporters in the most competitive states in the presidential race.

Yet while each side may be benefiting from groundswells of volunteers and money, the ruling seems unlikely to sway the legions of undecided voters who are focused heavily on the economy — not on the health care debate that has raged in this country for years.

As a result, Republicans and Democrats alike say how the health care ruling influences a race that polls show is close will depend on how the campaigns use it to ramp up activity in the dozen or so states that Obama and Romney are contesting most aggressively.

"Whoever gets the organizational advantage ...

"What the court did not do on its last day in session, I will do on my first day if elected president of the United States. And that is I will act to repeal Obamacare."

Presidential candidate **Mitt Romney**

that's the real impact of the decision," said Jesse Harris, who led Obama's 2008 early vote effort in Iowa. "In a state like this, that could be decisive."

A week after the decision, Democrat Obama's campaign is pointing to swollen ranks of campaign volunteers, in places like Iowa and Michigan, who have been emboldened to protect the health care overhaul now that it has been declared the law of the land. Opponents had argued that the requirement that all individuals to buy health insurance was a constitutional overreach.

"The law I passed is here to stay," Obama said to applause in Ohio this week.

Republican challenger Romney says the anger on the right has boosted fundraising in presidential

battlegrounds, with millions in small-dollar contributions pouring in from conservatives who see the former Massachusetts governor as the last hope for getting the law repealed.

"What the court did not do on its last day in session, I will do on my first day if elected president of the United States. And that is I will act to repeal Obamacare," Romney said last week in response to the ruling.

Americans across the country, and in the most hotly contested states like Colorado, Florida, Iowa, Ohio and Virginia remain skeptical about Obama's signature policy accomplishment. Several polls taken in the last year in key states show narrow majorities opposing the law and supporting its repeal.

After reacting to the Supreme Court decision, both candidates quickly shifted their public rhetoric back to the economy — voters' No. 1 issue. Meanwhile, their campaigns began using the ruling to fire up supporters online and in key states in hopes of signing up more volunteers and encouraging donations.

In Nevada, where Obama is in a tough fight with Romney over a state economy that's struggling to overcome double-digit unemployment, Democrat John Bruce Krausman said the ruling gives him a bit more confidence that Obama can win.

"It means for the country that we can move forward," Krausman said.

In Michigan, callers at the phone bank in Obama's Detroit campaign office and volunteers registering voters at nearby bus stops touted the ruling. Said John Hardy, a Detroit office volunteer, "It's energized some people who support the president but were on the fence about helping."

## Tasked With Recovering Millions in Bad Loans

BY JOSHUA PARTLOW  
The Washington Post

KABUL, Afghanistan • Abdullah Dowrani's obscure government office didn't even exist during the early years of Kabul Bank's meteoric rise, when the bank took advantage of a fast-and-loose wartime boom and political connections to lavish illegal loans on its shareholders and attract depositors with lucrative lotteries.

But now this 40-year-old, soft-spoken bureaucrat is the chairman of Afghanistan's Financial Dispute Resolution Commission and finds himself at the center of his government's attempt to resolve the notorious financial scandal. His job is simple: recover as much as possible of the nearly \$1 billion in loans Kabul Bank doled out to its

shareholders, who are among the nation's most influential businessmen. The scale of the task is not lost on him.

"I'm under extreme pressure," he said with a wan smile.

Dowrani's ability to complete his task — and to operate independent of political interference — has emerged as a key test of President Hamid Karzai's commitment to fighting corruption in Afghanistan. Nearly two years after the central bank took over Kabul Bank, none of the people involved in its near-collapse has been prosecuted, though the bank's chairman was among 21 people indicted last month.

At this weekend's donor

conference in Tokyo, nations weighing how much money to commit to Afghanistan are looking to the handling of the Kabul Bank scandal as an important signal that Karzai is taking steps to resolve the most egregious examples of graft and bribery.

"The important thing as a nation, as a government, as a system: Are we able to get out of this?" Dowrani said. "Are we able to overcome the challenge?"

U.S. officials involved in the anti-corruption fight remain highly skeptical about Karzai's commitment to punishing those responsible for the Kabul Bank crisis.

Karzai was slow to take action and blamed Western advisers for the problems. U.S. officials were further angered that the indictments did not include the president's brother, Mahmood Karzai, or the vice president's brother, Haseen Fahim, and saw this as the president protecting those closest to the palace.

Still, some Western officials see Dowrani as a ray of hope, an honest, upstanding bureaucrat in a frustrating situation. "Dowrani is a very good guy, trying to do the right thing in a difficult environment. He needs our full support," one official said.

## Woman Facing Loss of Her Children wasn't Properly Notified

BY CHUCK LINDELL  
Austin American-Statesman

AUSTIN, Texas • State child-protection workers improperly relied on a newspaper ad to notify a Dallas mother about an upcoming trial to take away her four children, the Texas Supreme Court ruled Friday.

Parental rights — "far more precious than any property right" — cannot be terminated unless the courts and state workers exercise a high degree of diligence, the unanimous Supreme Court ruled.

That standard was not met when Child Protective Services published a classified ad to notify Lamia Raibon about her pending trial in 2007 — particularly because Raibon wasn't that hard to find, the court said.

Serving notice by publication is a last resort typically reserved for lawsuits involving somebody who is missing or unknown, but Raibon had met with a CPS caseworker and attended two court hearings around the time state officials moved to end her parental rights, the court noted.

"Service by publication deprived (Raibon) of due process," Chief Justice Wallace Jefferson wrote for the court. "It was both possible and practicable to more adequately warn (Raibon) of the impending termination of her parental rights." But the court stopped short of ordering a new trial for Raibon, who was accused of physically abusing her children and who tested positive for methamphetamine at the birth of her youngest child.

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DATED: June 11, 2012.

TITLEFACT, INC., Trustee

By LILA ORTON, Assistant Vice-President

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE:** The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, outside the main entrance of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 711 G- Street, Rupert, ID 83350, on 10/15/2012 at 11:00 AM, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 12/27/2004 as Instrument Number 475980, and executed by **GUADALUPE DELGADO AND MARTHA DELGADO, HUSBAND AND WIFE**, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Minidoka County, State of Idaho: LOT 11 IN BLOCK 8 OF B.E. SMITH'S FIRST ADDITION TO THE CITY OF RUPERT, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, **606 SOUTH 5TH STREET, Rupert, ID, 83350** is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 11/01/2011 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 5.875% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$45,678.10, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 06/06/2012 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94, SIMI VALLEY, CA 90028-1821, PHONE: (800) 281-8219. TS # 12-0051956 FEI # 1006.161073

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 101 Lost and Found

**FOUND** Black Lab, male with chain collar. Call 948-0290 for information.

**FOUND** Pair of Child's? Eyeglasses at Kimberly City Park. 208-731-4766

**FOUND** Rottweiler mix puppy in Burley area. Please call to identify. 208-312-3475

**FOUND** sofa or chair cushion at the corner of Filer & Whisping Pine. Call 208-734-5222 to claim.

**FOUND** Tabby cat, female. Black & tan, abscess on chin, found @ Filer fairgrounds 6-22. 406-549-3934

**FOUND** Terrier / Shih Tzu mix. Male, 5 years, black & white, obese. Call 208-312-7066

### 101 Lost and Found

**LOST** Border Collie cross, female, Friday by Shoshone Falls. Missing some teeth. Reward 208-731-8758

**LOST** Chocolate Lab (Charley). BUHL gone 6/28. Reward. 541-905-2530 or 543-9896

**LOST** Kodak EZ-Share digital camera, Thurs night June 28<sup>th</sup> after we left boat dock at Shoshone Falls. Camera fell off vehicle still in black padded case. Please Call Ron 420-7741.

**LOST** Shih Tzu, female, white with brown markings, recently trimmed, black sore on back leg. Turn into Gem Vet in Gooding or call 595-1791 or 934-8591

**LOST** Tait hand-held radio. On June 28<sup>th</sup>, either at St. Lukes Hospital or Walmart. If found please call 208-326-4582

### 104 Personals

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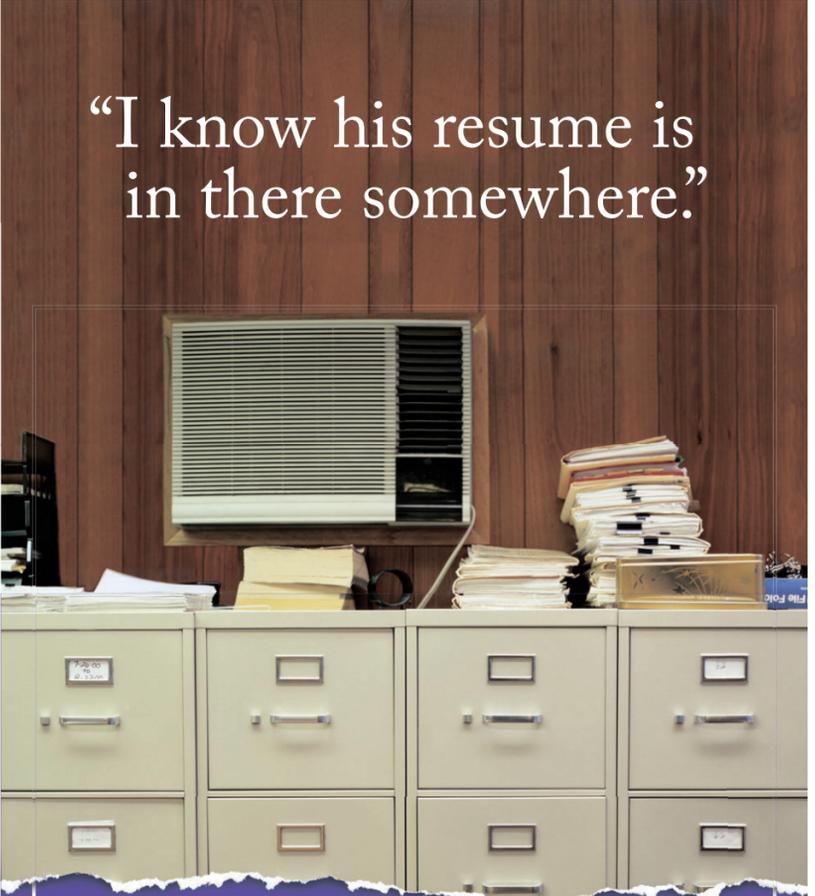
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Bobby Wolff

*"Victory comes late,  
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— Emily Dickinson

The final deal from last year's European Open Championships was played by Vitas Vainikonis in four hearts. Consider it first as a single-dummy problem. You sit South, and no doubt when dummy comes down, you regret not doubling four diamonds. But you have to make the best of the spot you are in.

The good news is that when the defenders lead three rounds of diamonds, West has six and East can only ruff in with the heart six, not the jack. You over-ruff and draw the remaining trumps in two rounds. Now what?

You know that West has six diamonds and two hearts, together with very short spades. The auction strongly suggests that he has five clubs, given East's revealing pre-empt. So East has only two clubs, making the club finesse unnecessary — if East has the club queen, it is dropping.

Therefore, you cash the club ace and king, then lead a spade to your jack; East must duck his ace or it falls on empty air. Next, you lead a spade to the king, and East must duck a second time, since if he wins, he is immediately end-played. With only spades left, he will have to play into the tenace.

But now you exit with a club. When West wins the club queen, he must give you a ruff and discard with the lead of one minor or the other, and your last spade goes away. Contract made!

**WEST**  
♠ ---  
♥ J 4  
♦ A K 9 8 4 3  
♣ Q 10 9 8 7

**EAST**  
♠ A 10 8 7 5 4  
♥ 6 3 2  
♦ J 10  
♣ 5 4

**SOUTH**  
♠ J 6 2  
♥ 10 9 8 7 5  
♦ 6 5  
♣ A J 3

Vulnerable: East-West  
Dealer: West

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

Opening lead: Diamond king

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South holds:  
♠ J 6 2  
♥ 10 9 8 7 5  
♦ 6 5  
♣ A J 3

South West North East  
Pass 1♠ Dbl. 1♦  
? 2♦

**ANSWER:** It looks natural to bid two hearts now, but bear in mind that your partner should have shape and an opening bid at least. You should instead compete to three hearts immediately (only a fractional overbid). Your initial pass limited your high cards, and the fact that you are jumping (rather than cue-bidding) means that your partner should work out that your hand-type is shapely rather than based on high cards.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolff," contact kay19072@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, email him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com.  
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**POMERANIANS** Want something different, rare purebred puppies for sale. Call 208-734-4733.

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**1006 Trucks**

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**1010 Autos**

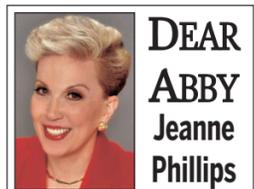
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**HONDA '07** Civic EX, 4 door, auto, 60,000 miles, \$11,200 or best offer. 208-212-1058

**DEAR ABBY:** My brother left his wife of nine years and his children for another woman. They now have a baby together. His wife nearly had a nervous breakdown because of it, and his children are understandably upset with the situation.



**DEAR ABBY**  
**Jeanne Phillips**

My question has to do with his new baby. I would like to send my brother a congratulatory card, even though his divorce isn't final. Our mother is furious and refuses to speak to him, let alone congratulate him. Still, I would like to send a card and a gift for the baby. How should I handle this?

— UNDECIDED

**DEAR UNDECIDED:** Send a card and a gift to the baby. The child should not be punished because of the behavior of the parents. However, considering the circumstances, forgo the congratulatory card to your brother.

**DEAR ABBY:** My two friends and I will be 12 soon. We would like to try to make our own money so we can get off our parents' backs. There are things like lip gloss and magazines we'd like to buy.

We have considered baby-sitting. But are we old enough? We'd appreciate your input.

— KAYLA IN MISSOURI

**DEAR KAYLA:** In baby-sitting, it isn't how old a person is but how MATURE and responsible the prospective sitter is. Some 12- and 13-year-olds are mature enough to handle it; others are not.

However, before deciding how your earnings will be spent, talk to your parents to determine how much they would like you to begin saving. It's never too early to start.

**DEAR ABBY:** In the 17 years I have been married, my husband has never called me by my name. Nor has he ever used a term of endearment such as "Honey" or "Sweetheart." It's just "Hey ..." or "Ummm ..."

Am I crazy? I was raised to believe you address a person by name, say "thank you" if someone does something nice, and compliment a person if he or she has done well. Can you help me understand why he behaves this way?

— I HAVE A NAME

**DEAR I HAVE A NAME:** Did your husband treat you this way before you married him? If so, you married an undemonstrative lump of a man who apparently never learned basic manners while growing up. If it started after your wedding — and after you told him how his behavior makes you feel, he has persisted — then understand that he is trying to punish you for something.

Now I have a question for you: Why have you tolerated this kind of passive-aggressive behavior for 17 years?

**DEAR ABBY:** When someone at the office lends you a lint remover, should you return it with the used lint paper still on it — or tear it off and return it with a fresh one? Please let me know which is appropriate.

— ANGELICA IN SAN JOSE, CALIF.

**DEAR ANGELICA:** If the roller was clean when it was given to you, then it should not be returned with lint on it. In other words, when an item is borrowed, it should be returned in the same condition in which it was loaned.

**502 Homes For Sale**

**KIMBERLY** Remodeled 3 bdrm, 1 bath, 1036 sq. ft. Large backyard. \$99,900. Call 208-420-7950



**1084 Starlight Loop**  
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\$177,000. Call 208-421-4594  
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**TWIN FALLS**  
**Momma Says Sell Um**  
Vintage log cabin in town. 3 bdrm. (+) 2 bath, many upgrades and extras. Fenced yard w/fruit trees.  
**Greatly Reduced From** \$129,000-\$119,000- \$109,000-  
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Other house available!  
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Nice 4 bdrm, 3 bath, 1 acre, hardwood floors, tile, granite, 1200 sq. ft. shop, fully landscaped, \$365K. Call 831-332-4684 for questions on house. Call 208-420-2301 for showing. Email skull1041@yahoo.com for more pictures. Also visit http://skullman.squarespace.com

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**502 Homes For Sale**



**1131 Bell Lane, Kimberly**  
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**502 Homes For Sale**



**Open House 1-3 pm**  
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731-0880



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Granite kitchen, upgraded window coverings w/blackout features, "All" furniture is negotiable. Split bedroom floor plan, 3 bedrooms + office, manageable yard, walk-in marble shower plus Jacuzzi tub. 98477151 \$234,900.

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<b>COMMERCIAL RETAIL</b> Former veterinary hospital. Across street from K-Mart. Total of 7 lots For Sale in this new subdivision, 2 are commercial buildings and 5 are vacant commercial land lots facing Eastland Drive & Addison Ave. E. 98456642 \$350,000 Doug Vollmer 420-5650	<b>VERY SPACIOUS</b> 2-story home, 3 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths with heated floors, custom mahogany wet bar and hutch, on quiet cul-de-sac with mature landscaping. 98497860 \$399,000 Jim Herrett 208-731-3096	<b>FULLY OPERATIONAL</b> Bean & grain warehouse, 5 bldgs, 6 sites, 2 full cleaning lines, sorting, bagging and storage elevator. 98476332 \$625,000 Jim Herrett 208-731-3096	<b>GREAT SHOWROOM</b> 3 buildings on 2.429 acres, lots of storage area for commercial/ industrial use. 4,696 SF office/ retail building, 2,880 SF pole building and 1,224 SF shop building. 98469173 \$334,000 Doug Vollmer 208-420-5650	<b>MAGNIFICENT VIEWS</b> Geothermal water, all utilities to property. Highest ground in Kanaka. 98436909 \$25,000 Jim Herrett 731-3096
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**552 Woodland Dr. Twin Falls**  
"Gorgeous Home" This home has it all, Formal Dining, Office, 3 Bed 2 Bath, Beautiful Landscaping on a large lot, Covered Patio, Extra Large Master, Split



Bedrooms, Oversized 3 Car Garage, 40' Concrete RV Pad with gate. MLS #98483626 \$249,900.



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Beautiful Home Near Twin on 1.12 Acres, 4 Bedroom, 3.5 Bath, 38X28 Shop with two Overhead Doors. Formal Dining, Split Bedrooms, Extra Large Master, Office, Bonus room with a Bathroom, central vacuum, Pellet Stove, Tile Flooring, Covered Patio wit Hot Tub. Great landscaping, fenced back yard with Gazebo. MLS #98487675 \$285,000.



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**"It's hard when we sing Granddad's favorite hymn, 'cause my throat gets really tiny."**

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**BUHL** 4 bdrm, 1 1/4 bath, 2 car, fenced yard, RV parking, in town. \$950/mo. **208-713-7087**

**BUHL** Near new 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car. AC, range, DW, microwave, blinds. \$950/mo **928-706-0614**

**BUHL/FILER** Country, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, fenced yd, 2 acres, \$775 mo. + dep. Possible pet. **208-404-3159**

**BURLEY** 3 bedroom, 1 bath, W/D hookup, fenced yard, gas heat, \$600 month + \$400 deposit. Call **300-0491** or **300-0262** (Message)

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**FILER** Clean 3 bdrm, 1 bath mobile, no smoking/pets, \$550 incl water, sewer, garbage. **788-1832**

**GOODING** 2 bdrm. house. Pet okay. No smoking/drugs. \$450/month + \$450/deposit. **208-316-8709**

**0602 Unfurnished Homes**

**HANSEN** Quite, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, stove, water incl, fenced yd. \$765 **THE MANAGEMENT CO. 733-0739**

**HEYBURN** 3 bdrm, 1 bath, Idaho-Housing approved, \$650 + \$450 dep. 1711 19<sup>th</sup> St. **435-720-7509**

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**\$172,900 • TWIN FALLS**



**Excellent Location!**  
Awesome family home with 4 bedrooms, 2 baths and huge backyard. 2,284 square feet. Hardwood and new windows throughout. Great basement area w/ family room and nice storage area. No neighbors behind!. **MLS# 98498108**  
Call **Beth LeBaron** at **320-0919**

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**Near New Hospital & Canyon!**  
This home is better than buying new! 3 bed, 2 bath home with bonus room. Wonderful floor plan. Beautiful scraped hardwood flooring, lovely rock fireplace & jetted tub. Formal Dining. Beth-320-0919. **MLS# 98498555**  
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<b>502 Homes For Sale</b>	<b>502 Homes For Sale</b>	<b>502 Homes For Sale</b>	<b>502 Homes For Sale</b>
 <b>327 JEFFERSON ST., TWIN FALLS</b> Great Home, Great Yard! <b>MLS# 98494713</b> <b>\$118,000</b>	 <b>908 2ND AVE E., JEROME</b> 3 bed, 2 bath Great covered patio <b>MLS# 98492587</b> <b>\$127,000</b> <i>New Listing!</i>	 <b>3542 E 3144 N, KIMBERLY</b> 5 bedrooms, 3 baths and acreage <b>MLS# 98494004</b> <b>\$243,500</b> <i>Acreage/Corner Lot</i>	 <b>1022 BORAH AVENUE, TWIN FALLS</b> 30 Day Close. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1531 sq.ft., <b>MLS# 98474033</b> <b>\$153,900</b> <i>Pending!</i>
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~~\$184,900~~  
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**542 Hailee Avenue, Twin Falls**  
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**1105 Sunrise Blvd., Twin Falls**  
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**OPEN HOUSE • 11-1 PM**

**795 Juniper Street, Twin Falls**  
Spacious home, covered front porch & rear deck, hot tub,  
mature landscaping, corner lot. MLS#98488950  
Host Glenn Mott 329-1624  
**\$89,900**  
Directions: From Locust go east on 8th Ave. E & south on Juniper  
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**OPEN HOUSE • 11-1 PM**

**1507 Valencia, Twin Falls**  
Well kept turnkey home, fully fenced, landscaped, & full auto  
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**2563 East 3690 North, Twin Falls**  
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**OPEN HOUSE • 1:30-3:30 PM**

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**\$107,000**  
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Maple FOLLOW SIGNS



**OPEN HOUSE • 1:30-3:30 PM**

**1465 Valencia, Twin Falls**  
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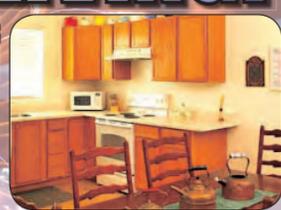
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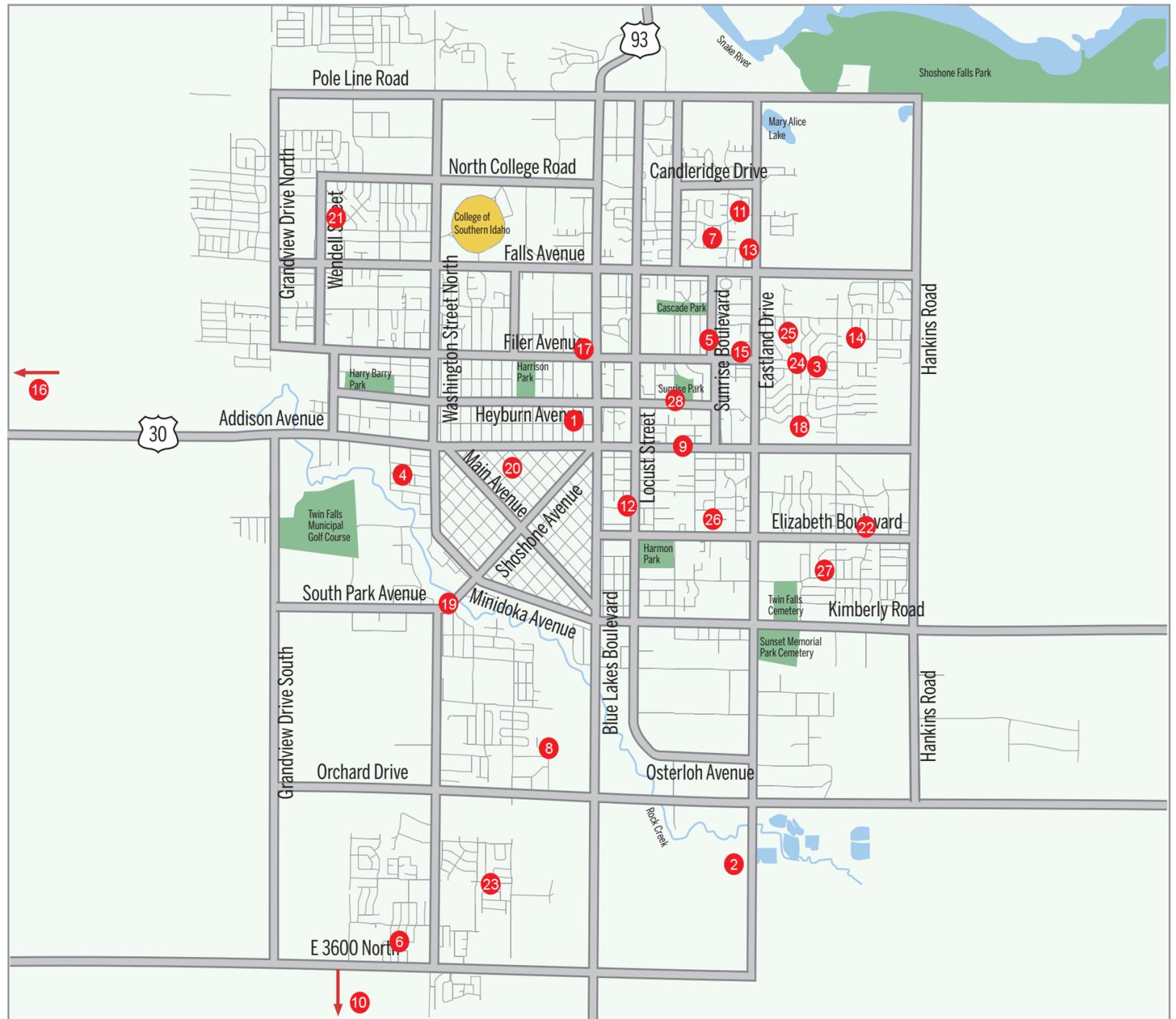
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# Twin Falls Garage Sales

**\*01TWIN FALLS** Fri. & Sat., 7am - 2pm. MOVING SALE - household items, bedding, fabric/sewing notions, crafts, furniture, photo gear, books, canning jars/cooker, toys, games, VHS's, tools, a lot more. **206 Buchanan St.**

**\*02TWIN FALLS** Friday and Saturday 8-4pm. Storage Unit Sale. Buffet, claw tub, semi toolbox, canning supplies, lots of new and misc. items. **3651 North 3100 East**

**\*03TWIN FALLS** Fri. 6<sup>th</sup>, 6-9pm - Sat. 7<sup>th</sup>, 7-2pm. Multiple families garage sale!! Furniture, clothes, exercise equipment, toys, almost anything you can think of... **465 Boxwood Ct.**

**\*04TWIN FALLS** Thurs., Fri. & Sat. 9-4:30. 2 brand new windows, exercise machine, Avon bottles, 45's & 33's records, small truck top, camper jacks, all new items. **325 Oak Street (off 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave West)**

**\*05TWIN FALLS** Fri. & Sat., 8am. Garage Sale Spectacular! Children's books, toys, highchair and clothes. Household items, home decor, appls, TV's, electronics. **581 Sunrise Blvd. N.**

**\*06TWIN FALLS** Sat, July 7, 8-6pm. Baby furniture, new Kohler sink, 5 yr old dishwasher, plus size women's clothes, home decor, books, name brand purses, lots of misc household items. **1594 Wrangler Street**

**\*07TWIN FALLS** Friday 12-8pm and Saturday 8-3pm. Large Multifamily Moving Sale. Furniture, storage shed, clothing, misc. & household items. **1030 Sawtooth Blvd.**

**\*08TWIN FALLS** Saturday, 7am-?. Universal gym, freezer, appls, home decor, tools, bikes, antiques, furniture, toys, port-a-crib, electronics, books, all age clothing, & much much more. **624 Braden Ct**

**\*09TWIN FALLS** Fri. & Sat. 8am. - 4pm. Super parking lot sale! Emptying storage unit! Tons of clothes (all sizes), vintage soda shop chairs, art, fabric, baby items, modern TV stand, jewelry, crib, books & movies, games, Christmas stuff, vintage items, shoes, and the list goes on. **1838 Addison Ave. E.**

**\*10TWIN FALLS** Fri. & Sat., 7am to 3pm. HUGE Yard Sale! Car parts, mid 60's GTO intake, winch, furniture, antiques, old books, shelves, Van. Don't miss it! **2872 E 3400 N (S on Washington, right on 3400, 3rd house on right)**

**\*11TWIN FALLS** Saturday 8-4pm. Furniture, home decor, designer clothing, sporting goods, Sears treadmill, small appliances, & miscellaneous. **1109 Wood River Dr. (In Candleridge)**

**\*12TWIN FALLS** Fri. & Sat., 9-6pm. Huge Yard Sale. Due to last Saturday nights yard sale "Theft", we are having our last yard sale forever! "Everything Goes". All size clothing, tons of household, fishing & camping, tools, plants, yard deco. You want it, if we have it, you can buy it! **1437 8<sup>th</sup> Ave. East**

**\*13TWIN FALLS** Saturday 8-2pm. Crib, changing table, la-z-boy, baby items, toys, household items, canoe, and more miscellaneous items. **2170 Bitterroot Dr.**

**\*14TWIN FALLS** Saturday, 8-4pm. Multifamily Sale. Furniture, books, household items, clothing, and much, much more. **2710 Sundance Drive**

**\*15TWIN FALLS** Fri., 5-8pm & Sat., 7am-1pm. Big Yard Sale. China & gun cabinet, dog kennel, designer clothes, and more. **539 Stonehedge Way**

**\*16TWIN FALLS** Saturday, 8-5pm. Two family. Variety household items every room. Washer & dryer. Portable toilet. 3000 watt generator. ATV gun rack. Toys. Women's clothing. Bedding. Formica yellow table. **3939 N 2600 W**

**\*17TWIN FALLS** Friday & Saturday, 8am to 5pm. Entire household contents. Furniture, cabinets, kitchen, appliances. Too much to list. Everything priced to go fast. **536 Lincoln St**

**\*18TWIN FALLS** Saturday, 7:00-2:00pm? LOTS of furniture, refurbished windows, queen bed, couch, too much to list. CASH ONLY. **197 Cedar Park Circle**

**\*19TWIN FALLS** Fri. 10-7 & Sat. 9-7 Scrubs, Dansko Shoes, Jewelry, Sunglasses, Furniture, CSI Books, Tools, Antiques, Lawn Mowers, New & Used Items, Good Food. **850 Shoshone St. W.**

**\*20TWIN FALLS** Saturday, 8am-2pm. Furniture, washer, dryer, gazebo, toys, lots of misc. **401 5th Ave. N.**

**\*21TWIN FALLS** Fri. & Sat., 8-3pm. Bedding, batting, glassware, tools, large clothing, and miscellaneous. **1027 Park Way Drive**

**\*22TWIN FALLS** Saturday 7<sup>th</sup>, 7am. - 3pm. Multifamily moving sale. Adult to children clothes, furniture, toys, books and lots of miscellaneous items. **667 Trotter Drive**

**\*24TWIN FALLS** Sat. ONLY, 7-1pm. Multifamily yard sale. Kitchenware, small appliances, camping, hunting, backpacks, tools and much more. The hoarders have cleaned out their basements!! Cash only. **479 Woodland Ct.**

**\*23TWIN FALLS** Saturday, 7-1pm. Everything must go. Ton and tons of clothing, bikes, small TV, and misc. Come take a look. **390 Pheasant Rd West**

**\*25TWIN FALLS** Saturday 8am-? Cleaning house! Lots of size 12 women clothing (excellent condition), couch, dishes, and more miscellaneous. **599 Buckingham Dr.**

**\*26TWIN FALLS** Saturday 8-5pm. and Sunday 8-3pm. **1976 Laura Circle**

**\*27TWIN FALLS** Fri., Sat. & Sun., 7-4pm. No early birds please. Family home being completely sold. Family has moved to new location, everything must go. Porcelain dolls, toys, electronics, rare & unique beanie babies, furniture, and lots and lots of moose collections. The house is also for sale. You mustn't let this one pass you by. **427 Sagebrush Drive**

**\*28TWIN FALLS** Fri. and Sat. 8am-3pm. Too much to list. Lots of misc. Almost new shoes and clothes for men and women, furniture, washer and dryer, couches, jewelry. **1803 Heyburn Ave. E.**

**TWIN FALLS** Sat. only 7-2pm. Antiques, furniture, household miscellaneous, vintage items, W/D holiday items, yard items, furniture, furniture, furniture. Did I mention furniture? **111 Polk St.**

**TWIN FALLS** Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>. Large variety of items from every room in the house. **2668 Longbow Dr.**

**TWIN FALLS** Saturday 8am-2pm Baby clothes, baby furniture, books, children's clothes and misc. items **675 Jackson St.**

**TWIN FALLS** Saturday Only 6:30-10:30am. Nice furniture, decor, nice name brand clothing, Christmas decor, and miscellaneous. Cash, debit/credit cards. **1707 Dora Dr. N.**

**TWIN FALLS** Saturday Only 7-3pm Something for everyone from truck parts to baby clothes. **141 Jefferson St.**

**TWIN FALLS** Saturday ONLY, 8am to 1pm? Price Sale: blue print machine, 2 small computer desks, large couch, computer components, 2 TVs, vintage dinette, stereo, typewriter, dishes & pots/pans, 4 pairs of cowboy boots (size 8 & 9), waterbed, kids & adult clothes & lots of misc. **2572 Cedar Ridge (off Carriage N)**

**TWIN FALLS** Saturday, 8am-4pm. Children's, women's, baby clothes, household items, TV's, furniture, refrigerator, and more. **1641 Elizabeth Blvd**

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**BURLEY** July 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>, 8am-2pm. Baby crib & bedding, misc luggage, misc cake decorating supplies, computer monitor, scrap-booking totes, record player & records, youth violin, wicker etagere, student desk, junior girls clothes, lamps, rugs, electronic dart board, electronic poker game, lots of misc. **2815 Mt. Harrison Dr**

**FILER** Sat., 8-2pm. Exercise bike, porcelain doll collection, Christmas Barbie collection, quilt fabric, girls & plus size clothes, books, household items, more. **1014 Lauren Ln (off Hwy 30 & Stevens)**

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**JEROME** Saturday and Sunday 9-3pm. Loveseat, elliptical trainer, books and misc. items. Will be selling cupcakes and cookies also. **322 15<sup>th</sup> Ave. W. (Subdivision behind Summit Elementary)**

**JEROME** Saturday only 9-2pm. Tools, some horse tack, and miscellaneous treasures. **495 Wildwood Rd. (In Northridge subdivision, off 500 S. Rd or off Golf Course Rd).**

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**KIMBERLY** Friday & Saturday, 8-4. Multifamily sale. Knick-knacks, toys, small kitchen items, clothing, and lots of miscellaneous. **3358 Addison Ave. E. (2 miles east of Kmart)**

**KIMBERLY** Saturday 7/7 only, 9am-5pm. Clothing, furniture (including very nice wood dinette set), lots of toys & house hold miscellaneous. **586 Jefferson**

**KIMBERLY** Sat. 7/7 only, 8am-3 pm. Horse tack, quilt, furniture, household, scrapbook, womens golf clubs, Christmas décor, and misc. **3523 E 4000 N (off of Falls)**

**RUPERT** Friday & Saturday, 7-5pm. Two family sale. Couches, camp trailer, truck, lawn mowers, chain saws, and other household items. **314 South 4<sup>th</sup> Street**

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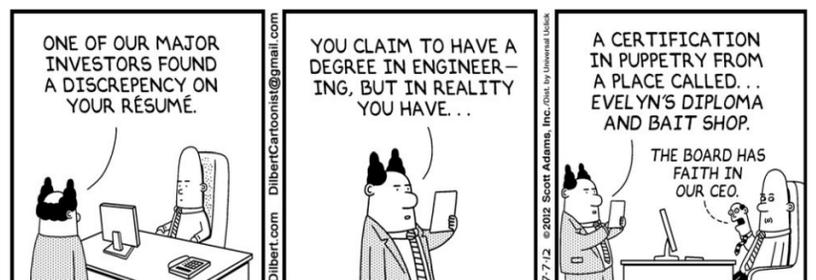
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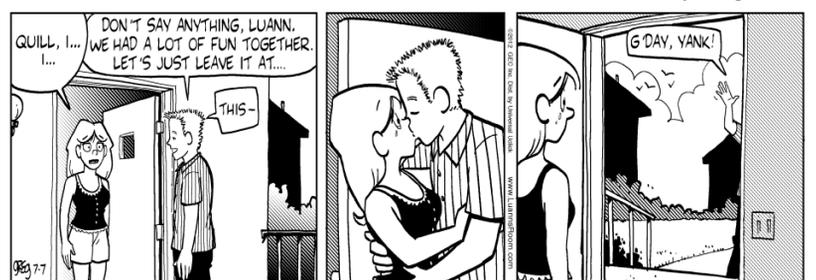
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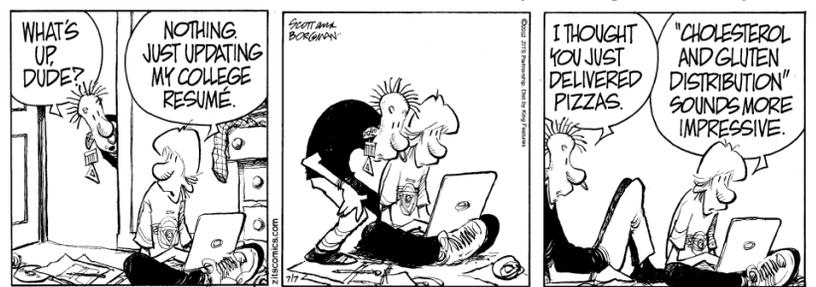
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**IF JULY 7 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY:** You will find that hanging out in a comfortable rut is the best place to be during the next several months. This is an excellent time to engage in sports or competitions as your friendliness and fairness will endear you to others. Widen the scope of your social contacts by joining a club or organization. By repeating the steps that have brought you success in the past, you can continue to enjoy success. This may not seem exciting, but sometimes safety and security are comforting. Wait until January to make important changes, when you will have the opportunity to break new ground successfully.

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**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Try to see the forest instead of just the trees. There is a big picture you must grasp to succeed with a financial scheme. You may have an incentive to invest in entertaining weekend events.

**TAURUS (Apr. 20-May 20):** Only fools rush in where angels dare to tread. You usually have good sense, but you are in danger of igniting a misunderstanding. Or you might be tempted to stir up controversy. Be as nice as possible.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** A leopard never changes its spots. If a loved one upsets you with unpredictable responses or seems to be deliberately contrary, just recall times when you were in harmony. Don't be irritated by small things.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** The tables are turned. It might be your turn to play hard to get or utterly romantic. You are no longer in the mood for hard work and business. Today you need an escape from boring reality.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** All the kids of the '60s knew the times "they are a-changing." Even now, it's impossible to predict whether anything will stay the same, especially with technology. It is wise to give in to changes with good grace.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Keep your money and your credit cards in your wallet. This isn't a good time to gamble that your good taste and expertise is in tip-top condition. Hold off on haircuts or buying new clothes.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Be prepared for unforeseen contingencies. You might find that the most predictable situations contain a sudden shock or that people frown on what seems politically correct. Delay making key decisions.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Make your mark through mental gymnastics. Use your head to ferret out the answer to a complicated puzzle. Share ideas, and perhaps some secrets, with others if you want them to share with you.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** Fulfillment comes full circle. Someone very close to you may have worthy ambitions and could use your support. This could be a good day to learn about a viable business opportunity.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Talk may be cheap, but it may also be valuable. If you aren't sure which way to turn or are confused by a changing of the guard, you may benefit from a heart-to-heart chat with a well-educated friend.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** Give a shout out to your friends. A loved one's dedication to achieving a dream isn't neglect, so don't feel neglected. Scrutinize your budget and see if there are luxuries that can be omitted.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** High tech or high fashion may look more enticing than they really are. Rather than flaunting the love beads or bling or insisting on reciprocal love, it's time to work at achieving your dreams and goals.

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## ACROSS

- 1 Take \_\_\_; assume control
- 5 Biblical hymn
- 10 Heat in the microwave
- 14 Boy or man
- 15 Cowboy competition
- 16 Mimicked
- 17 Invites
- 18 Birch tree
- 19 Three-\_\_\_ sloth
- 20 Answer
- 22 Feminine
- 24 Writing fluid
- 25 Panama or Suez
- 26 Wooden box
- 29 Produce an egg
- 30 More pleasant
- 34 Make angry
- 35 \_\_\_ Mar; So. California racetrack
- 36 Like dimmed, watery eyes
- 37 Fore and \_\_\_; bow to stern
- 38 Train system
- 40 Crummy
- 41 Positioned
- 43 Cereal grain
- 44 Sensible
- 45 Watery portion of the blood
- 46 Failure
- 47 Not as coarse
- 48 Ceremonies
- 50 Craze
- 51 No-frills
- 54 Tedium
- 58 Possess
- 59 Passenger
- 61 \_\_\_ Scotia
- 62 Piece of Greek Orthodox art
- 63 Contaminate
- 64 \_\_\_ steven; tied, as a score
- 65 Mr. Gingrich
- 66 Toboggans
- 67 Comfy rooms

## DOWN

- 1 Sharif or Epps
- 2 Bouquet holder

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## Friday's Puzzle Solved

- 3 BPOE folks
- 4 Interval of rest
- 5 Practical joke
- 6 Got rid of on eBay, e.g.
- 7 Put two and two together
- 8 Wiggle room
- 9 Numskull
- 10 Wood or Cole
- 11 Come \_\_\_; find
- 12 \_\_\_ over; faint
- 13 Singer & actor Nelson \_\_\_
- 21 Half and half
- 23 Macho
- 25 Hard-hearted
- 26 Casino game
- 27 Soldier's gun
- 28 Church table
- 29 Ring of flowers
- 31 Home of logs
- 32 Wipe away
- 33 Actress Winona \_\_\_
- 35 Family member
- 36 Blind as a \_\_\_
- 38 Send in payment

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- 39 Roll of cash
- 42 Up-to-date
- 44 Broadened
- 46 "Not me!" or "I didn't do it!"
- 47 Distant
- 49 Small fruit pies
- 50 Military posts
- 51 Part of the leg
- 52 \_\_\_ oneself; work steadily
- 53 Declare
- 54 Fold
- 55 Small pigeon
- 56 Microwave, e.g.
- 57 "A \_\_\_ home is his castle"
- 60 Pass away

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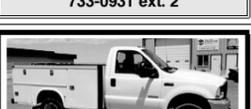


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By Dave Green

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### Answer to previous puzzle

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